

NOBLE ENERGY INC  
Form 8-K  
November 10, 2004

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**

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**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 6, 2004**

**NOBLE ENERGY, INC.**

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(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

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**001-07964**

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**73-0785597**

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(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

Commission  
File Number

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**100 Glenborough, Suite 100  
Houston, Texas**

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**77067**

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(Address of principal executive  
offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(281) 872-3100**

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(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, 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 8.01. Other Events.**

It is with deep sadness that the Board of Directors of Noble Energy, Inc, announces the death of director Dale P. Jones. Mr. Jones served as a director of the Company since 1998. Please see the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1.

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

(c) Exhibits. The following exhibits are furnished as part of this current Report on Form 8-K:

99.1 Press Release dated November 9, 2004

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

NOBLE ENERGY, INC.

Date: November 9, 2004

By: /s/ Arnold J. Johnson  
Arnold J. Johnson  
Vice President, General Counsel &  
Secretary

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99.1 Press Release date November 9, 2004