

**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 9, 2024

HELMERICH & PAYNE, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DE
(State or other jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

1-4221
(Commission File
Number)

73-0679879
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

222 North Detroit Avenue
Tulsa, OK 74120
(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)
(918) 742-5531
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)
N/A
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock (\$0.10 par value)	HP	NYSE

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)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

As previously disclosed, Helmerich & Payne, Inc. (the “Company”) made a \$100.0 million cornerstone investment in ADNOC Drilling Company P.J.S.C. (“ADNOC Drilling”), for 159.7 million shares of ADNOC Drilling (the “Shares”). The Company has agreed to sell the Shares for aggregate proceeds of approximately \$197.0 million and closing is expected to take place by mid-October. The Company intends to use the net proceeds from the sale of the Shares to reduce the commitments under its bridge loan facility in connection with the Company’s previously announced pending acquisition of KCA Deutag International Limited.

The information in this Item 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is being furnished and shall not be deemed “filed” for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HELMERICH & PAYNE, INC.

By: /s/ William H. Gault

Name: William H. Gault

Title: Corporate Secretary

Date: October 9, 2024