CABOT OIL & GAS CORP Form 8-K February 22, 2010

# 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): February 21, 2010

# **CABOT OIL & GAS CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction

1-10447 (Commission 04-3072771 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

**Three Memorial City Plaza** 

840 Gessner Road, Suite 1400

Houston, Texas 77024
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (281) 589-4600

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 Instruction A.2):

- " 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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangement of Certain Officers.

On February 21, 2010, Cabot Oil and Gas Corporation (the Company) issued a press release announcing the retirement of Michael B. Walen, Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of the Company, effective May 1, 2010. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits. (d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release issued by Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation dated February 21, 2010.

#### **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.

CABOT OIL & GAS CORPORATION

By:

/s/ SCOTT C. SCHROEDER
Scott C. Schroeder
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial Officer)

Date: February 22, 2010

#### EXHIBIT INDEX

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