OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP /DE/ Form 8-K May 23, 2007

# 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 (Date of earliest event reported) May 22, 2007

## OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-9210 (Commission File Number) 95-4035997 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

10889 Wilshire Boulevard
Los Angeles, California
(Address of principal executive offices)

**90024** (ZIP code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

(310) 208-8800

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

Section 7 Regulation FD
Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure
Attached as Exhibit 99.1 is a presentation made by Occidental management in connection with the May 23, 2007, UBS 2007 Global Oil & Ga Conference.
Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits
Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.
(d) Exhibits
Presentation of May 23, 2007.
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#### 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.

OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORPORATION (Registrant)

DATE: May 22, 2007

/s/ Jim A. Leonard Jim A. Leonard, Vice President and Controller (Principal Accounting and Duly Authorized Officer)

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