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 1, 2012

CVR ENERGY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-33492 (Commission File Number) 61-1512186 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

2277 Plaza Drive, Suite 500 Sugar Land, Texas 77479 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (281) 207-3200

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:

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

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D Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On October 1, 2012, CVR Energy, Inc. (the "Company"), issued a press release announcing that CVR Refining, LP, an indirect, wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, has filed a registration statement on Form S-1, File No. 333-184200 (the "Registration Statement"), with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") relating to a proposed initial public offering of its common units representing limited partner interests (the "Initial Public Offering"). A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. The Registration Statement is publicly available on the SEC's website at <u>www.sec.gov</u>.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information in this Current Report on Form 8-K and Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto is being furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 of Form 8-K and will not, except to the extent required by applicable law or regulation, be deemed filed by the Company for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, nor will any of such information or exhibits be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

The information filed in this Report pursuant to Item 7.01, including the information contained in Exhibit 99.1, is neither an offer to sell nor a solicitation of an offer to buy any of the common units in the Initial Public Offering.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is being "furnished" as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K:

99.1 Press Release.

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: October 1, 2012

CVR ENERGY, INC.

By: /s/ Edmund S. Gross

Edmund S. Gross Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary



CVR Energy Announces Filing of Registration Statement for Initial Public Offering of CVR Refining, LP

SUGAR LAND, Texas (Oct. 1, 2012) – CVR Energy, Inc. (NYSE: CVI) (the "Company") today announced that CVR Refining, LP ("CVR Refining"), an indirect, wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, has filed a registration statement on Form S-1 with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission in connection with a proposed initial public offering of its common units representing limited partner interests. CVR Refining intends to list its common units on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "CVRR." The number of common units to be offered and the price range for the offering have not yet been determined. All of the common units to be sold in this offering (including the common units that may be sold to satisfy the underwriters' over-allotment option) will be sold by CVR Refining.

Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC and Citigroup Global Markets Inc. will act as joint book-running managers for the proposed offering. The offering will be made only by means of a prospectus. When available, a preliminary prospectus relating to this offering may be obtained from:

Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC

Attn: Prospectus Department One Madison Avenue New York, NY 10010 telephone: (800) 221-1037 email: newyork.prospectus@credit-suisse.com Citigroup

c/o Broadridge Financial Solutions 1155 Long Island Avenue Edgewood, NY 11717 telephone: (800) 831-9146

You may also get these documents for free by visiting the Securities and Exchange Commission's website at http://www.sec.gov.

A registration statement relating to these securities has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission but has not yet become effective. These securities may not be sold nor may offers to buy be accepted prior to the time the registration statement becomes effective.

This press release does not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy nor shall there be any sale of these securities in any state in which such offer, solicitation or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the securities laws of any such state.

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About CVR Energy, Inc.

Headquartered in Sugar Land, Texas, CVR Energy, Inc.'s subsidiary and affiliated businesses operate independent refining assets in Coffeyville, Kan. and Wynnewood, Okla., with more than 185,000 barrels per day of processing capacity, a marketing network for supplying high value transportation fuels to customers through tanker trucks and pipeline terminals, and a crude oil gathering system serving central Kansas, Oklahoma, western Missouri, southwestern Nebraska and Texas. In addition, CVR Energy subsidiaries own a majority interest in and serve as the general partner of CVR Partners, LP, a producer of ammonia and urea ammonium nitrate, or UAN, fertilizers.

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