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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

September 24, 2002

Chate of Report - Date of earliest event reported)

KERR-McGEE CORPORATION
-----(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Kerr-McGee Center
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73125
----(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(405) 270-1313
------(Registrant's telephone number)

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

On September 24, 2002, Kerr-McGee Corporation will hold a conference call to discuss its third-quarter 2002 financial and operating results and expectations for the future. During the conference call, the company will discuss certain expectations for oil

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and natural gas production volumes for the year 2002. A table providing the projection ranges of 2002 average daily oil and natural gas production is furnished below.

Kerr-McGee Corp.
Projected Daily Average Production Volumes **

As of September 2002

		2002 Production Forecast			
	1-Qtr-A	2-Qtr	3-Qtr		
Crude Oil					
(BOPD)					
Onshore	29,100 - 29,100	29,400 - 29,4	100 27 , 500 - 29 , 000	26,5	
Offshore	53,300 - 53,300	54,300 - 54,3	, ,	60,0	
U.S.	82,400 - 82,400	83,700 - 83,7		86,5	
North Sea	113,600 - 113,600	97,000 - 97,0	95,000 - 100,000	77 , 0	
Other International	8,800 - 8,800 	8,500 - 8,5	7,000 - 7,500	2 , 5	
Total	204,800 - 204,800	189,200 - 189,2 ======= =====	200 183,000 - 191,500	166 , 0	

Natural Gas (MMCF/D)	1-Qtr-A	2-Qtr	3-Qtr	
Onshore Offshore	383 - 383 244 - 244	379 - 379 253 - 253	380 - 400 295 - 315	3 3 -
U.S.	627 - 627 	632 - 632 	675 - 715 	- 6 -
North Sea	101 - 101	99 - 99	105 - 125	1
Other International	0 - 0	0 - 0	0 - 0	_
Total	728 - 728 === ===	731 - 731 === ===	780 - 840 === ===	7
BOE/D	326,100 -326,100 ======	311,000 - 311,000 	313,000 - 331,500 	297 , 7

Note:

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Projections based upon the capital program of 1 billion as revised on July 24, 2002.

Excludes results of operations from Kazakhstan and Indonesia which have been reclassified as discontinued operations. Volumes associated with the announced sale of Northern North Sea properties are included through the third quarter of 2002. Volumes associated with the sale of operations in Ecuador are included through the closing date of Sept. 10, 2002. All other properties that are held for sale are included in projected volumes through year end. Projected volumes will be adjusted as the sales are consumated.

** Cautionary Statement Concerning Forward-Looking Statements

The information contained in this table regarding Kerr-McGee's projected production volume forecasts are only estimated projections that may or may not occur in the future, and constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Future results and developments $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right) +\left(1\right) \left(1\right) +\left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left(1\right) +\left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left(1\right) +\left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left(1\right) +\left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left(1\right) +\left(1\right) \left(1\right)$ uncertainties, factors and risks, such as but not limited to the accuracy of the assumptions that underlie the statement, the success of the oil and gas exploration and production program, drilling risks, market value of oil and gas, uncertainties in interpreting engineering data, general economic conditions and other factors and risks discussed in Kerr-McGee's SEC filings. Actual results and developments may differ materially from those expressed or implied in this statement. Therefore, the information contained in this statement may not be accurate. Kerr-McGee does not undertake to update, revise or correct any of the forward-looking information.

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.

KERR-MCGEE CORPORATION

By: (John M. Rauh)

John M. Rauh

Vice President and Controller

Dated: September 24, 2002