

Midstates Petroleum Company, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
May 31, 2012

**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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 30, 2012

**Midstates Petroleum Company, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation or organization)

001-35512  
(Commission  
File Number)

45-3691816  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

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**4400 Post Oak Parkway, Suite 1900**

**Houston, Texas**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (713) 595-9400**

**77027**  
(Zip Code)

**Not Applicable.**

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

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- ..  Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  
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- ..  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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On May 30, 2012, Midstates Petroleum Company, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release reporting results for the quarter ended March 31, 2012. The Company s press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description of Exhibit
99.1	Press Release dated May 30, 2012.

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

**Midstates Petroleum Company, Inc.**  
(Registrant)

Date: May 30, 2012

By: /s/ Thomas L. Mitchell  
Thomas L. Mitchell  
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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