
**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): February 5, 2009

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)

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)
 - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
 - 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))
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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On February 5, 2009, Crosstex Energy, L.P. (the "Partnership") issued a press release announcing that the Board of Directors of Crosstex Energy GP, LLC (the "Board"), the general partner of Crosstex Energy GP, L.P., the general partner of the Partnership, has elected Rhys J. Best as Chairman and appointed Kyle D. Vann to the Board's audit committee. Barry E. Davis remains President and Chief Executive Officer of the Partnership and Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Crosstex Energy, Inc., which owns the two percent general partner interest, a 34 percent limited partner interest and the incentive distribution rights of the Partnership. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. 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 shall be deemed to be "furnished" and not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act").

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) *Exhibits.*

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

<u>EXHIBIT NUMBER</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
99.1	— Press Release dated February 5, 2009.

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: February 5, 2009

By: /s/ William W. Davis
William W. Davis
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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Press Release dated February 5, 2009.



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
FEBRUARY 5, 2009

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**RHYS J. BEST ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF CROSSTEX ENERGY, L.P. BOARD OF DIRECTORS;
KYLE D. VANN APPOINTED TO AUDIT COMMITTEE**

*Barry E. Davis Remains President and CEO of Partnership and
Chairman, President and CEO of Crosstex Energy, Inc.*

DALLAS, February 5, 2009 --- Crosstex Energy, L.P. (NASDAQ:XTEX) (the Partnership) announced today that the Board of Directors of Crosstex Energy GP, LLC, the general partner of Crosstex Energy GP, L.P., the general partner of the Partnership, has elected Rhys J. Best as Chairman and appointed Kyle D. Vann to the Board's audit committee. Barry E. Davis remains President and Chief Executive Officer of Crosstex Energy, L.P. (the Partnership) and Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Crosstex Energy, Inc. (NASDAQ:XTXI) (the Corporation). Mr. Best joined the Partnership's Board in 2003 and was named the Board's lead director in 2008.

"Rhys is a tremendous resource to the Partnership Board and Crosstex's management team. He has extensive experience in the energy and banking industries, and has led companies through challenging business cycles," said Barry E. Davis, Crosstex President and Chief Executive Officer. "I look forward to working with Rhys in his expanded role as Chairman of the Partnership's Board."

Mr. Best is the former Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Lone Star Technologies, Inc., acquired by United States Steel Corporation in 2007. Prior to joining Lone Star, he held several leadership positions during his 20-year banking career.

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Vann appointed to audit committee

Mr. Vann, who joined the Board in 2006, will serve as the third independent member of the audit committee of Crosstex Energy GP, LLC, the general partner of Crosstex Energy GP, L.P., the general partner of the Partnership, which had consisted of two independent members since August 2008.

About the Crosstex Energy Companies

Crosstex Energy, L.P., a midstream natural gas company headquartered in Dallas, operates approximately 5,700 miles of pipeline, 12 processing plants, four fractionators, and approximately 195 natural gas amine-treating plants and dew-point control plants. Crosstex currently provides services for 4.0 billion cubic feet per day of natural gas, or approximately eight percent of marketed U.S. daily production.

Crosstex Energy, Inc. owns the two percent general partner interest, a 34 percent limited partner interest, and the incentive distribution rights of Crosstex Energy, L.P.

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

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