

MARATHON OIL CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 10, 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 10, 2012

Marathon Oil Corporation

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-5153	25-0996816
_____ (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	_____ (Commission File Number)	_____ (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5555 San Felipe Street, Houston, Texas	77056
_____ (Address of principal executive offices)	_____ (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (713) 629-6600

Not Applicable

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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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



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

(b) On December 10, 2012, David E. Roberts, Jr., the Corporation's executive vice president and chief operating officer, resigned from the Corporation to pursue other interests. Mr. Roberts' resignation is effective December 14, 2012. A copy of the press release of the Corporation dated December 10, 2012, announcing the resignation of Mr. Roberts is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

99.1 Marathon Oil Corporation Press Release dated December 10, 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 10, 2012

MARATHON OIL CORPORATION

By: /s/ Michael K. Stewart  
Michael K. Stewart  
Vice President, Finance and Accounting, Controller and Treasurer

Exhibit Index

99.1 Marathon Oil Corporation Press Release dated December 10, 2012