

URANERZ ENERGY CORP.  
Form 8-K  
August 01, 2012

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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 \**

**August 1, 2012**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

**URANERZ ENERGY CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**NEVADA**

(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**001-32974**

(Commission File Number)

**98-0365605**

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**1701 East E Street  
PO Box 50850**

**Casper, Wyoming, USA**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**85605**

(Zip Code)

**604-689-1659**

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

**NOT APPLICABLE**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

Departure of Director and Officer

On July 31, 2012, Mr. George Hartman, a Director and the Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of the Registrant, announced his retirement as a Director and Officer of the Company effective September 15, 2012. Mr. Hartman is not resigning as the result of any disputes, claims or issues with the Registrant.

**Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On August 1, 2012, the Registrant issued the attached news release entitled Uranerz George Hartman to Retire .

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information in Item 7.01 of this Report, including the exhibit attached hereto which is incorporated herein by reference, shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ( the Exchange Act ), nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**Item 9.01. Exhibits.**

The following Exhibit relating to Item 7.01 is intended to be furnished to, not filed with, the SEC pursuant to Regulation FD.

Exhibit No. Description

(99.1) Press Release dated August 1, 2012\*

\*Furnished to the Commission pursuant to Item 7.01 above.

**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.

**URANERZ ENERGY CORPORATION**

**DATE: August 1, 2012**

By: /s/ *Sandra MacKay*

**Sandra MacKay**  
**Corporate Secretary**