ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP Form 8-K September 14, 2006

# 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) September 14, 2006 (September 14, 2006)

#### ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-8968 76-0146568

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

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

#### 1201 Lake Robbins Drive The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

(Address of principal executive offices including Zip Code) (832) 636-1000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N.A.

(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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)

#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On September 14, Anadarko announced it has agreed to sell its wholly owned subsidiary, Anadarko Canada Corporation, to Canadian Natural Resources Ltd. This information is contained in the press release included in this report as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits:

#### **Exhibit**

No. Document

99.1 Press Release.

#### **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.

ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Dated: September 14, 2006 By: /s/ Bruce W. Busmire

Bruce W. Busmire, Vice President and

Chief Accounting Officer

### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

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99.1 Press Release.