

Karskens Paulus
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

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|---|---------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | |
| Â Karskens Paulus | | (Month/Day/Year) | INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY [IGT] | |
| (Last) | (First) | 08/03/2009 | | |
| | | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| C/O INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY,Â 9295 | | | (Check all applicable) | |
| PROTOTYPE DRIVE | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Director | <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner |
| (Street) | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| | | | (give title below) (specify below) | |
| | | | President, Global Business Dev | |
| RENO,Â NVÂ 89521 | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person | |
| | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Common Stock | 37,116 | D | Â |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Stock Option (right to buy) | 12/31/2005 ⁽¹⁾ | 12/31/2014 | Common Stock | 45,000 | \$ 34.38 | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | 12/02/2006 ⁽²⁾ | 01/11/2016 | Common Stock | 2,400 | \$ 0 | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | 04/25/2007 ⁽³⁾ | 04/11/2016 | Common Stock | 11,173 | \$ 0 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | 11/10/2007 ⁽⁴⁾ | 11/10/2016 | Common Stock | 41,114 | \$ 42.72 | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | 11/10/2007 ⁽⁴⁾ | 11/10/2016 | Common Stock | 3,511 | \$ 0 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | 11/12/2008 ⁽⁵⁾ | 05/09/2018 | Common Stock | 55,900 | \$ 35.26 | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | 11/12/2008 ⁽⁵⁾ | 05/09/2018 | Common Stock | 10,635 | \$ 0 | D | Â |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | 11/14/2009 ⁽⁴⁾ | 11/14/2018 | Common Stock | 100,336 | \$ 10.74 | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | 11/14/2009 ⁽⁴⁾ | 11/14/2018 | Common Stock | 22,346 | \$ 0 | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Karskens Paulus C/O INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY 9295 PROTOTYPE DRIVE RENO, NV 89521 | Â | Â | Â President, Global Business Dev | Â |

Signatures

Paulus Karskens 01/14/2010

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The option vests in five equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments commencing on December 2, 2006.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments commencing on April 25, 2007.
- (4) The option and restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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(5) The option and restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments commencing on November 12, 2008.

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