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**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report: **January 10, 2013**
(Date of earliest event reported)

KODIAK OIL & GAS CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: **001-32920**

Yukon Territory
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

N/A
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1625 Broadway, Suite 250
Denver, Colorado 80202
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(303) 592-8075
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable
(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)
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- 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 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On January 10, 2013, Kodiak Oil & Gas Corp. issued a press release entitled “Kodiak Oil & Gas Corp. Announces \$300 Million Offering of Senior Notes.” A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information in this report, including the exhibits attached hereto, shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”), nor shall such information 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.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release of Kodiak Oil & Gas Corp. dated January 10, 2013

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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.

KODIAK OIL & GAS CORP.

By: /s/ James P. Henderson

James P. Henderson

Chief Financial Officer

Date: January 10, 2013

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**K O D I A K****OIL & GAS CORP.****NEWS RELEASE**

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**KODIAK OIL & GAS CORP. ANNOUNCES
\$300 MILLION OFFERING OF SENIOR NOTES**

DENVER, January 10, 2013 – /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ – Kodiak Oil & Gas Corp. (“Kodiak”) (NYSE: KOG) today announced that it commenced a private offering of \$300 million in aggregate principal amount of senior notes due 2021 in a private placement to eligible investors. The notes will be jointly and severally guaranteed on a senior basis by Kodiak’s subsidiary, Kodiak Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.

Kodiak intends to use the net proceeds of the offering to pay down a portion of the outstanding debt under Kodiak’s first lien credit agreement, such that, after giving effect to such pay down, the remaining outstanding balance thereunder will be \$50.8 million.

This press release does not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy securities. Any offers of the notes and related guarantees will be made only by means of a private offering circular. The notes and the related guarantees have not been registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the securities laws of any other jurisdiction and may not be offered or sold in the United States absent registration or an applicable exemption from registration requirements.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release includes “forward-looking statements” within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, including statements related to the expected use of proceeds from and the closing of the offering. All statements other than statements of historical facts included herein may constitute forward-looking statements. Although Kodiak believes that the expectations reflected in the forward-looking statements are reasonable, it can give no assurance that such expectations will prove to be correct. The forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties that affect our operations, financial performance and other factors as discussed in Kodiak’s filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2011 and its Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q for the quarters ended March 31, 2012, June 30, 2012 and September 30, 2012.
