

NATIONAL FUEL GAS CO  
Form 8-K  
December 01, 2011

# 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) November 28, 2011

## NATIONAL FUEL GAS COMPANY

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

New Jersey  
(State or Other Jurisdiction

1-3880  
(Commission File Number)

13-1086010  
(IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

Identification No.)

6363 Main Street

Williamsville, New York  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

14221  
(Zip Code)  
  
(716) 857-7000

14221  
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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(Former name or address, if changed since last report)

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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 November 28, 2011, National Fuel Gas Company (the Company) entered into an Underwriting Agreement covering the issue and sale by the Company of \$500,000,000 aggregate principal amount of its 4.90% Notes due 2021 (the Notes). The Notes were registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, pursuant to the shelf registration statement (Registration No. 333-158060) of the Company.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

- 1.2 Underwriting Agreement, dated November 28, 2011, relating to the Notes between the Company and the several Underwriters named in Schedule A thereto, for whom J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC acted as representatives.
- 4.4 Officer's Certificate dated December 1, 2011, establishing the terms of the Notes.
- 4.4.1 Form of Note (included in 4.4 above)

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, National Fuel Gas Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**NATIONAL FUEL GAS COMPANY**

By: /s/ James R. Peterson  
Name: James R. Peterson  
Title: Assistant Secretary

Dated: December 1, 2011