NORTHERN OIL & GAS, INC. Form 8-K/A March 16, 2012

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K/A

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO 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 29, 2011

NORTHERN OIL AND GAS, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota 001-33999 95-3848122
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer of incorporation) Identification No.)

315 Manitoba Avenue – Suite 200 Wayzata, Minnesota 55391 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (952) 476-9800

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Explanatory Note

On August 30, 2011, Northern Oil and Gas, Inc. (the "Company") filed a Current Report on Form 8-K (the "Original 8-K") to report certain changes to its board of directors, including the additions of Richard D. Weber and Delos "Cy" Jamison. At such time, it was not known the committees of the board of directors to which Mr. Weber and Mr. Jamison were expected to be assigned. The Company hereby amends Item 5.02 of the Original 8-K by adding the following disclosure.

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Effective March 12, 2012, our board of directors appointed Mr. Weber and Mr. Jamison to board committees, and made further adjustments to its board committee assignments, as follows:

- Audit Committee: Lisa Meier (Chair), Robert Grabb and Richard Weber
- Compensation Committee: Lisa Meier (Chair), Jack King and Richard Weber
- Nominating Committee: Jack King (Chair), Delos "Cy" Jamison and Loren O'Toole

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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.

Date: March 16, 2012 NORTHERN OIL AND GAS, INC.

By/s/ Erik J. Romslo Erik J. Romslo

Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary