PIER 1 IMPORTS INC/DE
Form 8-K
August 03, 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 3, 2009

PIER 1 IMPORTS, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

| Delaware | 001-07832 | 75-1729843 |
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| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number) |

100 Pier 1 Place, Fort Worth, Texas 76102
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

817-252-8000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

| Item 8.01 | Other Events. |
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On August 3, 2009 the Company announced that Catherine David has joined the Company as Executive Vice President – Merchandising. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

| Item 9.01 | Financial Statements and Exhibits. |
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(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated August 3, 2009

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.

PIER 1 IMPORTS, INC.

Date: August 3, 2009   By: /s/ Michael A. Carter

Michael A. Carter, Senior Vice
President and General Counsel, Secretary