MONEYGRAM INTERNATIONAL INC

Form 8-K November 19, 2004

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):

November 18, 2004

MoneyGram International, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

| Delaware | 1-31930 | 10-1090004 |
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| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employe Identification No |
| 1550 Utica Avenue South, Suite 100, Minneapolis, Minnesota | | 55416 |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | | (Zip Code) |
| Registrant s telephone number, including area code: | | 952-591-3000 |
| | Not Applicable | |
| Former name | or former address, if changed since last rep | oort |

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:

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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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On November 18, 2004, MoneyGram International, Inc. (MGI) issued a press release announcing the declaration of a quarterly dividend and announcing the establishment by the Board of Directors of authorization to repurchase up to two million shares of MGI common stock from time to time on the open market. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

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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.

MoneyGram International, Inc.

November 19, 2004 By: Teresa H. Johnson

Name: Teresa H. Johnson

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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| Exhibit No. | Description |
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| 99.1 | Press Release, dated November 18, 2004 |