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) November 23, 2004

Pope Resources, A Delaware Limited Partnership (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware91-1313292(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)(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 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-(b))
- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Item 1.01: ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

Pope Resources (Nasdaq:POPEZ) announced today that its subsidiary, Olympic Resource Management LLC, has entered into an agreement in principle to manage nearly 525,000 acres of timberland in Washington and Oregon. Contract finalization is contingent upon bankruptcy court confirmation of a third-party debtor's reorganization plan currently scheduled for the end of this year. Other terms of the agreement were not disclosed.

SIGNATURES

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Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 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.

DATE: November 23, 2004

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