HALLIBURTON CO Form 8-K September 09, 2008

# 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): September 9, 2008

# HALLIBURTON COMPANY (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

# Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-3492 (Commission File Number) No. 75-2677995 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1401 McKinney, Suite 2400, Houston, Texas (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

77010 (Zip Code)

(713) 759-2600

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)
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 obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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- o 240.14d-2(b))
- o 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.

The purpose of this Form 8-K is to provide as an exhibit the computation of the Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges.

## Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The exhibit listed below is filed herewith.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 12.1 Computation of Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges.

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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.

#### HALLIBURTON COMPANY

Date: September 9, 2008 By: /s/ Bruce A. Metzinger

Bruce A. Metzinger Assistant Secretary