

Pacific Ethanol, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
November 09, 2007

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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**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

**November 9, 2007**

**PACIFIC ETHANOL, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-21467**

(Commission File Number)

**41-2170618**

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**400 Capitol Mall, Suite 2060**

**Sacramento, California**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**95814**

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

**(916) 403-2123**

(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR

240.13e-4(c))

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

On November 9, 2007, Pacific Ethanol, Inc. issued a press release announcing certain results of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2007. A copy of the press release is furnished (not filed) as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

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

(a) Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired.

Not applicable.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

Not applicable.

(c) Shell Company Transactions.

Not applicable.

(d) Exhibits.

<u>Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release dated November 9, 2007

**SIGNATURE**

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.

Date: November 9, 2007

PACIFIC ETHANOL, INC.

By: /S/ CHRISTOPHER W. WRIGHT

Christopher W. Wright

Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

**EXHIBITS FILED WITH THIS REPORT**

<u>Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release dated November 9, 2007