

PETROHAWK ENERGY CORP

Form 8-K

March 06, 2006

**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): February 28, 2006**

**PETROHAWK ENERGY CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

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

**000-25717  
(Commission File Number)**

**86-0876964  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)**

**1100 Louisiana, Suite 4400  
Houston, Texas  
(Address of principal executive offices)**

**77002  
(Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (832) 204-2700**

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers**

Effective February 28, 2006, Mr. D. Martin Phillips resigned from the board of directors of Petrohawk Energy Corporation (the Company ). On March 6, 2006, the Company s board of directors elected Mr. Thomas R. Fuller to serve as one of its members. At this time, Mr. Fuller has not been appointed to a board committee. The Company will file an amendment to this Current Report on Form 8-K to report any such appointment within four business days after the information is determined or becomes available.

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**SIGNATURE**

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.

PETROHAWK ENERGY CORPORATION

By /s/ Shane M. Bayless  
Executive Vice President-Chief Financial  
Officer and Treasurer

Date: March 6, 2006