SOUTHWEST GAS CORP Form 8-K February 26, 2010

California

## 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) February 26, 2010

#### SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

88-0085720

(State or other jurisdiction of	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employer
incorporation or organization)	File Number)	Identification No.)
5241 Spring Mountain Road		
Post Office Box 98510		
Las Vegas, Nevada		89193-8510
(Address of principal executive		(Zip Code)
offices)		

1-7850

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (702) 876-7237

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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 February 26, 2010, Southwest Gas Corporation (the "Company") announced an increase in the quarterly common stock dividend from \$0.2375 per share to \$0.25 per share. The dividend is payable June 1, 2010 to holders of record as of May 17, 2010. A copy of the Company's press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

#### **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.

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

Date: February 26, 2010

/s/ ROY R. CENTRELLA Roy R. Centrella Vice President/Controller and Chief Accounting Officer

### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit

No. Description

99 Press Release of dividend increase dated

February 26, 2010.