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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 13D**

**Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No. 6 )\***

**CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORPORATION**

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$.01

(Title of Class of Securities)

165167 10 7

(CUSIP Number)

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Receive Notices and Communications)

February 29, 2008

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

1 Tom L. Ward

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

2 (a)   
(b)

SEC USE ONLY

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SOURCE OF FUNDS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

4 PF

CHECK IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e)

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CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

6 USA

SOLE VOTING POWER

7  
NUMBER OF 23,816,390  
23,800,796 of such shares are subject to forward sale agreements

SHARED VOTING POWER

8  
SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 0

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

EACH  
9

REPORTING

PERSON 23,816,390  
23,800,796 of such shares are subject to forward sale agreements

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

10  
0

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

23,816,390

12 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

4.65%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

IN

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PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

This Amendment No. 6 to Schedule 13D is filed by Tom L. Ward with respect to his beneficial ownership of Chesapeake Energy Corporation stock. This Amendment No. 6 to Schedule 13D amends the initial statement on Schedule 13D filed by the group consisting of Mr. Ward and TLW Investments Inc. ( TLW ) on February 22, 2006, Amendment No. 1 to Schedule 13D filed by Mr. Ward and TLW on March 29, 2006, Amendment No. 2 to Schedule 13D filed by Mr. Ward and TLW on April 28, 2006, Amendment No. 3 filed by Mr. Ward and TLW on May 17, 2006, Amendment No. 4 filed by Mr. Ward and TLW on March 13, 2007 and Amendment No. 5 filed by Mr. Ward on August 14, 2007 (collectively, the Prior 13D ). Mr. Ward is filing this Amendment No. 6 to report that pursuant to information provided in the Annual Report on Form 10-K filed by Chesapeake Energy Corporation on February 29, 2008 (the 2007 Annual Report ), Mr. Ward no longer owns more than five percent of the outstanding shares of Common Stock.

The percentage amount of Mr. Ward s beneficial ownership of Common Stock is made based on the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock provided in the 2007 Annual Report, which states that as of December 31, 2007 and February 26, 2008, there were 511,648,217 and 514,009,781 shares of Common Stock outstanding, respectively. Therefore, as of December 31, 2007, Mr. Ward no longer owns more than five percent of the outstanding shares of Common Stock, and as a result, will not file further amendments to the Prior 13D subsequent to this Amendment No. 6.

Unless otherwise indicated, all capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the same meaning ascribed to them in the Prior 13D. Except as indicated herein, the information set forth in the Prior 13D remains unchanged.

Item 1. Security and Issuer.

No change.

Item 2. Identity and Background.

No change.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

No change.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction.

No change.

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Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

Item 5 is hereby amended and supplemented as follows:

The aggregate percentage of shares of Common Stock reported as beneficially owned by Mr. Ward was computed based upon 511,648,217 shares of Common Stock outstanding on December 31, 2007.

- (a) The following table sets forth the aggregate number of shares and percentage of the Common Stock beneficially owned by Mr. Ward:

| <b>Person or Entity</b> | <b>Amount</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
|-------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Tom L. Ward             | 23,816,390    | 4.65%          |

- (b) No change.

- (c) No change.

- (d) No change.

- (e) As of December 31, 2007, Mr. Ward no longer beneficially owns more than five percent of the shares of Common Stock outstanding.

Item 6. Contracts, Agreements, Underwritings or Relationships With Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

No change.

Item 7. Materials to be Filed as Exhibits

No change.

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**SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

DATED: March 27, 2008

/s/ Tom L. Ward

Tom L. Ward, an individual

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