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Form 8-K  
August 29, 2006

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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): August 25, 2006  
(August 25, 2006)

GASTAR EXPLORATION LTD.  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

|                                                   |                             |                                      |
|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| ALBERTA, CANADA                                   | 001-32714                   | 38-3324634                           |
| (State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation) | (Commission<br>File Number) | (IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |

1331 LAMAR STREET, SUITE 1080  
HOUSTON, TEXAS 77010  
(Address of principal executive offices)

(713) 739-1800  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to  
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☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR  
230.425)

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240.14a-12)

☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange  
Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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SECTION 7 - REGULATION FD

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### ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.

On August 25, 2006, the Company announced drilling of the Wildman Trust #2 well in the Hilltop area of its East Texas deep Bossier play.

This press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is being furnished solely pursuant to Item 7.01 of this report.

### SECTION 9 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

#### ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

##### (d) Exhibits

The following is a list of exhibits furnished as part of this Form 8-K:

| Exhibit No. | Description of Document              |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| 99.1        | Press release dated August 25, 2006. |

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### 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 hereunto duly authorized.

GASTAR EXPLORATION LTD.

Date: August 25, 2006

By: /s/ J. RUSSELL PORTER

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J. Russell Porter  
Chairman, President and  
Chief Executive Officer

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