
**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): December 1, 2006

CROSSTEX ENERGY, L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

000-50067

(Commission File
Number)

16-1616605

(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

**2501 CEDAR SPRINGS
DALLAS, TEXAS**

(Address of principal executive offices)

75201

(Zip Code)

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

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

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On December 1, 2006, Crosstex Energy GP, LLC, the general partner of Crosstex Energy GP, L.P., the general partner of Crosstex Energy, L.P. (the "Partnership"), announced that A. Chris Aulds, who currently serves as the Executive Vice President — Public and Governmental Affairs of Crosstex Energy GP, LLC, will be taking a personal leave of absence beginning on January 1, 2007. The Partnership expects the duration of Mr. Aulds' leave of absence to extend for six to nine months. Mr. Aulds will continue to serve in his capacity as Executive Vice President — Public and Governmental Affairs through the end of the 2006 calendar year.

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: December 7, 2006

By: /s/ William W. Davis

William W. Davis
Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer