

Yuma Energy, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
October 29, 2014

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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: October 27, 2014  
(Date of earliest event reported)

Yuma Energy, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| CALIFORNIA<br>(State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation) | 001-32989<br>(Commission File<br>Number) | 94-0787340<br>(IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |
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1177 West Loop South, Suite 1825  
Houston, Texas 77027  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(713) 968-7000  
(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:

- 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 8.01. Other Events.

On October 27, 2014, Yuma Energy, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing that it closed its underwritten public offering of 477,273 shares of its 9.25% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock (the “Series A Preferred Stock”) at a public offering price of \$22.00 per share on October 23, 2014, and that it closed an overallotment of 30,466 shares of the Series A Preferred Stock at a public offering price of \$22.00 per share on October 24, 2014. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is filed with this Current Report on Form 8-K:

| Exhibit<br>No. | Description                           |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|
| 99.1           | Press Release dated October 27, 2014. |

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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.

YUMA ENERGY, INC.

Date: October 29, 2014

By: /s/ Sam L. Banks  
Sam L. Banks  
Chief Executive Officer and  
President

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EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit<br>No. | Description                           |
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| 99.1           | Press Release dated October 27, 2014. |