

CHINA NORTH EAST PETROLEUM HOLDINGS LTD
Form 8-K
October 27, 2011

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): October 25, 2011

CHINA NORTH EAST PETROLEUM
HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in Charter)

Nevada
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

001-34378
(Commission File No.)

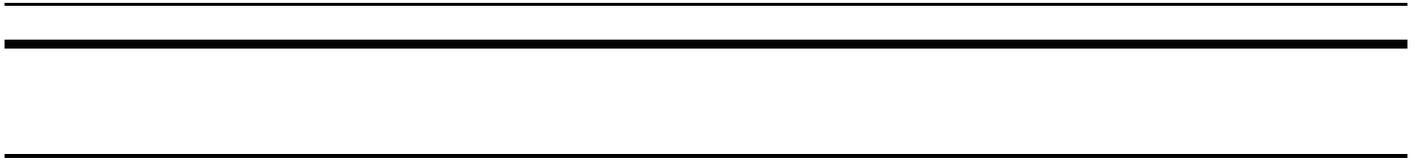
87-0638750
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

445 Park Avenue, New York, New
York 10022
(Address of Principal Executive
Offices)

(212) 307 3568
(Issuer Telephone Number)

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



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

(b) Edward Rule, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Company, advised the Board on October 25, 2011 that he does not intend to run for re-election as a member of the Board of Directors at the 2011 Annual Meeting of the Company, and will retire as Chairman of the Board and a Director effective upon conclusion of the 2011 Annual Meeting. Mr. Rule has served as a member of our Board of Directors since 2008. Mr. Rule's decision to retire is not a result of any disagreement with us relating to our operations, policies or practices.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 27, 2011

China North East Petroleum Holdings Limited
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Jingfu Li
Jingfu Li
Acting Chief Executive
Officer

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Senior Vice President Law, General Counsel and Secretary

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Exhibit No.	Description
3.1	Restated Certificate of Incorporation, as amended, of Arch Coal, Inc.