

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC  
Form 8-K  
March 25, 2011

**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 25, 2011 (March 25, 2011)

**CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Oklahoma  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

001-32886  
(Commission  
File Number)

73-0767549  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

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302 N. Independence, Suite 1500

Enid, Oklahoma  
(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (580) 233-8955

73701  
(Zip Code)

Not Applicable.

(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):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  
- .. Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  
- .. 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 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On March 25, 2011, Continental Resources, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release announcing the closing of the sale of an additional 910,000 shares of its common stock. The sale was made pursuant to the underwriters' partial exercise of the overallotment option granted by the Company in connection with the previously announced public offering by it and certain selling shareholders of 10,000,000 shares of the Company's common stock. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 to Form 8-K, the information in Item 7.01 of this Current Report is being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in Item 7.01 of this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in any such filing.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibit

**Exhibit**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press release dated March 25, 2011.

**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.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC.

(Registrant)

Dated: March 25, 2011

By: /s/ John D. Hart  
John D. Hart  
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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