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): February 20, 2020

SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction) 001-34037 (Commission File Number) 75-2379388 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1001 Louisiana Street, Suite 2900 Houston, Texas (Address of principal executive offices)

77002 (Zip Code)

(713) 654-2200 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Dere-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

	Trading	Name of each exchange
Title of each class	symbol	on which registered
 Common Stock	SPN	New York Stock Exchange

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company \Box

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On February 19, 2020, Superior Energy Services, Inc. issued a press release announcing its financial results for the fiscal quarter and full year ended December 31, 2019. The press release contained certain information that has been excerpted and attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, which is incorporated into this Item 8.01 by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit <u>Number</u>	Description
99.1	Selected information contained in the press release issued by Superior Energy Services, Inc. on February 19, 2020.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

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.

SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES, INC.

By: /s/ William B. Masters

William B. Masters Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Dated: February 20, 2020

Superior Energy Services – Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2019 Results

February 19, 2020

The Company incurred a net loss from continuing operations for the fourth quarter of 2019 of \$6.2 million, or \$0.42 per share, on revenue of \$336.1 million. This compares to a net loss from continuing operations of \$20.5 million, or \$1.31 per share, for the third quarter of 2019, on revenue of \$356.6 million and a net loss from continuing operations of \$317.0 million, or \$20.51 per share for the fourth quarter of 2018, on revenue of \$389.4 million.

As previously announced, during the fourth quarter of 2019, the Company exited its hydraulic fracturing operations. The financial results of this service line have historically been included in the Onshore Completion and Workover Services segment, and are reflected in discontinued operations for the fourth quarter of 2019 and prior period results reported herein. Loss from discontinued operations was \$92.4 million, \$17.9 million, and \$433.2 million for the fourth quarter of 2019, third quarter of 2019, and fourth quarter of 2018, respectively.

The Company reported pre-tax charges of \$2.9 million in restructuring costs and \$3.1 million in connection with the previously announced strategic transaction with Forbes Energy Services Ltd. (OTCQX: FLSS) ("Forbes"). The resulting adjusted net loss from continuing operations for the fourth quarter of 2019 was \$1.6 million, or \$0.11 per share.

For the year ended December 31, 2019, the Company's net loss from continuing operations was \$77.8 million, or \$5.05 per share, on revenue of \$1,425.4 million as compared with a net loss from continuing operations of \$427.4 million, or \$27.69 per share, on revenue of \$1,478.9 million for the year ended December 31, 2018. Loss from discontinued operations was \$178.0 million and \$430.7 million for the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

Fourth Quarter 2019 Geographic Breakdown

U.S. land revenue was \$137.9 million in the fourth quarter of 2019, a decrease of 15% as compared with revenue of \$162.5 million in the third quarter of 2019, and a 33% decrease compared to revenue of \$207.0 million in the fourth quarter of 2018. U.S. offshore revenue remained flat at \$95.3 million as compared with the third quarter of 2019 revenue, and increased by 6% from revenue of \$89.5 million in the fourth quarter of 2018. International revenue of \$103.0 million increased by 2% as compared with revenue of \$101.1 million in the third quarter of 2019 and increased 11% as compared to revenue of \$92.9 million in the fourth quarter of 2018.

Drilling Products and Services Segment

The Drilling Products and Services segment revenue in the fourth quarter of 2019 was \$98.6 million, an 11% decrease from third quarter 2019 revenue of \$111.2 million and a 6% decrease from fourth quarter 2018 revenue of \$105.3 million.

U.S. land revenue decreased 22% to \$36.3 million, U.S. offshore revenue was flat at \$34.0 million and international revenue decreased 8% to \$28.3 million.

Onshore Completion and Workover Services Segment

The Onshore Completion and Workover Services segment revenue in the fourth quarter of 2019 was \$67.6 million, an 11% decrease from third quarter 2019 revenue of \$76.0 million, and a 36% decrease from fourth quarter 2018 revenue of \$105.2 million.

