#### 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 9, 2008

# Pope Resources, A Delaware Limited Partnership

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<u>Delaware</u> (State or other jursidiction of

incorporation or organization)

<u>91-1313292</u> (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

19245 Tenth Avenue NE, Poulsbo, Washington 98370

(Address of principal executive offices)

(ZIP Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (360) 697-6626

NOT APPLICABLE

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

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. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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

#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On May 9, 2008 the Partnership announced a quarterly distribution of 40 cents per unit, effective for unitholders of record on May 28, 2008 and payable on June 12, 2008. A copy of that press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	Description
99.1	Press release of the registrant dated May 9, 2008

#### **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.

POPE RESOURCES, A DELAWARE LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

DATE: May 9, 2008

BY: /s/ Thomas M. Ringo

Thomas M. Ringo Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, Pope Resources, A Delaware Limited Partnership, and Pope MGP, Inc., General Partner

## **Pope Resources Quarterly Distribution**

POULSBO, Wash.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Pope Resources (NASDAQ:POPE) announced today a quarterly distribution of 40 cents per unit, effective for unitholders of record on May 28, 2008, and payable on June 12, 2008.

## **About Pope Resources**

Pope Resources, a publicly traded limited partnership, and its subsidiaries Olympic Resource Management and Olympic Property Group, own or manage over 400,000 acres of timberland and development property in Washington and Oregon. In addition, we provide forestry consulting and timberland investment management services to third-party owners and managers of timberland in Washington, Oregon, and California. The company and its predecessor companies have owned and managed timberlands and development properties for more than 150 years. Additional information on the company can be found at <u>www.poperesources.com</u>. The contents of our website are not incorporated into this release or into our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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