

VALERO ENERGY CORP/TX  
Form 8-K  
September 08, 2009

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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**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): 09/08/2009**

**Valero Energy Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Commission File Number: 1-13175**

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**74-1828067**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**One Valero Way**  
San Antonio, Texas  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(210) 345-2000**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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:

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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**

On September 8, 2009, Valero Energy Corporation (the "Company") issued a press release announcing decisions made by the Company with respect to certain underperforming operations. A copy of the press release is furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.01 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

Exhibit 99.01 - Press release dated September 8, 2009.

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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.

Valero Energy Corporation

Date: September 08, 2009

By: /s/ Jay D. Browning

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Jay D. Browning  
Senior Vice President-Corporate Law and Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
EX-99.01	press release dated Sept. 8, 2009