

Resolute Energy Corp  
Form 8-K  
December 26, 2012

**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): December 21, 2012

**RESOLUTE ENERGY CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**001-34464**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**27-0659371**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

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**1675 Broadway, Suite 1950**

**Denver, CO**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 303-534-4600**

**80202**

(Zip Code)

**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- ..  Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 1.01 Entry Into a Material Definitive Agreement**

On December 21, 2012, Resolute Natural Resources Southwest, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ( Resolute Southwest ) and a wholly-owned subsidiary of Resolute Energy Corporation, a Delaware corporation ( Resolute or the Company ), and Resolute and Celero Energy II, LP and its affiliate ( Seller ) entered into an amendment (the Amendment ) to that certain purchase and sale agreement dated as of December 1, 2012 (the PSA ), to, among other things, allow for a post-closing title examination period, which will end January 16, 2013, during which Resolute Southwest and the Company may give the Seller notice of any title defect in the New Permian Properties (as defined below) and adjust the purchase price of the New Permian Properties accordingly.

The information set forth below in Item 2.01 is hereby incorporated by reference into this Item 1.01. The foregoing description of the Amendment is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of such agreement, a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit 2.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets**

*New Permian Acquisition*

On December 21, 2012, Resolute Southwest and Resolute completed the acquisition of certain oil and gas properties in the Permian Basin of Texas (the New Permian Properties ), from Seller, pursuant to the PSA, for a purchase price of \$120 million, which purchase price was the result of mutual negotiation at arm's length and subject to customary purchase price adjustments (the New Permian Acquisition ). A portion of the purchase price has been escrowed in connection with the post-closing title defect notice rights under the Amendment. The purchase price was funded by proceeds from the Company's offering of 8.50% Senior Notes due 2020, which closed on December 10, 2012, and borrowings under its revolving credit facility. Natural Gas Partners, an affiliate of the Company, is also an affiliate of Seller. The New Permian Acquisition is effective as of August 1, 2012.

The Company will file financial information related to the New Permian Properties, including its pro forma financial statements resulting from the New Permian Acquisition, no later than 71 days from the date on which this report on Form 8-K is due.

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

(d) Exhibits.

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
2.1	Amendment to Purchase and Sale Agreement, by and among Celero Energy II, LP and Caprock Land & Cattle, LLC, as sellers, Resolute Natural Resources Southwest, LLC, as buyer, and Resolute Energy Corporation, as guarantor, dated December 21, 2012

**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.

Date: December 24, 2012

**RESOLUTE ENERGY CORPORATION**

By: /s/ James M. Piccone

James M. Piccone  
President

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