CHENIERE ENERGY INC Form 8-K October 24, 2008

# 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): October 24, 2008

# CHENIERE ENERGY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of

1-16383 (Commission File Number) 95-4352386 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

incorporation or organization)

700 Milam Street

Suite 800

Houston, Texas (Address of principal executive offices)

77002 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (713) 375-5000

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#### ITEM 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT.

On October 24, 2008, the board of directors of Cheniere Energy, Inc. (the Company ) approved an amendment to the Rights Agreement, dated as of October 14, 2004, between the Company and Computershare Trust Company, N.A. (formerly U.S. Stock Transfer Corp.), as Rights Agent (the Rights Agent ), as amended by the First Amendment to Rights Agreement, dated as of January 24, 2005, between the Company and the Rights Agent (collectively, the Rights Agreement ). For that purpose, the Company and the Rights Agent entered into a Second Amendment to Rights Agreement, dated as of October 24, 2008 (the Second Amendment ). The Second Amendment amends the Rights Agreement to change the definition of Acquiring Person in Section 1 of the Rights Agreement, and provides for certain other changes.

The foregoing summary of the principal terms of the Second Amendment is a general description only and is subject to the detailed terms and conditions of the Second Amendment, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 4.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

#### ITEM 3.03 MATERIAL MODIFICATION TO RIGHTS OF SECURITY HOLDERS.

See the description set out under Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

#### ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
4.1	Second Amendment to Rights Agreement by and between Cheniere Energy, Inc. and Computershare Trust Company, N.A.
	(formerly U.S. Stock Transfer Corp.), as Rights Agent, dated as of October 24, 2008 (filed herewith).

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#### **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.

CHENIERE ENERGY, INC.

Date: October 24, 2008 By: /s/ Don A. Turkleson

Name: Don A. Turkleson

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

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