CIMAREX ENERGY CO Form SC 13G/A February 13, 2009

SCHEDULE 13G

(Rule 13d-102)

Information to be Included in Statements Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), (c) and (d) and Amendments Thereto Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-2.

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 1) *

Cimarex Energy Co.
 (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities)

171798101 (CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2008 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

[X] Rule 13d-1(b)

[] Rule 13d-1(c)

[] Rule 13d-1(d)

* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No. 171798101

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PERSON WITH				
	None			
	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
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9 AGGRI	ATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON			
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3 SEC USE O	NLY	
4 CITIZENSH	IP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION	
Wisconsin		
	5 SOLE VOTING POWER	
NUMBER OF	None	
SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY	6 SHARED VOTING POWER	
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CUS	SIP No. 171	798101 13G	
1	NAME OF RE	PORTING PERSON	
	Andrew A.	Ziegler	
2	CHECK THE (see Instr	APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP	(a) [] (b) []
	Not Applic	able	
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		None	
		8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	
		2,528,790	
9	AGGREGATE	AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	
	2,528,790		

10		X IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHAR tructions)	ES []
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12		REPORTING PERSON tructions)	
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		Page 5 of 14	
CUS	IP No. 171	1798101 13G	
 1	NAME OF RE	EPORTING PERSON	
	Carlene M.	. Ziegler	
2	CHECK THE	APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP ructions)	(a) [] (b) []
	Not Applic	cable	
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		None	
		8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	

2,528,790

9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

2,528,790

10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (see Instructions) []

Not Applicable

11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

3.0%

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (see Instructions)

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Item 1(a) Name of Issuer:

Cimarex Energy Co.

Item 1(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

1700 Lincoln Street Suite 1800 Denver, Colorado 80203

Item 2(a) Name of Person Filing:

Artisan Partners Limited Partnership ("Artisan Partners")
Artisan Investment Corporation, the general partner of
Artisan Partners ("Artisan Corp.")
ZFIC, Inc., the sole stockholder of Artisan Corp. ("ZFIC")
Andrew A. Ziegler
Carlene M. Ziegler

Item 2(b) Address of Principal Business Office:

Artisan Partners, Artisan Corp., ZFIC, Mr. Ziegler and Ms. Ziegler are all located at:

875 East Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 800 Milwaukee, WI 53202

Item 2(c) Citizenship:

Artisan Partners is a Delaware limited partnership Artisan Corp. is a Wisconsin corporation ZFIC is a Wisconsin corporation Mr. Ziegler and Ms. Ziegler are U.S. citizens

Item 2(d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock

Item 2(e) CUSIP Number:

171798101

(e) Artisan Partners is an investment adviser registered under section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940; Artisan Corp. is the general partner of Artisan Partners; ZFIC is the sole stockholder of Artisan Corp.; Mr. Ziegler and Ms. Ziegler are the principal stockholders of ZFIC.

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Item 4 Ownership (at December 31, 2008):

(a) Amount owned "beneficially" within the meaning of rule 13d-3:

2,528,790

(b) Percent of class:

3.0 % (based on 83,271,632 shares outstanding as of September 30, 2008)

- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: None
 - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 2,449,290
 - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: None
 - (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 2,528,790
- Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [X].

Item 6 Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Item 10 Certification:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: February 13, 2009

ARTISAN INVESTMENT CORPORATION, for itself and as the general partner of ARTISAN PARTNERS LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

By: Janet D. Olsen*

ZFIC, INC.

By: Janet D. Olsen*

ANDREW A. ZIEGLER

Andrew A. Ziegler*

CARLENE M. ZIEGLER

Carlene M. Ziegler*

*By: /s/ Janet D. Olsen

Janet D. Olsen

Vice President of Artisan Investment Corporation

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Attorney-in-Fact for ZFIC, Inc. Attorney-in-Fact for Andrew A.

