

Genie Energy Ltd.  
Form 8-K  
August 14, 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): August 14, 2017

**GENIE ENERGY LTD.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)



If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On August 14, 2017, Genie Energy Ltd. (the “Registrant”) released the attached release (the “Release”) relating to the acquisition of Mirabito Natural Gas, a Ft. Lauderdale-based commercial natural gas supplier. A copy of the Release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The Registrant is furnishing the information contained in this Report, including Exhibit 99.1, pursuant to Item 7.01 of Form 8-K promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”). This information shall not be deemed to be “filed” with the SEC or incorporated by reference into any other filing with the SEC.

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

The information contained in Item 7.01 above is incorporated herein by reference into this Item 8.01.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

**Exhibit No. Document**

99.1 Press Release, dated August 14, 2017.

**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.

**GENIE ENERGY LTD.**

By: /s/ Howard S. Jonas  
Name: Howard S. Jonas  
Title: Chief Executive Officer

Dated: August 14, 2017

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Document</b>
99.1	<u>Press Release, dated August 14, 2017.</u>