TIDELANDS OIL & GAS CORP/WA Form 8-K January 15, 2008

## 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: January 9, 2008

(Date of earliest event reported)

TIDELANDS OIL & GAS CORPORATION (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Nevada (State of Other Jurisdiction Incorporation) 0-29613 66-0549380

(Commission File No.) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1862 West Bitters Rd. San Antonio, TX 78248 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number: (210) 764 - 8642

(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 CAR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

Sale of Sonterra Energy Corporation; Repayment of Convertible Debentures

On January 9, 2008, Tidelands Oil & Gas Corporation (the "Company") entered into and consummated a Stock Purchase Agreement for the sale of all the issued and outstanding stock of the Company's wholly-owned subsidiary, Sonterra Energy Corporation ("Sonterra") to Bentley Energy Corporation ("Bentley"). Bentley's primary stockholder is Michael Ward, the Company's former CEO and director, who had a right of first refusal to purchase Sonterra in the event of any sale of Sonterra by the Company.

The total purchase price for the shares of Sonterra is \$3 million, with \$2,925,000 paid on the January 9, 2008 closing date and the remaining \$75,000 due on the earlier of 12 months following the closing, or after all existing litigation involving Sonterra is settled or otherwise resolved. Pursuant to the terms of the Stock Purchase Agreement, immediately prior to the sale, Sonterra terminated its consulting agreement with Jason Jones and paid Mr. Jones the fee owed thereunder equivalent to 2% of the purchase price of Sonterra.

The foregoing summary of the terms of the Stock Purchase Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full and complete terms of such agreement, which is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1.

\$2,374,291 of the proceeds from the sale of Sonterra was immediately used to repay all of the outstanding principal under the Company's convertible debentures, which had a maturity date of January 20, 2008. In addition, \$20,714 will be used to repurchase certain Series A Warrants to purchase 2,071,407 shares of the Company's common stock. The Series A Warrants had originally been issued in connection with the convertible debentures. Series A Warrants to purchase 474,521 shares of Company common stock at \$0.935 per share remain outstanding, as the holders of those Series A Warrants did not accept the Company's offer to purchase such warrants for \$0.01 per share.

#### Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition of Disposition of Assets

See disclosure above in Item 1.01 regarding the Company's sale of all of the issued and outstanding stock of its wholly owned subsidiary, Sonterra Energy Corporation.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

### (b) Unaudited Pro Forma Financial Information

Tidelands Oil & Gas Corporation Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations for the Year Ended December 31, 2006

Tidelands Oil & Gas Corporation Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet as of September 30, 2007

Tidelands Oil & Gas Corporation Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations for the Nine Months Ending September 30, 2007

# TIDELANDS OIL & GAS CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANICAL INFORMATION

The Unaudited Pro forma Condensed Consolidated Financial Information have been prepared by management of Tidelands Oil & Gas Corporation in order to present consolidated statements of operations for the year ended December 31, 2006 and the nine months ended September 30, 2007 as if the disposition occurred on the first day of the period presented. The Unaudited Pro forma Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet at September 30, 2007 has been prepared as if the disposition occurred on September 30, 2007.

The Unaudited Pro forma Condensed Consolidated Financial Information is not necessarily indicative of the actual results of operations which would have been attained had the disposition been consummated at either of the foregoing dates or which may be attained in the future. The Unaudited Pro forma Condensed Consolidated Financial Information should be read in conjunction with Tidelands' Current Report of Form 8-K, in which this presentation is included, dated January 15, 2008, the previously filed Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the SEC on April 17, 2007 and the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed with SEC on November 19, 2007.

## Tidelands Oil & Gas Corporation Unaudited Proforma Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

Revenues	A	As Presented	Pro-Forma Adjustments			Pro-Forma		
Gas Sales and Pipeline Fees	\$	2,041,705	\$ (1,740,870)	(1)	\$	300,835		
Construction Services		180,893	(180,893)	(1)		-		
Total Revenues		2,222,598	(1,921,763)			300,835		
Costs and Expenses								
Cost of Sales		1,173,561	(1,167,602)	(1)		5,959		
Operating Expenses		420,200	(343,090)	(1)		77,110		
Depreciation		466,241	(126,844)	(1)		339,397		
Selling, General and Administrative		6,446,652	(546,133)	(1)		5,900,519		
Reserve for Litigation		2,250,000	-			2,250,000		
Total Costs and Expenses		10,756,654	(2,183,669)			8,572,985		
Loss from Operations		(8,534,056)	261,906			(8,272,150)		
Other Income (Expenses)								
Loss on Sales of Assets		(5,907)	4,500	(1)		(1,407)		
Miscellaneous Income (Expenses)		(6,605)	(258)	(1)		(6,863)		
Interest Expense		115,421	(8,366)	(1)		107,055		
Interest and Dividend Income		(3,405,778)	1,629	(1)		(3,404,149)		
Total Other Income (Expenses)		(3,302,869)	(2,495)			(3,305,364)		
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Net (Loss)	\$	(11,836,925)	\$ 259,411		\$	(11,577,514)		
Net (Loss) per Common Share,								
Basic and Diluted	\$	(0.15)	\$ 0.01	(1)	\$	(0.14)		
Weighted Average Number of								
Common Shares Outstanding,								
Basic and Diluted		80,475,359				80,475,359		

Pro-Forma Adjustments for the Year Ended December 31, 2006 presented above include:

<sup>(1)</sup> To reverse all income and expense items incurred by Sonterra Energy Corporation for the period.