Ziegler

Attorney-in-Fact for Carlene M. Ziegler

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Exhibit Index

Exhibit 1	Joint Filing Agreement dated February 13, 2009 by and among Artisan Partners Limited Partnership, Artisan Investment Corporation, ZFIC, Inc., Andrew A. Ziegler and Carlene M. Ziegler
Exhibit 2	Power of Attorney of ZFIC, Inc., dated March 19, 2007
Exhibit 3	Power of Attorney of Andrew A. Ziegler dated March 19, 2007

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Exhibit 4 Power of Attorney of Carlene M. Ziegler dated March 19, 2007

EXHIBIT 1

JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

The undersigned hereby agree to the joint filing of the Schedule $13\mathrm{G}$ to which this Agreement is attached.

Dated: February 13, 2009

ARTISAN INVESTMENT CORPORATION, for itself and as the general partner of ARTISAN PARTNERS LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

By: Janet D. Olsen*

ZFIC, INC.

By: Janet D. Olsen*

ANDREW A. ZIEGLER

Andrew A. Ziegler*

CARLENE M. ZIEGLER

Carlene M. Ziegler*

*By: /s/ Janet D. Olsen

Janet D. Olsen
Vice President of Artisan Investment
Corporation
Attorney-in-Fact for ZFIC, Inc.
Attorney-in-Fact for Andrew A.
Ziegler

Attorney-in-Fact for Carlene M. Ziegler

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EXHIBIT 2

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, ZFIC, Inc., hereby appoints Lawrence A. Totsky, Janet D. Olsen, and Sarah A. Johnson, and each of them individually, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power to execute and file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, for and on its behalf in any and all capacities, any and all reports required to be filed pursuant to Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder, including but not limited to reports on Schedule 13D or 13G, any and all amendments to such reports, with all exhibits, and any other forms or documents as may be necessary in connection with the filing of such reports with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, granting unto said attorney full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete, as fully as the undersigned might or could do in person.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact and agents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed this 19th day of March, 2007.

ZFIC, INC.

By: /s/ Andrew A. Ziegler

Andrew A. Ziegler Vice President

STATE OF WISCONSIN) SS.
COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE)

I, Timothy K. Weston, a Notary Public in and for the County of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Andrew A. Ziegler, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed and delivered the said instrument as his own free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal, this 19th day of March, 2007.

/s/ Timothy K. Weston
----Notary Public

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EXHIBIT 3

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, Andrew A. Ziegler, hereby appoints Lawrence A. Totsky, Janet D. Olsen, and Sarah A. Johnson, and each of them individually, his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power to execute and file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, for and on his behalf in any and all capacities, any and all reports required to be filed pursuant to Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder, including but not limited to reports on Schedule 13D or 13G, any and all amendments to such reports, with all exhibits, and any other forms or documents as may be necessary in connection with the filing of such reports with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, granting unto said attorney full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete, as fully as the undersigned might or could do in person.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed this 19th day of March, 2007.

STATE OF WISCONSIN

COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE

) SS.

/s/ Andrew A. Ziegler
-----Andrew A. Ziegler

I, Timothy K. Weston, a Notary Public in and for the County of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Andrew A. Ziegler, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed and delivered the said instrument as his own free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal, this 19th day of March, 2007.

/s/ Timothy K. Weston
----Notary Public

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EXHIBIT 4

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, Carlene M. Ziegler, hereby appoints Lawrence A. Totsky, Janet D. Olsen, and Sarah A. Johnson, and each of them individually, her true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power to execute and file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, for and on her behalf in any and all capacities, any and all reports required to be filed pursuant to Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder, including but not limited to reports on Schedule 13D or 13G, any and all amendments to such reports, with all exhibits, and any other forms or documents as may be necessary in connection with the filing of such reports with the United States Securities and Exchange

Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, granting unto said attorney full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete, as fully as the undersigned might or could do in person.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact and agents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed this 19th day of March, 2007.

/s/ Carlene M. Ziegler
------Carlene M. Ziegler

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE)

I, Timothy K. Weston, a Notary Public in and for the County of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Carlene M. Ziegler, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that she signed and delivered the said instrument as her own free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal, this 19th day of March, 2007.

/s/ Timothy K. Weston
----Notary Public

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