

CMS ENERGY CORP
Form 8-K
November 22, 2006

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):

November 21, 2006

CMS Energy Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Michigan

001-09513

38-2726431

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

(Commission
File Number)

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

One Energy Plaza, Jackson, Michigan

49201

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

517-788-0550

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Consumers Energy Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Michigan

001-05611

38-0442310

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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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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On November 21, 2006, the Michigan Public Service Commission (the "MPSC") issued a final order in Consumers Energy Company's gas rate case. The order authorized an increase in annual base gas revenues of \$80.8 million, which includes \$18.1 million of interim relief that was granted earlier this year. The MPSC incorporated an 11% return on equity in the determination of the overall cost of capital. Also, a \$58.1 million base rate surcharge that was approved in October 2004 was made permanent. The order is available on the MPSC website at www.michigan.gov/mpsc.

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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.

CMS Energy Corporation

November 22, 2006

By: Thomas J. Webb

Name: Thomas J. Webb

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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