

Allis Chalmers Energy Inc.  
Form 8-K  
July 25, 2008

**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): July 25, 2008**

**ALLIS-CHALMERS ENERGY INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**001-02199**

(Commission File  
Number)

**39-0126090**

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**5075 Westheimer**

**Suite 890**

**Houston, Texas**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**77056**

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(713) 369-0550**

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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On July 25, 2008, Allis-Chalmers Energy Inc. issued a press release announcing the intent to offer \$350 million of senior notes in a private placement. A copy of the press release announcing the intent to offer senior notes is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits**

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release, dated July 25, 2008.

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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.

ALLIS-CHALMERS ENERGY INC.

Date: July 25, 2008

By: /s/ Theodore F. Pound III  
Name: Theodore F. Pound III  
Title: General Counsel and Secretary

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