CHARLES & COLVARD LTD Form 8-K January 22, 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

January 15, 2009 (Date of earliest event reported)

Commission file number: 0-23329

Charles & Colvard, Ltd.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

North Carolina (State or other jurisdiction of 56-1928817 (I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

incorporation or organization)

300 Perimeter Park Drive, Suite A

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Morrisville, North Carolina 27560

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

(919) 468-0399

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

In further developments regarding the outstanding receivable, on January 15, 2009, Charles & Colvard, Ltd. (the Company) entered into an agreement (the Agreement) with Reeves Park, Inc. (Reeves Park) to settle the outstanding balance due to the Company from Reeves Park. Under the Agreement, the Company will reduce the receivable balance due from Reeves Park by accepting a return of inventory in the amount of approximately \$4,300,000, the receipt of certain receivable payments due to Reeves Park, and a settlement fee.

The description of the Agreement set forth in this Item 1.01 is a summary of the material terms of the Agreement and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the copy of the Agreement attached hereto as Exhibit 10.127 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 10.127 Settlement Agreement, effective January 15, 2009, between Charles & Colvard, Ltd. and Reeves Park, Inc.*

* Portions of this Exhibit have been omitted and filed separately with the Securities and Exchange Commission as part of an application for confidential treatment pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

SIGNATURE

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.

Charles & Colvard, Ltd.

By: /s/ Dennis M. Reed Dennis M. Reed President & Chief Marketing Officer

Date: January 22, 2009

EXHIBIT INDEX

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