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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: August 4, 2010 EL PASO CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 1-14365 (Commission File Number) 76-0568816 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

El Paso Building 1001 Louisiana Street Houston, Texas 77002

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (713) 420-2600

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

## **Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On August 4, 2010, we are announcing earnings results for the quarter ended June 30, 2010. A copy of our earnings release is attached as Exhibit 99.A. On August 4, 2010, we will make our slide presentation and financial reporting package used for our earnings web cast available on our website at *www.elpaso.com*. The corresponding exhibit listed under Item 9.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is not filed, but is furnished to comply with Item 2.02 of Form 8-K.

#### **Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

ExhibitNumberDescription99.APress Release dated August 4, 2010.

## 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 thereunto duly authorized.

#### **EL PASO CORPORATION**

By: /s/ John R. Sult John R. Sult Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

Dated: August 4, 2010

# EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

Number Description

99.A Press Release dated August 4, 2010.