INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY Form 8-K December 15, 2006

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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): **December 13, 2006 INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada 001-10684 88-0173041

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS 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) **not applicable**

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- 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 December 13, 2006, International Game Technology (the Company) issued a press release announcing its intention to offer \$825 million in aggregate principal amount of Convertible Debentures due 2036. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

On December 14, 2006, the Company issued a press release announcing the pricing of its private offering of \$825 million in aggregate principal amount of 2.6% Convertible Debentures due 2036. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press release dated December 13, 2006 announcing the offering of Convertible Debentures due December 15, 2036
- 99.2 Press release dated December 14, 2006 announcing the pricing of 2.6% Convertible Debentures due December 15, 2036

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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.

INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY (Registrant)

Date: December 15, 2006 By: /s/ Maureen T. Mullarkey

Name: Maureen T. Mullarkey

Title: Executive Vice President, Chief

Financial Officer and Treasurer

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| 99.1 | International Game Technology press release dated December 13, 2006 |
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