SANDRIDGE ENERGY INC Form SC 13G November 26, 2007

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

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)*

SandRidge Energy, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

80007P 307

(CUSIP Number)

November 5, 2007

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

o Rule 13d-1(b)

o Rule 13d-1(c)

x Rule 13d-1(d)

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The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) ARES CORPORATE OPPORTUNITIES FUND II, L.P.		
of a Group (See Instructions)		
Sole Voting Power -0-		
Shared Voting Power 7,376,636 (See Item 4)		
Sole Dispositive Power -0-		
Shared Dispositive Power 7,376,636 (See Item 4)		
Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 7,376,636 (See Item 4)		
Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) 0		
Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 5.3%		
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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) ARES SANDRIDGE, L.P.				
2.	Check the Appropri	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)			
	(a)	0			
	(b)	Х			
3.	SEC Use Only				
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization				
	Delaware	C			
	5.		Sole Voting Power		
	5.		-0-		
Number of			-0-		
Number of Shares	6.		Shared Voting Power		
Beneficially			1,996,851 (See Item 4)		
Owned by			1,770,051 (See Rent 4)		
Each	7.		Sole Dispositive Power		
Reporting			-0-		
Person With			0		
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power		
			1,996,851 (See Item 4)		
9.					
1.55.05.00		Beneficially Owned by	Each Reporting Person		
	1,996,851 (See]	nem 4)			
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) 0				
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)				
	1.4%				
12.	Type of Departing I	Darson (Sao Instructions	х х		
12.	PN	Person (See Instructions)		

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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) ARES SANDRIDGE 892 INVESTORS, L.P.		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a (a) (b)	a Member of a Group (See 2 o x	Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organiz Delaware	zation	
	5.		Sole Voting Power -0-
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 3,126,513 (See Item 4)
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power -0-
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 3,126,513 (See Item 4)
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 3,126,513 (See Item 4)		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) O		
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 2.3%		
12.	Type of Reporting Person (See PN	Instructions)	

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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) ARES SANDRIDGE CO-INVEST, LLC		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a (a) (b)	Member of a Group (See I o x	nstructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organiz Delaware	ation	
	5.		Sole Voting Power -0-
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 833,333 (See Item 4)
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power -0-
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 833,333 (See Item 4)
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 833,333 (See Item 4)		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) 0		
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 0.6%		
12.	Type of Reporting Person (See OO	Instructions)	

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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) ACOF MANAGEMENT II, L.P.		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (S (a) 0 (b) x	ee Instructions)	
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware		
	5.	Sole Voting Power -0-	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	6.	Shared Voting Power 12,500,000 (See Item 4)	
	7.	Sole Dispositive Power -0-	
	8.	Shared Dispositive Power 12,500,000 (See Item 4)	
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 12,500,000 (See Item 4)		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) 0		
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 9.0%		
12.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) PN		

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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) ACOF OPERATING MANAGER II, L.P.		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a (a) (b)	Member of a Group (See o x	Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organiz Delaware	cation	
	5.		Sole Voting Power -0-
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	6.		Shared Voting Power 12,500,000 (See Item 4)
	7.		Sole Dispositive Power -0-
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 12,500,000 (See Item 4)
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 12,500,000 (See Item 4)		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) O		
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 9.0%		
12.	Type of Reporting Person (See PN	Instructions)	

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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) ARES MANAGEMENT LLC		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if (a) (b)	a Member of a Group (See o x	Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organi Delaware	zation	
	5.		Sole Voting Power -0-
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 13,333,333 (See Item 4)
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power -0-
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 13,333,333 (See Item 4)
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 13,333,333 (See Item 4)		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) 0		
11.	Percent of Class Represented 9.6%	by Amount in Row (9)	
12.	Type of Reporting Person (Sec OO	e Instructions)	

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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) ARES PARTNERS MANAGEMENT COMPANY, LLC		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box (a) (b)	x if a Member of a G o x	croup (See Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Org Delaware	ganization	
	5.		Sole Voting Power -0-
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 13,333,333 (See Item 4)
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power -0-
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 13,333,333 (See Item 4)
9.	Aggregate Amount Benefic 13,333,333 (See Item		ch Reporting Person

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