SM Energy Co Form 8-K November 08, 2010

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 8, 2010 (November 4, 2010)

SM Energy Company (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	001-31539	41-0518430
(State or other	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employer
jurisdiction		
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)

1775 Sherman Street, 80203 Suite 1200, Denver, (Zip Code) Colorado (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (303) 861-8140

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.):

[_] 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))

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2. of Form 8-K, the following information, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall such information and Exhibit be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

On November 4, 2010, SM Energy Company (the "Company") announced that the Company's President and Chief Executive Officer, Tony Best, will present at the Bank of America Merrill Lynch Global Energy Conference on Friday, November 12, 2010, at 8:00 am Eastern time.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d)Exhibits. The following exhibit is furnished as part of this report:

Exhibit 99.1 Press release of the Company dated November 4, 2010, entitled

SM Energy to Present at Bank of America Merrill Lynch Global

Energy Conference

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.

SM ENERGY COMPANY

Date: November 8, 2010 By:/s/ MARK T. SOLOMON

Mark T. Solomon Controller