GOODRICH PETROLEUM CORP Form 8-K February 26, 2009

#### 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 February 25, 2009 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) GOODRICH PETROLEUM CORPORATION (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-12719

76-0466193

(IRS Employer Identification Number)

(Commission File Number) 808 Travis Street, Suite 1320

Houston, Texas 77002

(Address of principal executive offices)

(713) 780-9494

(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:

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

Goodrich Petroleum Corporation (the Company ) issued a press release on February 25, 2009, containing financial and operational results for the year end and fourth quarter 2009. A copy of the Company s press release announcing the financial results is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report on Form 8-K.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the press release shall not be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information and exhibit be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Other Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

## Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release issued February 25, 2009.

### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

# GOODRICH PETROLEUM CORPORATION

(Registrant)

/s/ David R. Looney David R. Looney Executive Vice President & Chief Financial Officer

Dated: February 26, 2009

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