

Nuveen Energy MLP Total Return Fund
Form 8-K
October 29, 2012

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 29, 2012

NUVEEN ENERGY MLP TOTAL RETURN FUND

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Massachusetts
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

811-22482
(Commission

File Number)

27-4486669
(IRS Employer

Identification Number)

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333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois
(Address of principal executive offices)
(800) 257-8787

60606
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

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

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

Section 8 Other Events

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 29, 2012, Nuveen Investments, Inc. (Nuveen Investments), the parent company of Nuveen Fund Advisors, Inc., the Registrant's investment advisor, conducted a conference call discussing an overview of the Master Limited Partnership (MLP) market, as well as reviewing the Registrant's recently completed merger, investment strategy, management and performance. A copy of the script for the conference call is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report. MLP's are the primary investment focus of the Registrant. Leading the discussion were James Cunnane, Jr., Managing Director and Chief Investment Officer from FAMCO MLP, Quinn Kiley, Managing Director and Senior Portfolio Manager from FAMCO MLP and Dave Lamb, Senior Vice President, Financial Modeling and Analysis from Nuveen Investments. FAMCO MLP serves as the sub-adviser for the Registrant.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits
Exhibit 99.1 Script for Conference Call of October 29, 2012

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.

Nuveen Energy MLP Total Return Fund

Date: October 29, 2012

By: /s/ Kevin J. McCarthy
Name: Kevin J. McCarthy
Title: Vice President

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

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