

COEUR D ALENE MINES CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 10, 2009

**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): March 10, 2009 (March 4,2009)  
Coeur d Alene Mines Corporation  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

IDAHO  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation or organization)

1-8641  
(Commission File Number)

82-0109423  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

505 Front Ave., P.O. Box I  
Coeur d Alene, Idaho, 83816  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)  
(208) 667-3511

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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 Instructions 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 3.02. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities.**

Pursuant to privately-negotiated agreements dated March 4, 2009, Coeur d Alene Mines Corporation (the Company ) agreed to exchange \$10,124,000 aggregate principal amount of its 1.25% Convertible Senior Notes due 2024 and \$9,611,000 of its 3.25% Convertible Senior Notes due 2028 for an aggregate of 15,084,789 shares of its common stock, par value \$1.00 (the Shares ). The Company expects the Shares to be issued on or about March 10, 2009. The Company will issue the Shares pursuant to the exemption from the registration requirements afforded by Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

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.

Coeur d Alene Mines Corporation

Date: March 10, 2009

By: /s/ Mitchell J. Krebs

Name: Mitchell J. Krebs

Title: Chief Financial Officer