

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC  
Form 8-K  
May 01, 2014

**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): April 29, 2014**

**CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC.**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Oklahoma**  
**(State or other jurisdiction of**  
**incorporation or organization)**

**001-32886**  
**(Commission**  
**File Number)**

**73-0767549**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**  
**Identification No.)**

**20 N. Broadway**

**Oklahoma City, Oklahoma**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**73102**  
**(Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (405) 234-9000**

**(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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On April 29, 2014, Richard E. Muncrief, Senior Vice President, Operations of Continental Resources, Inc. (the Company ), submitted his resignation to be effective as of the close of business on May 1, 2014. Mr. Muncrief resigned in order to accept a position as President and Chief Executive Officer of WPX Energy, Inc.

On April 30, 2014, the Company s Board of Directors appointed Mr. Gary E. Gould to succeed Mr. Muncrief as Senior Vice President of Operations and Resource Development, effective as of May 1, 2014. Mr. Gould previously served as Vice President of Resource Development.

A copy of the press release announcing this change is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

**Exhibit**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press release dated May 1, 2014.

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

**CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC.**  
(Registrant)

Date: May1, 2014

By: /s/ John D. Hart  
*John D. Hart*  
*Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and*  
*Treasurer*

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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\* Filed herewith