INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY Form 8-K October 14, 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): October 14, 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 89521 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(775) 448-7777 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On October 14, 2009, International Game Technology issued a press release announcing certain expected fourth-quarter charges. 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

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release dated October 14, 2009

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 hereunto duly authorized.

INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY

Date: October 14, 2009 By: /s/ J. Kenneth Creighton

J. Kenneth Creighton

Vice President, Corporate Law

Department

and Assistant Secretary