

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)

JULY 9, 1998

Halliburton Company
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

State or other
jurisdiction
of incorporation

Commission
File Number

IRS Employer
Identification
Number

Delaware

1-3492

No. 75-2677995

3600 Lincoln Plaza
500 North Akard Street
Dallas, Texas 75201-3391
(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number,
including area code - 214/978-2600

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INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN REPORT

Item 5. Other Events

The registrant may, at its option, report under this item any events, with respect to which information is not otherwise called for by this form, that the registrant deems of importance to security holders.

On July 9, 1998 registrant issued a press release entitled Halliburton-Dresser Merger Clears in Canada pertaining, among other things, to an announcement that registrant and Dresser Industries, Inc. have received an Advance Ruling Certificate from the Canadian Bureau of Competition Policy clearing the merger of the two companies.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

List below the financial statements, pro forma financial information and exhibits, if any, filed as part of this report.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 20 - Press release dated July 9, 1998.

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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.

HALLIBURTON COMPANY

Date: July 14, 1998

By: /s/ Susan S. Keith

Susan S. Keith
Vice President and Secretary

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HALLIBURTON-DRESSER MERGER CLEARS IN CANADA

Dallas, TEXAS -- Halliburton Company (NYSE:HAL) and Dresser Industries, Inc. (NYSE:DI) have received an Advance Ruling Certificate from the Canadian Bureau of Competition Policy clearing the merger of the two companies.

Halliburton and Dresser previously announced a definitive merger agreement which calls for Dresser's shareholders to receive one newly issued share of Halliburton for each share of Dresser. Both of the companies' shareholders have voted their approval for the merger plan. The European Commission, under the European Community Merger Control Regulations, cleared the merger of the two companies earlier this week. At the present time the companies have other regulatory filings in process with the U.S. Department of Justice and regulatory agencies in certain other countries. The companies expect to complete the merger during the fall of 1998.

Halliburton Company is one of the world's largest diversified energy services, engineering, maintenance and construction companies. Founded in 1919, Halliburton provides a broad range of energy services and products, industrial and marine engineering and construction services.

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