

TRANS ENERGY INC
Form 8-K
October 02, 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): October 2, 2014 (October 1, 2014)

TRANS ENERGY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

NEVADA
(State or other jurisdiction

0-23530
(Commission

93-0997412
(IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

210 Second Street, P.O. Box 393, St. Marys, West Virginia 26170

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(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (304) 684-7053

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- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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Item 7.01 Regulation FD.

On October 1, 2014, Trans Energy, Inc. pleaded guilty to three misdemeanor charges related to Unauthorized Discharge into a Water of the United States in violation of the Clean Water Act. In connection with this plea, the Company agreed to pay a \$600,000 fine and was placed on probation for a period of two years. This fine was consistent with the amount the Company anticipated as disclosed in the Form 8-K filed September 3, 2014, that described the civil settlement reached with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

As a result of this plea and the previously disclosed settlement agreement, all civil and criminal matters arising out of the EPA 's investigation and complaints arising out of the ponds in Marshall and Wetzel Counties West Virginia have been resolved.

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.

TRANS ENERGY, INC.

Date: October 2, 2014

By /s/ John Corp
John Corp

President

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