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April 07, 2004

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

April 7, 2004

(Date of Report - Date of earliest event reported)

KERR-McGEE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-16619	73-1612389
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(State of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

Kerr-McGee Center		
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma		73125
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(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)

(405) 270-1313

(Registrant's telephone number)

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

On April 7, 2004, Kerr-McGee Corporation and Westport Resources Corporation issued a joint press release announcing that their boards of directors have unanimously approved a strategic merger. The merged company will be known as Kerr-McGee Corporation and will be headquartered in Oklahoma City. The press release is attached hereto as an exhibit and is incorporated by reference herein.

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Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated April 7, 2004

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.

KERR-MCGEE CORPORATION

By: (John M. Rauh)

John M. Rauh
Vice President and Controller

Dated: April 7, 2004