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): September 30, 2010

Commission file number 001-16111



GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Georgia (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 58-2567903 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

10 Glenlake Parkway, North Tower, Atlanta, Georgia (Address of principal executive offices)

30328-3473 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 770-829-8234

NONE

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

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Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

On September 30, 2010, Global Payments Inc. (the "Company"), held its 2010 Annual Meeting of Shareholders at our offices in Atlanta, Georgia. The following is a summary of the matters voted on at that meeting.

(a) The following directors were elected to serve as Class I directors until the Annual Meeting of Shareholders in 2013, or until their successors are duly elected and qualified or until their respective earlier resignation, retirement, disqualification, death, or removal from office.

| | Votes in Favor | Votes Withheld |
|---------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| General Edwin H. Burba Jr | 71,130,080 | 984,906 |
| Mr. Raymond L. Killian | 71,516,612 | 598,374 |
| Ms. Ruth Ann Marshall | 71,143,147 | 971,839 |

(b) The shareholders ratified the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as the Company's independent public accountants for the year ended May 31, 2011.

| Votes in Favor | Votes Against | Abstain |
|----------------|---------------|---------|
| 72,168,299 | 2,987,029 | 14,020 |

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 thereunto duly authorized.

Global Payments Inc. (Registrant)

Date: January 7, 2011

By: <u>/s/ David E. Mangum</u> David E. Mangum Chief Financial Officer