XCEL ENERGY INC Form 8-K April 09, 2009

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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 8, 2009

Xcel Energy Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota001-303441-0448030(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)(Commission
File Number)(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

414 Nicollet Mall
Minneapolis, Minnesota
(Address of principal executive offices)

55401 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code 612-330-5500

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):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

- Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.
- (b) On April 8, 2009, Raymond E. Gogel, Vice President Customer & Enterprise Solutions of Xcel Energy Inc., announced his intention to resign from his position effective April 10, 2009. Mr. Gogel is leaving the company to pursue other opportunities.

SIGNATURE

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.

XCEL ENERGY INC. (a Minnesota Corporation)

/s/ BENJAMIN G.S. FOWKE III **Benjamin G.S. Fowke III**

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 9, 2009