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**Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On January 3, 2017, U.S. Energy Corp. (the “Company”) announced the extension of its exclusive rights to participate with IronHorse Resources, LLC (“IronHorse”) in the Wattenberg Development Project previously announced. The Company and IronHorse had entered into an Earnings and Participation Agreement dated September 14, 2016 (the “Agreement”) as to the purchase of 40% of IronHorse’s interest in five Wattenberg farmout agreements. The Company and IronHorse have entered into a new agreement dated January 3, 2017 extending the time for the Company to provide satisfactory proof of funding to January 31, 2017. The Company will prepay 23,000 shares of the stock bonus previously agreed on in cash on or before January 12, 2017. The Company is currently engaged with a financial institution and will continue to pursue various options for funding the Company’s projects, including the Wattenberg Development Project with IronHorse. The Company remains optimistic about the Wattenberg project especially with the favorable commodity prices and improving economics.

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On January 4, 2017, the Company issued a press release, a copy of which is furnished as Exhibit 99.1, announcing the signing of the Agreement discussed in Item 1.01 herein. That press release is not incorporated by reference into this Item 8.01.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

**Exhibit No. Description**

99.1 Press Release dated January 4, 2017

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**U.S. Energy Corp.**

Dated: January 5, 2017 By: /s/ David A. Veltri  
David A. Veltri  
President and Chief Executive Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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