

SM Energy Co
Form 8-K
September 03, 2014

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)

September 3, 2014 (September 3, 2014)

SM Energy Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-31539
(Commission
File Number)

41-0518430
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

1775 Sherman Street, Suite 1200, Denver, Colorado

80203

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

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

Not applicable

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(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))
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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, as amended (the *Exchange Act*), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information and Exhibit be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

From September 3 to September 4, 2014, certain executive officers of SM Energy Company (the *Company*) will attend the Barclays Capital CEO Energy-Power 2014 Conference in New York, New York. The information included with this Current Report as Exhibit 99.1 includes graphic images or slides that will be made available at the conference. These slides are also available for viewing at the Company's website, www.sm-energy.com, although the Company reserves the right to discontinue that availability at any time.

Item 9.01 **Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

- (d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is furnished as part of this report:
Exhibit 99.1 Presentation slides dated September 4, 2014.

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: September 3, 2014

By: /s/ DAVID W. COPELAND
David W. Copeland
Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate
Secretary