

CULP INC  
Form 8-K  
January 12, 2010  
**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) January 12, 2010

**Culp, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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| North Carolina                                    | 0-12781                  | 56-1001967                              |
| (State or Other Jurisdiction<br>of Incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer<br>Identification No.) |

1823 Eastchester Drive

High Point, North Carolina 27265  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)  
(336) 889-5161  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)  
Not Applicable  
(Former name or address, if changed from 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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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 January 12, 2010, Culp, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a news release regarding revised expectations about its financial results for the third quarter of the Company’s fiscal 2010. A copy of the news release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 – News Release dated January 12, 2010

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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.

Date: January 12, 2010

CULP, INC.

By: /s/ Kenneth R. Bowling  
Kenneth R. Bowling  
Chief Financial Officer

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit Number      Exhibit

99.1                      News Release dated January 12, 2010