INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY Form 8-K May 06, 2009

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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): May 6, 2009

INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-10684 (Commission File Number)

88-0173041 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

9295 Prototype Drive, Reno, Nevada (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

89521 (Zip Code)

(775) 448-7777

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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 May 6, 2009, International Game Technology (the Company) issued a press release announcing its pricing of \$725 million principal amount of its 3.25% Convertible Notes (the Notes) due 2014 in a private offering to qualified institutional buyers pursuant to Rule 144A under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The Company also granted the initial purchasers an option to purchase up to an additional \$125 million aggregate principal amount of Notes within 13 days from the first issue date of the Notes solely to cover over-allotments. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press Release dated May 6, 2009

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SIGNATURE

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

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Date: May 6, 2009 By: /s/ Patrick Cavanaugh

Patrick Cavanaugh Executive Vice President Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated May 6, 2009

Description of Exhibit

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