

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): June 6, 2008

IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<u>Canada</u> (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	<u>0-12014</u> (Commission File Number)	<u>98-0017682</u> (IRS Employer Identification No.)
<u>237 Fourth Avenue S.W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada</u> (Address of principal executive offices)		<u>T2P 3M9</u> (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 1-800-567-3776

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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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 June 6, 2008, Imperial Oil Limited, by means of a news release, announced that the company's Kearl Oil Sands Project has been granted a new authorization under subsection 35(2) of the federal Fisheries Act. Receipt of the authorization will allow ground preparation work to continue at the site.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is furnished as part of this report on Form 8-K:

99.1 News release of Imperial Oil Limited announcing that the company's Kearl Oil Sands Project has been granted a new authorization under subsection 35(2) of the federal Fisheries Act. Receipt of the authorization will allow ground preparation work to continue at the site.

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.

IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED

Date: June 6, 2008

By: /s/ Brian Livingston

Name: Brian Livingston
Title: Vice-President, General Counsel and
Corporate Secretary

By: /s/ Brent Latimer

Name: Brent Latimer
Title: Assistant Secretary

News Release

Kearl project receives new Fisheries authorization

Calgary, June 6, 2008 – Imperial Oil today announced that the company's Kearl Oil Sands Project has been granted a new authorization under subsection 35(2) of the federal Fisheries Act. Receipt of the authorization will allow ground preparation work to continue at the site. As well, on May 15, 2008, the federal government released an order-in-council indicating approval of the amended Joint Review Panel report submitted on May 6, 2008. This amended report includes a rationale on greenhouse gas emissions, which satisfies the direction of the Federal Court in its March 5, 2008 decision.

Imperial Oil is one of Canada's largest corporations and a leading member of the country's petroleum industry. It is one of the country's largest producers of crude oil and natural gas, is the largest petroleum refiner, and has a leading market share in petroleum products sold through a coast-to-coast supply network that includes about 1,900 service stations.

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