

CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORP

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December 17, 2018

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE TO

Tender Offer Statement under Section 14(d)(1) or 13(e)(1)

of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 2)

Chesapeake Energy Corporation

(Name of Subject Company (issuer))

Chesapeake Energy Corporation

(Name of Filing Persons (issuer))

2.25% Contingent Convertible Senior Notes due 2038

(Title of Class of Securities)

165167CB1

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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CALCULATION OF FILING FEE

Transaction valuation* Amount of filing fee**

\$8,732,000.00

\$1,058.32

For purposes of calculating amount of filing fee only. The transaction valuation upon which the filing fee was based was calculated as follows: The purchase price of the 2.25% Contingent Convertible Senior Notes due 2038, as described herein, is \$1,000 per \$1,000 principal amount outstanding. As of October 30, 2018, there was \$8,732,000 aggregate principal amount outstanding, resulting in an aggregate purchase price of \$8,830,235.

**The amount of the filing fee equals \$121.20 per \$1 million of the value of the transaction.

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Amount Previously Paid: \$1,058.32

Filing Party: Chesapeake Energy Corporation

Form or Registration No.: Schedule TO-I (File No. 005-43515) Date Filed: October 31, 2018

..Check the box if the filing relates solely to preliminary communications made before the commencement of a tender offer.

Check the appropriate boxes below to designate any transactions to which the statement relates:

- third-party tender offer subject to Rule 14d-1.
- issuer tender offer subject to Rule 13e-4.
- going-private transaction subject to Rule 13e-3.
- amendment to Schedule 13D under Rule 13d-2.

Check the following box if the filing is a final amendment reporting the results of the tender offer:

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- Rule 13e-4(i) (Cross-Border Issuer Tender Offer)
- Rule 14d-1(d) (Cross-Border Third-Party Tender Offer)

This Amendment No. 2 (this “Amendment No. 2”) amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO (the “Schedule TO”) filed by Chesapeake Energy Corporation, an Oklahoma corporation (the “Company”), with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) on October 31, 2018, as amended and supplemented by Amendment No. 1 to the Schedule TO filed on November 2, 2018, relating to the Company’s offer to repurchase the 2.25% Contingent Convertible Senior Notes due 2038 that were issued by the Company (the “Notes”).

Pursuant to Rule 12b-15 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, this Amendment No. 2 amends and restates only the items of the Schedule TO that are being amended and restated hereby, and unaffected items and exhibits in the Schedule TO are not included herein. This Amendment No. 2 should be read in conjunction with the Schedule TO and the related offer materials.

ITEMS 1, 4, 8 and 11.

The holders’ right to surrender Notes for repurchase (the “Offer”) expired at 5:00 p.m., New York time, on December 12, 2018, and holders’ withdrawal rights with respect to the Notes expired at 5:00 p.m., New York time, on December 14, 2018. The Company has been advised by The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., the paying agent, that \$7,809,000 aggregate principal amount of the Notes were surrendered to the paying agent and not withdrawn. The Company has accepted all such Notes for payment as required by the indenture governing the Notes. In accordance with the terms of the indenture governing the Notes, the Company expects to forward to the paying agent the appropriate amount of cash required to pay the total purchase price for the surrendered Notes on December 17, 2018, and for the paying agent promptly to distribute the cash to the holders as soon as practicable in accordance with the indenture governing the Notes. After the Offer, \$923,000 aggregate principal amount of the Notes will remain outstanding.

ITEM 12.

Item 12 of the Schedule TO is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the exhibit referenced below.
Exhibit Number Description

(a)(1)(D) Press Release dated December 17, 2018

SIGNATURE

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: December 17, 2018

CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORPORATION

By: /s/ James R. Webb

James R. Webb

Executive Vice President - General Counsel and Corporate Secretary