Production Services Segment

The Production Services segment revenue increased in the fourth quarter of 2019 by 2% to \$100.6 million from \$98.7 million in the third quarter of 2019, and decreased by 8% from fourth quarter 2018 revenue of \$109.9 million.

U.S. land revenue was \$26.2 million, a 20% decrease from third quarter revenue of \$32.6 million. U.S. offshore revenue decreased 20% sequentially to \$14.6 million and international revenue increased by 25% sequentially to \$59.8 million.

Technical Solutions Segment

The Technical Solutions segment revenue in the fourth quarter of 2019 was \$69.3 million, a 2% decrease from third quarter 2019 revenue of \$70.7 million and remained flat when compared to the fourth quarter 2018 revenue of \$69.0 million.

U.S. land revenue increased 7% sequentially to \$7.8 million. U.S. offshore revenue increased 14% sequentially to \$46.6 million and international revenue decreased 34% sequentially to \$14.9 million.

SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(in thousands, except per share data) (unaudited)

	Three Months Ended				Twelve Months Ended		
	December 31, September 30, 2019 2018 2019			Decem 2019	ber 31, 2018		
Revenues	\$336,072	\$ 389,447	\$	356,585	\$1,425,369	\$1,478,857	
Cost of services and rentals (exclusive of depreciation, depletion, amortization and	\$550,07 2	\$ 565,117	Ψ	000,000	φ1,1 2 0,000	φ1, 17 0,007	
accretion)	223,570	248,394		231,927	925,082	970,488	
Depreciation, depletion, amortization and accretion	43,741	65,478		45,162	196,459	278,439	
General and administrative expenses	65,211	72,422		60,866	268,226	276,468	
Reduction in value of assets	—	322,713		9,571	17,185	322,713	
Income/(Loss) from operations	3,550	(319,560)		9,059	18,417	(369,251)	
Other income (expense):							
Interest expense, net	(24,038)	(24,745)		(24,505)	(98,312)	(99,477)	
Other income (expense)	1,993	2,717		(3,353)	(2,484)	(1,678)	
Loss from continuing operations before income taxes	(18,495)	(341,588)		(18,799)	(82,379)	(470,406)	
Income taxes	(12,333)	(24,574)		1,708	(4,626)	(43,003)	
Net loss from continuing operations	(6,162)	(317,014)		(20,507)	(77,753)	(427,403)	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income tax	(92,362)	(433,171)		(17,934)	(177,968)	(430,712)	
Net loss	\$ (98,524)	\$(750,185)	\$	(38,441)	\$ (255,721)	\$ (858,115)	
Basic and Diluted loss per share:							
Net loss from continuing operations	\$ (0.42)	\$ (20.51)	\$	(1.31)	\$ (5.05)	\$ (27.69)	
Loss from discontinued operations	(6.26)	(28.03)		(1.15)	(11.56)	(27.90)	
Net loss	\$ (6.68)	\$ (48.54)	\$	(2.46)	\$ (16.61)	\$ (55.59)	
Weighted average common shares:							
Basic and Diluted	14,745	15,454		15,657	15,393	15,437	

SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (in thousands) (unaudited)

	Dec	ember 31, 2019	Dece	ember 31, 2018
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	272,624	\$	158,050
Accounts receivable, net		332,047		447,353
Income taxes receivable		740		
Prepaid expenses		49,132		45,802
Inventory and other current assets		117,629		121,700
Assets held for sale		216,197		
Total current assets		988,369		772,905
Property, plant and equipment, net		664,949		1,109,126
Operating lease right-of-use assets		80,906		—
Goodwill		137,695		136,788
Notes receivable		68,092		63,993
Restricted cash		2,764		5,698
Intangible and other long-term assets, net		50,455		127,452
Total assets	\$	1,993,230	\$	2,215,962
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	92,966	\$	139,325
Accrued expenses		182,934		219,180
Income taxes payable				734
Current portion of decommissioning liabilities		3,649		3,538
Liabilities held for sale		44,938		
Total current liabilities		324,487		362,777
Long-term debt, net		1,286,629		1,282,921
Decommissioning liabilities		132,632		126,558
Operating lease liabilities		62,354		
Deferred income taxes		3,247		_
Other long-term liabilities		134,308		152,967
Total stockholders' equity		49,573		290,739
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	1,993,230	\$	2,215,962

SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019 AND 2018

(in thousands) (unaudited)

	2019	2018
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$(255,721)	\$(858,115)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation, depletion, amortization and accretion	271,410	400,848
Reduction in value of assets	93,763	739,725
Other noncash items	27,651	(39,152)
Changes in working capital and other	9,325	(78,249)
Net cash provided by operating activities	146,428	165,057
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Payments for capital expenditures	(140,465)	(221,370)
Proceeds from sales of assets	110,008	33,299
Net cash used in investing activities	(30,457)	(188,071)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Other	(5,292)	(2,586)
Net cash used in financing activities	(5,292)	(2,586)
Effect of exchange rate changes in cash	961	(3,135)
Net change in cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash	111,640	(28,735)
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at beginning of period	163,748	192,483
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash at end of period	\$ 275,388	\$ 163,748

SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES REVENUE BY GEOGRAPHIC REGION BY SEGMENT (in thousands) (unaudited)

		Three months ended,						
	Dece	December 31, 2019 September 30, 2019				December 31, 2018		
U.S. land								
Drilling Products and Services	\$	36,271	\$	46,590	\$	46,732		
Onshore Completion and Workover Services		67,571		75,973		105,172		
Production Services		26,205		32,620		47,103		
Technical Solutions		7,774		7,283		7,993		
Total U.S. land	\$	137,821	\$	162,466	\$	207,000		
U.S. offshore								
Drilling Products and Services	\$	34,056	\$	33,895	\$	30,540		
Onshore Completion and Workover Services								
Production Services		14,632		18,295		18,603		
Technical Solutions		46,655		40,771		40,325		
Total U.S. offshore	\$	95,343	\$	92,961	\$	89,468		
International								
Drilling Products and Services	\$	28,299	\$	30,700	\$	28,028		
Onshore Completion and Workover Services		_						
Production Services		59,754		47,872		44,228		
Technical Solutions		14,855		22,586		20,723		
Total International	\$	102,908	\$	101,158	\$	92,979		
Total Revenues	\$	336,072	\$	356,585	\$	389,447		

SUPERIOR ENERGY SERVICES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES SEGMENT HIGHLIGHTS (in thousands) (unaudited)

	Three months ended,						
	Decem	iber 31, 2019(1)	Septem	ber 30, 2019(1)	Decem	iber 31, 2018(1)	
Revenues							
Drilling Products and Services	\$	98,626	\$	111,185	\$	105,300	
Onshore Completion and Workover Services		67,571		75,973		105,172	
Production Services		100,591		98,787		109,934	
Technical Solutions		69,284		70,640		69,041	
Total Revenues	\$	336,072	\$	356,585	\$	389,447	
Income (Loss) from Operations							
Drilling Products and Services	\$	27,631	\$	37,991	\$	27,143	
Onshore Completion and Workover Services		4,263		982		4,535	
Production Services		(8,764)		(4,136)		(3,893)	
Technical Solutions		8,047		1,583		6,356	
Corporate and other		(21,636)		(21,689)		(27,054)	
Total Income from Operations	\$	9,541	\$	14,731	\$	7,087	
EBITDA							
Drilling Products and Services	\$	46,946	\$	58,159	\$	53,193	
Onshore Completion and Workover Services		10,023		7,835		20,964	
Production Services		3,288		7,927		12,432	
Technical Solutions		13,514		6,492		11,677	
Corporate and other		(20,489)		(20,520)		(25,701)	
Total EBITDA	\$	53,282	\$	59,893	\$	72,565	

(1) Income (loss) from operations and EBITDA exclude the impact of special items for the three months ended December 31 and September 30, 2019 and December 31, 2018. For Non-GAAP reconciliations, refer to Table 2 below.

