

AES CORP  
Form 8-K  
April 16, 2008

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20349

**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): **April 16, 2008**

**THE AES CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE**  
(State of Incorporation)

**001-12291**  
(Commission File No.)

**54-1163725**  
(IRS Employer Identification  
No.)

**4300 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 1100**

**Arlington, Virginia 22203**

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

**(703) 522-1315**

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**NOT APPLICABLE**

(Former Name or Former Address, if changed since last report)

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

The AES Corporation today announced it has completed the \$930 million purchase and transfer of assets of the 660 MW (gross) Masinloc Coal-Fired Thermal Power Plant located in Barangay Bula, Zambales Province, Luzon, Philippines.

A copy of the press release which provides additional information regarding the transaction is filed as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated April 16, 2008

**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.

THE AES CORPORATION  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Victoria D. Harker  
Name: Victoria D. Harker  
Title: Executive Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer

Date: April 16, 2008