
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): October 27, 2004

CROSSTEX ENERGY, L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE 000-50067 16-1616605

(State or Other Jurisdiction of (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Incorporation or Organization)

2501 CEDAR SPRINGS, SUITE 600
DALLAS, TEXAS 75201

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (214) 953-9500

(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 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

The Registrant hereby incorporates by reference into this Item 7.01 the information set forth in its press release, dated October 27, 2004, a copy of which is included as an exhibit to this Current Report. In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information set forth in this Item 7.01 and in the attached exhibit are deemed to be furnished and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act").

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information set forth in the attached exhibit are deemed to be furnished and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act.

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99.1 -- Press release dated October 27, 2004.

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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.

CROSSTEX ENERGY, L.P.

By: Crosstex Energy GP, L.P., its General Partner

By: Crosstex Energy GP, LLC, its General Partner

Date: October 27, 2004 By: /s/ William W. Davis

William W. Davis Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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Crosstex Increases Distributions for Sixth Consecutive Quarter; Corporation Increases Dividends for Second Consecutive Quarter

DALLAS, Oct. 27 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- The Crosstex Energy companies, Crosstex Energy, L.P. (Nasdaq: XTEX) (the Partnership) and Crosstex Energy, Inc. (Nasdaq: XTXI) (the Corporation), today announced an increase in third quarter distributions and dividends. The companies have increased distributions and dividends every quarter since the initial public offering of each company.

Third quarter distributions and dividends are as follows.

- -- Quarterly distributions on the Partnership's common and subordinated
 - units will increase from \$0.42 per unit to \$0.43 per unit, payable November 18 to unitholders of record on November 5.
- -- Quarterly dividends on the Corporation's common stock will increase from \$0.33 per common share to \$0.35 per common share, payable November 18 to shareholders of record on November 5.

"Quarterly distributions from the Partnership have increased 23 percent since the third quarter of last year, and in just six months since the first declared dividend by the Corporation, quarterly dividends have increased 17 percent," said Barry E. Davis, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Crosstex Energy companies. "Again, these increases are a direct reflection of the growth in third quarter operating results and our commitment to share that growth with our unitholders and shareholders."

About the Crosstex Energy Companies

Crosstex Energy, L.P., a mid-stream natural gas company headquartered in Dallas, operates over 4,500 miles of pipeline, five processing plants, and over 60 natural gas amine treating plants. Crosstex currently provides services for over 1.5 BCF/day of natural gas.

Crosstex Energy Inc. owns the general partner, a 54.3 percent limited partner interest and the incentive distribution rights of Crosstex Energy, L.P.

Additional information about the Crosstex companies can be found at http://www.crosstexenergy.com.

This press release contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. All statements other than statements of historical facts included or incorporated herein may constitute forward-looking statements. Although the companies believe that the expectations reflected in the forward-looking statements are reasonable, they can give no assurance that such expectations will prove to be correct.

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SOURCE Crosstex Energy, Inc.

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