

PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORP

Form 8-K

February 18, 2010

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

February 17, 2010

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported)

Petroleum Development Corporation  
Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter

|                  |             |                |
|------------------|-------------|----------------|
| Nevada           | 0-7246      | 95-2636730     |
| State or Other   | Commission  | IRS Employer   |
| Jurisdiction     | File Number | Identification |
| of Incorporation |             | Number         |

1775 Sherman Street, Suite 3000, Denver, CO 80203  
Address of Principal Executive Offices

303-860-5800  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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

No Change

Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.  
Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

The following information is furnished pursuant to both Items 2.02 and 7.01.

On February 17, 2010, Petroleum Development Corporation (the “Company”) issued a press release with production and reserve information and certain 2010 forecasted information. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. To the extent that the press release contains material non-public information regarding the Company’s results of operations or financial condition for the year ended December 31, 2009, the Company is furnishing the press release as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

On February 18, 2010, Richard W. McCullough, the Company’s Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, will make a presentation at the EnerCom, Inc. Oil & Services Conference in San Francisco, CA. The slide presentation which will be presented is furnished as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information in this Current Report, and in Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2, shall not be deemed “filed” for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

| Exhibit Number | Description  |
|----------------|--|
| 99.1           | PRESS RELEASE dated February 17, 2010                                    |
| 99.2           | PRESENTATION: EnerCom, Inc. Oil & Services Conference, February 18, 2010 |

SIGNATURES

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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.

PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Date: February 18, 2010

By: /s/ Richard W. McCullough  
Richard W. McCullough  
Chairman and CEO