PYRAMID OIL CO Form 10-Q November 13, 2009

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-0

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

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2009

OR

/ / TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (D) OF THE SECURITIES ${\tt EXCHANGE}$ ACT OF 1934

Commission File Number 0-5525

PYRAMID OIL COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

CALIFORNIA 94-0787340
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) Identification Number)

2008 - 21ST. STREET, BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

93301 (Zip Code)

(Address of principal executive offices)

(661) 325-1000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes [X] No []

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Date File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files) Yes [] No []

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company.

Large accelerated filer [] Accelerated filer [] Non-accelerated filer [] Smaller reporting company [X]

2.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes $[\]$ No [X]

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the close of the period covered by this report.

(Class)
COMMON STOCK WITHOUT PAR VALUE

(Outstanding at September 30,2009) 4,677,728

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PART I - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Item 1. Financial Statements

PYRAMID OIL COMPANY BALANCE SHEETS ASSETS

September 30,

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	2009	December 31,
	(Unaudited)	2008
CURRENT ASSETS:		
	A1 061 651	41 700 560
Cash and cash equivalents	\$1,261,651	\$1 , 793 , 563
Short-term investments	3,340,743	2,789,099
Trade accounts receivable	315,865	213,588

Income taxes receivable	132,655	
Crude oil inventory	56,165	82 , 025
Prepaid expenses and other assets	58,297	186,353
Deferred income taxes	195,800	108,000
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	5,361,176	5,172,628
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, at cost		
Oil and gas properties and equipment		
(successful efforts method)	15,999,336	
Capitalized asset retirement costs	382 , 550	382 , 550
Drilling and operating equipment	2,109,993	2,109,993
Land, buildings and improvements Automotive, office and other	1,065,371	1,065,371
property and equipment	1,160,617	1,162,324
	20,717,867	20,475,710
Less: accumulated depletion, depreciation, amortization		
and valuation allowance	(16,596,004)	(16,147,157)
	4,121,863	4,328,553
OTHER ASSETS		
Deposits	250,000	250,000
Deferred income taxes	390,945	509 , 245
Other assets	17,013	17,013
	\$10,140,997	\$10,277,439