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# 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, 2008 (March 25, 2008) Concho Resources Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charters)

Delaware 001-33615 76-0818600

(State or Other Jurisdiction of

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Incorporation or Organization)

550 West Texas Avenue, Suite 1300 Midland, Texas

79701

(Address of Principal Executive

(Zip Code)

Offices)

Registrant s Telephone Number, including Area Code: **(432) 683-7443** (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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year

On March 25, 2008, the Board of Directors of Concho Resources Inc. ( *Concho* ) approved amendments to Article V, Sections 5.1, 5.2, 5.4 and 5.5 of Concho s Amended and Restated Bylaws, effective immediately, to clarify that Concho s capital stock may be represented by uncertificated shares, as well as certificated shares. The changes also allow the Board of Directors to direct the issuance of uncertificated shares of stock in replacement for previously issued shares of certificated stock. The changes to Article V of Concho s Amended and Restated Bylaws are intended to permit the company to comply with new rules enacted by the New York Stock Exchange ( *NYSE* ). The new NYSE rules require all securities listed on the NYSE to be eligible for a direct registration program operated by a securities depository by March 31, 2008. A direct registration program enables investors to establish, either through the company s transfer agent or through the investor s broker-dealer, a book-entry position on the books of the issuer and to electronically transfer their position through the Depositary Trust Company. It also enables investors to have securities registered in their name without having a physical certificate issued.

The foregoing description of the amendments to the bylaws is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Amended and Restated Bylaws of Concho, as amended March 25, 2008, a copy of which is attached to this report as Exhibit 3.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

### **Exhibit Number** Description

3.1 Amended and Restated Bylaws of Concho Resources Inc., as amended March 25, 2008

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#### **SIGNATURES**

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.

#### CONCHO RESOURCES INC.

Date: March 26, 2008 By: /s/ DAVID W. COPELAND

David W. Copeland

Vice President and General Counsel

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