

American Electric Technologies Inc  
Form 8-K  
January 29, 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 28, 2010

**AMERICAN ELECTRIC TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Florida**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**000-24575**  
(Commission

File Number)

**59-3410234**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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**6410 Long Drive, Houston, TX**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**77087**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code 713-644-8182**

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):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

1. On January 28, 2010, American Electric Technologies, Inc. issued a press release providing a shareholder update from its President and Chief Executive Officer.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description of Exhibit
99.1	Press Release from American Electric Technologies, Inc. dated January 28, 2010.

**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.

AMERICAN ELECTRIC TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: January 29, 2010

By:

/s/ JOHN H. UNTEREKER

**John H. Untereker**  
**Senior Vice President and CFO**

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