DCP Midstream Partners, LP Form 8-K December 31, 2008

#### 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): December 30, 2008

DCP MIDSTREAM PARTNERS, LP (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-32678 (Commission File Number) 03-0567133 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

370 17th Street, Suite 2775 Denver, Colorado 80202 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (303) 633-2900

(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))

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors

DCP Midstream Partners, LP (the "Partnership") issued a press release on December 30, 2008, announcing the resignation of Fred J. Fowler as a director of the Board of Directors of the Partnership's ultimate general partner, DCP Midstream GP, LLC and the appointment of Alan N. Harris to the Board of Directors as a Spectra Energy representative, effective January 1, 2009. Mr. Fowler announced his retirement from Spectra Energy last June with an effective date at the end of this year. There were no disagreements between Mr. Fowler and the Partnership regarding any matter or relating to the Partnership's operations, policies or practices.

Mr. Harris currently serves as chief development and operations officer of Spectra Energy, an affiliate of the General Partner. There is no arrangement or understanding between either Mr. Harris and any other persons pursuant to which he was selected as a director. The Board of Directors of the General Partner did not name Mr. Harris to any committees of the Board of Directors at this time.

The General Partner serves as the ultimate general partner of the Partnership, holding a general partner interest in the Partnership. DCP Midstream, LLC currently owns 100% of the General Partner, which allows it to control the Partnership, and owns a 28.8% limited partner interest in the Partnership. DCP Midstream, LLC is a joint venture equally owned by Spectra Energy and ConocoPhillips. For relationships between the Partnership, the General Partner, DCP Midstream, LLC and its affiliates, please read Item 13 "Certain Relationships and Related Transactions, and Director Independence", which is incorporated herein by reference from the Partnership's annual report on Form 10-K, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 10, 2008.

The press release announcing these changes is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number Description Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated December 30, 2008.

#### 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.

#### DCP MIDSTREAM PARTNERS, LP

By:

DCP MIDSTREAM GP, LP its General Partner

By: DCP MIDSTREAM GP, LLC its General Partner

By:/s/ Michael S. Richards Name: Michael S. Richards Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

December 30, 2008

# EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number DescriptionExhibit 99.1Press Release dated December 30, 2008.