

DETROIT EDISON CO  
Form 8-K  
September 19, 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): September 19, 2008**

<b>Commission File Number</b>	<b>Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter, State of Incorporation, Address of Principal Executive Offices and Telephone Number</b>	<b>I.R.S. Employer Identification No.</b>
1-11607	DTE Energy Company (a Michigan corporation) 2000 2nd Avenue Detroit, Michigan 48226-1279 (313) 235-4000	38-3217752
1-2198	The Detroit Edison Company (a Michigan corporation) 2000 2nd Avenue Detroit, Michigan 48226-1279 313-235-4000	38-0478650

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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**

The Michigan House of Representatives and Michigan Senate reached a compromise on a package of bills to establish a sustainable, long-term energy plan for Michigan. The bills passed the House and Senate on bipartisan votes. A summary of key provisions of this legislation can be found posted to the DTE Energy Company ( DTE Energy ) website at [www.dteenergy.com](http://www.dteenergy.com) and attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Summary of Legislation dated September 19, 2008.

**Forward-Looking Statements:**

This Form 8-K contains forward-looking statements that are subject to various assumptions, risks and uncertainties. It should be read in conjunction with the Forward-Looking Statements section in DTE Energy's and Detroit Edison's 2007 Forms 10-K and 2008 Forms 10-Q (which sections are incorporated by reference herein), and in conjunction with other SEC reports filed by DTE Energy and Detroit Edison that discuss important factors that could cause DTE Energy's and Detroit Edison's actual results to differ materially. DTE Energy and Detroit Edison expressly disclaim any current intention to update any forward-looking statements contained in this report as a result of new information or future events or developments.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrants have duly caused this report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: September 19, 2008

DTE ENERGY COMPANY  
(Registrant)

/s/ N.A. Khouri  
N.A. Khouri  
Vice President and Treasurer

THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY  
(Registrant)

/s/ N.A. Khouri  
N.A. Khouri  
Vice President and Treasurer  
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