PIONEER NATURAL RESOURCES CO Form 8-K February 22, 2013

# 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): February 21, 2013

# PIONEER NATURAL RESOURCES COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction

1-13245 (Commission 75-2702753 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

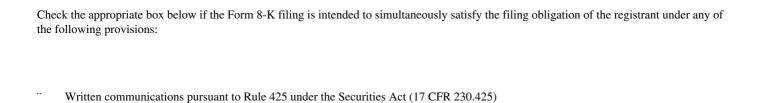
Identification No.)

5205 N. O Connor Blvd., Suite 200, Irving, Texas (Address of principal executive offices) (972) 444-9001 75039 (Zip Code)

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

#### Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)



- " 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 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On February 21, 2013, Scott J. Reiman resigned as a director of Pioneer Natural Resources Company (the Company), effective that date. Mr. Reiman s resignation was not as a result of any disagreement with the Company regarding any matter relating to its operations, policies or practices.

#### **SIGNATURE**

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.

PIONEER NATURAL RESOURCES COMPANY

By: /s/ Mark H. Kleinman Mark H. Kleinman

Vice President, Corporate Secretary and

Chief Compliance Officer

Dated: February 22, 2013