HALLIBURTON CO Form 8-K July 31, 2008

UNITED STATES 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

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): July 25, 2008

HALLIBURTON COMPANY (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-3492 (Commission File Number)

No. 75-2677995 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1401 McKinney, Suite 2400, Houston, Texas (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

77010 (Zip Code)

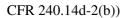
(713) 759-2600 (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable (Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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

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INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN REPORT

Item 8.01. Other Events.

Effective July 25, 2008, David J. Lesar, chairman, president and CEO of Halliburton Company and Ahmed H. Lotfy, President – Eastern Hemisphere of Halliburton Company adopted prearranged trading plans intended to satisfy Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Any transactions under the new plans will be disclosed through Form 4 filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The planned sales are intended for asset diversification and liquidity.

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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.

HALLIBURTON COMPANY

Date: July 31, 2008 By: /s/ Bruce A. Metzinger

Bruce A. Metzinger Assistant Secretary