

CHARLES & COLVARD LTD
Form 8-K
November 18, 2009

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) November 13, 2009

Charles & Colvard, Ltd.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| North Carolina (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) | 000-23329 (Commission File Number) | 56-1928817 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |
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| 300 Perimeter Park Drive, Suite A Morrisville, North Carolina (Address of principal executive offices) | 27560 (Zip Code) |
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(919) 468-0399
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On November 13, 2009, Charles & Colvard, Ltd. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors has authorized a share repurchase program of up to an aggregate 1 million shares of the Company’s common stock. The program authorizes the Company to repurchase shares of the Company’s common stock until August 12, 2010 in open market or private transactions. The Company has no obligation to repurchase shares under the program and the program may be suspended or terminated at any time. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference.

This report contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Act, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or the Exchange Act. Statements expressing expectations regarding our future and projections relating to products, sales, revenues, and earnings are typical of such statements and are made under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements about our plans, objectives, representations, and contentions and are not historical facts and typically are identified by use of terms such as “may,” “will,” “should,” “could,” “expect,” “plan,” “anticipate,” “believe,” “estimate,” “predict,” “continue,” and similar words, and forward-looking statements are expressed differently. All forward-looking statements are subject to the risks and uncertainties inherent in predicting the future. You should be aware that although the forward-looking statements included herein represent management’s current judgment and expectations, the Company’s actual results may differ materially from those projected, stated, or implied in these forward-looking statements as a result of many factors including, but not limited to whether the Company has enough available cash to fund share repurchases at times that are beneficial; future alternative uses for cash; future competing investment opportunities; and general economic, business and market conditions, in addition to the other risks and uncertainties described in more detail in the Company’s filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, or the SEC, including our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008 and subsequent reports filed with the SEC. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made. The Company undertakes no obligation to update or revise such statements to reflect new circumstances or unanticipated events as they occur except as required by the federal securities laws, and you are urged to review and consider disclosures that the Company make in the reports that it files with the SEC that discuss other factors relevant to its business.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

| Exhibit No. | Description of Document |
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| 99.1 | Press release, dated November 13, 2009 |

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Charles & Colvard, Ltd.

November 18, 2009

By: /s/ Timothy L. Krist
Timothy L. Krist
Chief Financial Officer

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