TECHNE CORP /MN/ Form 8-K October 28, 2009

> 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): October 28, 2009

TECHNE CORPORATION (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Minnesota	0-17272	41-1427402
(State or Other Jurisdiction	(Commission	I.R.S. Employer
of Incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)

614 Mckinley Place NE Minneapolis, MN 55413 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (612) 379-8854

Not Applicable (Former Name or Former Address, if changed since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligations of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- / / Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act
 17 CFR 230.425)
- / / Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act
 (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- / / 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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

A copy of the press release issued by Techne Corporation on October 28, 2009, describing the results of operations for the quarter ended September 30, 2009 and its financial condition as of September 30, 2009, is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Segment information for Techne Corporation for the quarter ended September 30, 2009 which has been included on Techne Corporation's

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website (www.techne-corp.com), is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2.

The information in this Form 8-K and the Exhibits attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated October 28, 2009.

99.2 Segment information for the quarter ended September 30, 2009.

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.

Dated: October 28, 2009

TECHNE CORPORATION By: /s/ Thomas E. Oland Name: Thomas E. Oland Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

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