

Seventy Seven Energy Inc.  
Form 425  
January 05, 2017

**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): January 5, 2017**

**Patterson-UTI Energy, Inc.**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**  
  
**of incorporation)**

**0-22664**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**75-2504748**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

**77064**

**10713 West Sam Houston Pkwy N., Suite  
800 Houston, Texas**

**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**(Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 281-765-7100**

**Not Applicable**

**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:

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

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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 8.01 Other Events.**

On January 5, 2017, Patterson-UTI Energy, Inc. will deliver an investor presentation in connection with the Goldman Sachs 2017 Global Energy Conference. A copy of the presentation is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

**Exhibit**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Investor presentation dated January 5-6, 2017.

**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.

Patterson-UTI Energy, Inc.

January 5, 2017

By: /s/ John E. Vollmer III

Name: John E. Vollmer III

Title: Senior Vice President - Corporate Development,

Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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