Western Gas Partners LP Form 8-K May 13, 2009

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): May 12, 2009 WESTERN GAS PARTNERS, LP

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

001-34046

26-1075808

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) (Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1201 Lake Robbins Drive The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

(Address of principal executive office) (Zip Code)

(832) 636-6000

(Registrants telephone number, including area code)

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o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 12, 2009, Western Gas Partners, LP issued a press release announcing its financial and operating results for the first quarter of 2009. The press release is included in this report as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Western Gas Partners, LP Press Release, dated May 12, 2009.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

WESTERN GAS PARTNERS, LP

By: Western Gas Holdings, LLC, its general partner

Dated: May 12, 2009

By: /s/ Robert G. Gwin Robert G. Gwin President and Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number Exhibit Title

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