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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 3, 2001 (OCTOBER 2, 2001)

CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORPORATION (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

OKLAHOMA 1-13726 _____ _____

of incorporation)

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File No.) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

6100 NORTH WESTERN AVENUE, OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73118 ______ (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(405) 848-8000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

On October 2, 2001, Chesapeake Energy Corporation issued a press release announcing the sale of its Canadian subsidiary, confirmation of hedge positions and \$50 million stock buyback program.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

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- (C) Exhibits. The following exhibit is filed herewith:
- 99. Press Release issued by the Registrant on October 2, 2001.

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SIGNATURE

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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.

CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORPORATION

BY: /s/ AUBREY K. MCCLENDON

AUBREY K. MCCLENDON Chairman of the Board and

Chief Executive Officer

Dated: October 3, 2001

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EXHIBIT INDEX

EXHIBIT	DESCRIPTION

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