

CVR ENERGY INC  
Form 8-K  
September 26, 2008

**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 24, 2008**  
**CVR ENERGY, INC.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**001-33492**  
(Commission File Number)

**61-1512186**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

**2277 Plaza Drive, Suite 500**  
**Sugar Land, Texas 77479**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (281) 207-3200**

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 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))
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**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

(d) Election of Directors.

On September 24, 2008, CVR Energy, Inc. (the Company ) announced that the Company's Board of Directors elected C. Scott Hobbs to the Board effective as of that date. Mr. Hobbs has been named to serve on the Company's Audit Committee.

In connection with his appointment to the Company's Board of Directors, Mr. Hobbs was granted options to purchase 9,100 shares of the Company's common stock at an exercise price of \$11.01 per share (the closing price of the Company's common stock on the New York Stock Exchange on the date the option was granted). The options are subject to vesting in equal annual installments over three years. As compensation for serving as a director, Mr. Hobbs will receive an annual retainer of \$60,000, paid monthly, and an annual grant of \$60,000 of worth of equity in the Company, payable at the end of each year, in addition to the one-time stock option grant at the time of his appointment.

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

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is being furnished as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K:

- 99.1 Press release, dated September 26, 2008, issued by CVR Energy, Inc., pertaining to the election of C. Scott Hobbs as a director.
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**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.

Date: September 26, 2008

CVR ENERGY, INC.

By: /s/ Edmund S. Gross

Edmund S. Gross

Senior Vice President, General Counsel

and

Secretary