

CALLON PETROLEUM CO

Form 8-K

September 05, 2007

**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  
**August 31, 2007**  
*(Date of earliest event reported)*  
**Callon Petroleum Company**  
*(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)***

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

**001-14039**  
*(Commission File Number)*

**64-0844345**  
*(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)*

**200 North Canal St.  
Natchez, Mississippi 39120**  
*(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)*  
**(601) 442-1601**  
*(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)*

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):

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Section 1 Registrant's Business and Operations**

**Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On August 31, 2007, Callon Petroleum Operating Company, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Callon Petroleum Company entered into a Production Handling Agreement with ConocoPhillips and Devon Energy Corporations. The agreement provides that the crude oil and natural gas production from Callon's Entrada Field located in Garden Banks Blocks 738, 782, 785, 826 and 827 in the Gulf of Mexico will be processed by the Magnolia production platform located on the adjacent block, Garden Banks Block 783, which is owned by ConocoPhillips and Devon.

A copy of the press release announcing the execution of the agreement is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

**Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

| <b>Exhibit Number</b> | <b>Title of Document</b>                                                                                                                                                                           |
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| 99.1                  | Press release dated September 4, 2007 announcing the execution of a Production Handling Agreement by and between Callon Petroleum Operating Company, ConocoPhillips and Devon Energy Corporations. |

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.

**Callon Petroleum Company**

September 5, 2007

By: /s/ B. F. Weatherly  
B. F. Weatherly  
Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

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