## Tidelands Oil & Gas Corporation Unaudited Proforma Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet September 30, 2007

	A	As Presented Pro-Forma Adjustments				Pro-Forma		
Assets Current Assets:								
Cash	\$	818,173	\$	336,852	(2)	\$	1,137,547	
	·	ŕ		(17,478)	(1)			
Accounts and Other Receivables		422,462		(123,566)	(1)		298,896	
Inventory		102,315		(102,315)	(1)		-	
Prepaid Expenses		329,608		(23,513)	(1)		306,095	
Total Current Assets		1,672,558		69,980			1,742,358	
Property and Equipment, Net		9,718,681		(1,847,887)	(1)		7,870,794	
Investment in Affiliate		210,980		_			210,980	
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Other Assets:								
Deposits		252,762		(2,550)	(1)		325,212	
				75,000	(2)			
Cash - Restricted		54,120		-			54,120	
Goodwill		1,158,937		(126,437)	(3)		673,991	
		-		(358,509)	(1)		-	
Total Other Assets		1,465,819		(412,496)			1,053,323	
Total Assets	\$	13,068,038	\$	(2,190,403)		\$	10,877,635	
Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity								
Current Liabilities:								
Current Maturities - Note Payable	\$	7,410,514	\$	(2,374,291)	(4)	\$	5,036,223	
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses		2,554,299		(211,498)	(1)		2,342,801	
Customer Deposits		10,350		(10,350)	(1)		-	
Reserve for Litigation		2,250,000		-			2,250,000	
Total Current Liabilities		12,225,163		(2,596,139)			9,629,024	
Long-Term Debt		-		-			-	
Total Liabilities		12,225,163		(2,596,139)			9,629,024	
Stockholders' Equity		842,875		2,522,398	(3)		1,248,611	
				158,022	(3)			
				(20,714)	(5)			

	-	(2,253,970) (2)	1)	-
Total Stockholders' Equity	842,875	405,736		1,248,611
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$ 13,068,038	\$ (2,190,403)	\$	10,877,635

Pro-forma adjustments for the Balance Sheet at September 30, 2007 presented above include:

- (1) To eliminate all asset, liability and stockholder equity accounts of Sonterra Energy Corporation included in the September 30, 2007 Balance Sheet presented above.
- (2) To record net cash proceeds of the sale including \$336,852 added to current cash available and \$75,000 added to deposits for possible utilization regarding ongoing litigation of Sonterra Energy Corporation.
- (3) To record \$158,022 gain on sale of Sonterra Energy Corporation; to record elimination of Sonterra Energy Corporation's basis of \$2,522,398 on the Consolidated Balance Sheets; to record elimination of goodwill in the amount of \$126,437.
- (4) To record payment of \$2,374,291 to holders of convertible debentures due January 20, 2008.
- (5) To record purchase of 2,107,215 Series A Warrants with a January 20, 2009 expiration date for \$20,714.

## Tidelands Oil & Gas Corporation Unaudited Proforma Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2007

		Pro-Forma As Presented Adjustments			Pro-Forma	
Revenues						
Gas Sales and Pipeline Fees	\$	1,739,947	\$	(1,598,229)	(1)	\$ 141,718
Construction Services		240,619		(240,619)	(1)	-
Total Revenues		1,980,566		(1,838,848)		141,718
Costs and Expenses						
Cost of Sales		1,237,620		(1,024,260)	(1)	213,360
Operating Expenses		261,247		(213,706)	(1)	47,541
Depreciation		79,368		(38,204)	(1)	41,164
Impairment Loss		2,605,061		-		2,605,061
Share-based Compensation -						
Related Parties		5,011,763		-		5,011,763
Selling, General and						
Administrative		2,757,058		(306,361)	(1)	2,450,697
Total Costs and Expenses		11,952,117		(1,582,531)		10,369,586
Loss from Operations		(9,971,551)		(256,317)		(10,227,868)
Other Income (Expenses)						
Loss on Sales of Assets		(179,443)		(113)	(1)	(179,556)
Interest Expense		(774,175)		1,871	(1)	(772,304)
Interest and Dividend Income		10,951		(9,462)	(1)	1,489
Gain on Sale of Subsidiary		156,480		-		156,480
Miscellaneous Income						
(Expenses)		95,523		(2,133)	(1)	93,390
Total Other Income (Expenses)		(690,664)		(9,837)		(700,501)
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Net (Loss)	\$	(10,662,215)	\$	(266,154)		\$ (10,928,369)
Net (Loss) per Common Share,						
Basic and Diluted	\$	(0.11)	\$	(0.00)		\$ (0.11)
Weighted Average Number of Comi	non Sh	ares Outstanding,				
Basic and Diluted		97,199,835				97,199,835

Pro-forma adjustment for the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2007 include:

<sup>(1)</sup> To reverse all income and expense items incurred by Sonterra Energy Corporation for the period.

(d) **Exhibits** 

Exhibit Description of Exhibit No.

Stock Purchase Agreement dated as of January 9, 2008 10.1

#### **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.

#### TIDELANDS OIL & GAS CORPORATION

Date: January 15, 2008 By: /s/ James B. Smith

James B. Smith

President and Chief Executive

Officer