

PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORP

Form 8-K

May 24, 2007

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): **May 24, 2007**

Petroleum Development Corporation
Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter

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| Nevada | 0-7246 | 95-2636730 |
| <i>State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation</i> | <i>Commission File Number</i> | <i>IRS Employer Identification Number</i> |

120 Genesis Boulevard; Bridgeport, WV 26330
Address of Principal Executive Offices

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **304-842-3597**

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 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))

No Change
Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On May 24, 2007, the Company issued a News Release announcing operating and financial results for fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2006.

A copy of the News Release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

EXHIBIT INDEX

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Press Release: **Petroleum Development Corporation Announces Operating and Financial Results for Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2006**

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.

PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Date: May 24, 2007

By: /s/ Richard W. McCullough
Richard W. McCullough
Chief Financial Officer
