EL PASO CORP/DE Form 8-K May 29, 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: May 29, 2007

## **EL PASO CORPORATION**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 1-14365 (Commission File Number) 76-0568816 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

El Paso Building 1001 Louisiana Street Houston, Texas 77002

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (713) 420-2600

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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240.14a-12)

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# **Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On May 29, 2007, El Paso Exploration & Production Company ("EPEP"), our wholly-owned subsidiary, announced that it has commenced a cash tender offer and a related consent solicitation for its outstanding 7¾ Senior Notes due 2013. The tender offer and consent solicitation are conditioned on our completion of a public offering and sale of new El Paso Corporation notes. We intend to transfer the net proceeds from such offering to EPEP for purposes of funding EPEP's purchase of the notes in connection with the tender offer and the payment for consents in connection with the consent solicitation. This Form 8-K and the Exhibit hereto are not an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy any securities. A copy of EPEP's press release announcing the tender offer and consent solicitation is attached as Exhibit 99.A.

# **Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number Description

99.A Press Release dated May 29, 2007.

## **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.

## **EL PASO CORPORATION**

**By:** /s/ John R. Sult

John R. Sult

Senior Vice President and Controller

(Principal Accounting Officer)

Dated: May 29, 2007

# **EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit Number Description

99.A Press Release dated May 29, 2007.