

CKX Lands Inc  
Form 8-K  
April 18, 2008

**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) April 17, 2008**

**CKX LANDS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Louisiana**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**1-31905**  
(Commission File Number)

**72-0144530**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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751 Bayou Pines East, Lake Charles, Louisiana

(Address of principal executive offices)

70601

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (337) 310-0547

(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):

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

Section 5 Corporate Government and Management

**Item 5.02**

Effective April 17, 2008, Arthur Hollins, III retired as Chief Executive Officer and President of CKX Lands, Inc. Mr. Hollins became Chairman of the Board of Directors in a non-executive capacity.

Mr. Joseph K. Cooper replaced Mr. Hollins as Chief Executive Officer and President of CKX Lands, Inc. effective April 18, 2008. Mr. Cooper is the manager of Walker Louisiana Properties and Vice President and Operations Manager of Prairie Land Co.

**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.

CKX Lands, Inc.

Date: April 17, 2008

/s/ Brian R. Jones  
Brian R. Jones  
Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer