CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC Form 8-K May 05, 2016

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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): May 4, 2016

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Oklahoma

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-32886 (Commission File Number) 73-0767549 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

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20 N. Broadway

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code) (405) 234-9000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(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:

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On May 4, 2016, Continental Resources, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing its first quarter 2016 financial and operating results and updating certain previously issued guidance. A copy of the press release is being furnished as an exhibit to this report on Form 8-K.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

Reference materials in connection with the first quarter 2016 earnings call scheduled for May 5, 2016 at 12:00 p.m. Eastern time (11:00 a.m. Central time) will be available on the Company s web site at www.CLR.com prior to the start of the call.

In the May 4, 2016 press release, the Company also announced its planned participation in the following research conferences:

May 25, 2016 UBS Oil and Gas Conference, Austin, Texas

June 27, 2016 Inaugural J.P. Morgan Energy Equity Investor Conference, New York, New York

Presentation materials for all conferences mentioned above will be available on the Company s web site at www.CLR.com on or prior to the day of the presentations.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press release dated May 4, 2016

SIGNATURE

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.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC. (Registrant)

Dated: May 4, 2016

By: /s/ John D. Hart John D. Hart

Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and

Treasurer

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