Penn Virginia GP Holdings, L.P. Form 8-K August 28, 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: August 23, 2007

(Date of Earliest Event Reported)

PENN VIRGINIA GP HOLDINGS, L.P.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction 1-33171 (Commission File Number) 20-5116532 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

Identification No.)

Three Radnor Corporate Center, Suite 300

100 Matsonford Road, Radnor, Pennsylvania (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

19087 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (610) 687-8900

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On August 23, 2007, Penn Virginia Operating Co., LLC (the Operating Company), a wholly owned subsidiary of Penn Virginia Resource Partners, L.P. (PVR), entered into a Purchase and Sale Agreement with MeadWestvaco Corporation (MeadWestvaco) providing for the Operating Company s purchase of approximately 62,000 fee acres of forestland in West Virginia from MeadWestvaco for \$93.1 million in cash payable at closing (the Transaction).

Penn Virginia GP Holdings, L.P. owns 100% of the general partner of PVR, which holds a 2% general partner interest in PVR, and an approximately 42% limited partner interest in PVR.

The closing of the Transaction is subject to customary closing conditions, including the completion of title review. The Operating Company will pay for the Transaction, which is expected to close prior to September 30, 2007, through its credit facility.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
 - 99.1 Penn Virginia Resource Partners, L.P. press release dated August 24, 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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 28, 2007

Penn Virginia GP Holdings, L.P.

By: PVG GP, LLC its general partner

By: /s/ Nancy M. Snyder Nancy M. Snyder Vice President and General Counsel

Exhibit Index

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Penn Virginia Resource Partners, L.P. press release dated August 24, 2007.