

Cloud Peak Energy Resources LLC  
Form 8-K  
March 26, 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): **March 26, 2012**

**Cloud Peak Energy Inc.**

**Cloud Peak Energy Resources LLC**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| <b>Delaware</b><br><b>Delaware</b><br>(State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)       | <b>001-34547</b><br><b>333-168639</b><br>(Commission File Number) | <b>26-3088162</b><br><b>26-4073917</b><br>(IRS Employer Identification No.) |
| <b>505 S. Gillette Ave., Gillette, Wyoming</b><br>(Address of Principal Executive Offices) |   | <b>82716</b><br>(Zip Code)  |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(307) 687-6000**

**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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**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.

**CLOUD PEAK ENERGY INC.**

Date: March 26, 2012

By: /s/ Amy J. Stefonick  
Name: Amy J. Stefonick  
Title: Corporate Secretary

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>  |
|--------------------|---|
| 99.1               | Furnished Slides from the Howard Weil 40th Annual Energy Conference |