

FIRST AMERICAN CORP  
Form 8-K  
November 12, 2009

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 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) November 11, 2009

**THE FIRST AMERICAN CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of the Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**California**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**001-13585**  
(Commission File Number)

**95-1068610**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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**1 First American Way, Santa Ana, California**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**92707-5913**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code (714) 250-3000**

**Not Applicable.**

**(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)**

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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.**

On November 11, 2009, The First American Corporation (the Company) issued a press release announcing the expiration of the initial offering period for its offer to exchange all shares of Class A common stock ( Class A Shares ) of its subsidiary, First Advantage Corporation, and the commencement of a subsequent offering period for the exchange offer that will expire at 5 p.m., Eastern time, on November 17, 2009, unless extended. Any such extension of the subsequent offering period will be followed by a public announcement no later than 9 a.m., Eastern time, on the next business day after the subsequent offering period is scheduled to expire. All Class A Shares validly tendered during the subsequent offering period will be immediately accepted and promptly paid for, with tendering stockholders receiving the same per share consideration as provided during the initial offering period 0.58 of a common share of the Company. Procedures for tendering Class A Shares during the subsequent offering period are the same as during the initial offering period, except that (1) Class A Shares cannot be delivered by the guaranteed delivery procedures, and (2) as permitted by Securities and Exchange Commission rules, Class A Shares tendered during the subsequent offering period may not be withdrawn.

The press release announcing the subsequent offering period is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated by reference herein.

**ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.**

**(c) Exhibits.**

**Exhibit**

| <b>Number</b> | <b>Description</b> |
|---------------|--------------------|
| 99.1          | Press Release.     |

**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.

THE FIRST AMERICAN CORPORATION

Date: November 12, 2009

By: /s/ Kenneth D. DeGiorgio  
Name: Kenneth D. DeGiorgio  
Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel