ATWOOD OCEANICS INC Form 8-K May 01, 2013

UNITED STATES

DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED: May 1, 2013		
ATWOOD OCEANICS, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)		
TEXAS (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)		
374		
(281) 749-7800 (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)		
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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))		

ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

Information with respect to the Company's Fleet Status Report at May 1, 2013 is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report and is incorporated herein by reference. Such information is being furnished under Regulation FD and should not be deemed to be filed under Section 19 of the Exchange Act.

SECTION 9 – FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) EXHIBITS

The exhibit to this report furnished pursuant to item 7.01 is as follows:

99.1 Fleet Status Report at May 1, 2013

EXHIBIT INDEX

EXHIBIT NO DESCRIPTION

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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.

ATWOOD OCEANICS, INC (Registrant)

/s/ Mark L. Mey Mark L. Mey Senior Vice President

DATE: May 1, 2013