Gaming Partners International CORP Form 8-K August 11, 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) August 5, 2009

Gaming Partners International Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

0-23588 (Commission File Number)

88-0310433 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1700 Industrial Road, Las Vegas, Nevada (Address of principal executive offices)

89102 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code(702) 384-2425

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):
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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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain	Officers; Election of	f Directors; Appointmen	t of Certain Officers	Compensatory
Arrangements or Certain Officers				

On August 5, 2009, the board of directors of Gaming Partners International Corporation (the Company) took the following action as part of its succession plan. This action will become effective September 12, 2009:

Gregory Gronau, who is currently Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of the Company, will become President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company, succeeding Gerard P. Charlier who will retire from the Company and its subsidiaries on that date, except that Mr. Charlier will continue to serve as a director of the Company.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On August 11, 2009, the Company issued a press release announcing this management change. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1. Press release dated August 11, 2009.

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SIGNATURES

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.

GAMING PARTNERS INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

Date: August 11, 2009

By: /s/ David W. Grimes

David W. Grimes Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated August 11, 2009.

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