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

The following table reconciles net income/loss from continuing operations, which is the directly comparable financial measure determined in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), to adjusted income/loss from continuing operations (non-GAAP financial measure). This financial measure is provided to enhance investors' overall understanding of the Company's current financial performance.

Reconciliation of Consolidated Adjusted Net Loss (in thousands) (unaudited) Table 1

	Three months ended, December 31, 2019 Consolidated Per Share					Three month December 3 Consolidated	
Reported net loss from continuing operations	\$	(6,162)	\$ (0.42)	\$ (20,507)	\$ (1.31)	\$ (317,014)	\$(20.51)
Reduction in value of assets			_	9,571	0.61	322,713	20.88
Restructuring costs		2,896	0.20	1,877	0.12	3,934	0.25
Merger-related transaction costs		3,095	0.21	—	_	—	_
Legal settlement				(5,776)	(0.37)		
Income taxes		(1,390)	(0.10)	(1,315)	(0.08)	(20,069)	(1.30)
Adjusted net loss from continuing operations	\$	(1,561)	\$ (0.11)	\$ (16,150)	\$ (1.03)	\$ (10,436)	\$ (0.68)

The following table reconciles net income/loss from continuing operations by segment, which is the directly comparable financial measure determined in accordance with GAAP, to adjusted income/loss from continuing operations and adjusted EBITDA by segment (non-GAAP financial measures). These financial measures are provided to enhance investors' overall understanding of the Company's current financial performance.

Reconciliation of Adjusted Income (Loss) from Operations and Adjusted EBITDA by Segment

(in thousands) (unaudited) Table 2

	Three months ended December 31, 2019								
	Drilling Products and Services	Onshore Completion and Workover Services	Production Services	Technical Solutions	Corporate and Other	Consolidated			
Reported net income (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 27,618	\$ 3,187	\$(10,068)	\$ 8,612	\$ (35,511)	\$ (6,162)			
Restructuring costs	13	1,076	1,304	503		2,896			
Merger-related costs		—			3,095	3,095			
Interest expense, net		—	—	(1,068)	25,106	24,038			
Other expense		—			(1,993)	(1,993)			
Income taxes	—	—	—	—	(12,333)	(12,333)			
Adjusted income (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 27,631	\$ 4,263	\$ (8,764)	\$ 8,047	\$ (21,636)	\$ 9,541			
Depreciation, depletion, amortization and accretion	19,315	5,760	12,052	5,467	1,147	43,741			
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 46,946	\$ 10,023	\$ 3,288	\$13,514	\$ (20,489)	\$ 53,282			

	Three months ended September 30, 2019								
	Drilling Products and Services	Onshor Completi and Workov Service	on er Pro	oduction	Technic Solutio		Corporate and Other	Consoli	idated
Reported net income (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 37,991		<u>27)</u>	(734)		531)	\$ (52,306)		(,507)
Reduction in value of assets		5	66	1,997	· ·	008			,571
Restructuring costs		1,3	43	377	-	157		1	,877
Legal settlement		-	_	(5,776)	-			(5	5,776)
Interest expense, net		-	_		(1,0	051)	25,556	24	,505
Other expense		-	_		-		3,353	3	,353
Income taxes		-	-		-		1,708	1	,708
Adjusted income (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 37,991	\$9	82 \$	(4,136)	\$ 1,5	583	\$ (21,689)	\$ 14	,731
Depreciation, depletion, amortization and accretion	20,168	6,8	53	12,063	4,9	909	1,169	45	,162
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 58,159	\$ 7,8	35 \$	7,927	\$ 6,4	492	\$ (20,520)	\$ 59	,893

	Three months ended December 31, 2018									
	Drilling Products and Services	Onshore Completion and Workover Services	Production Services	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Consolidated				
Reported net income (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 26,678	\$ (224,877)	\$ (97,425)	\$ 7,280	\$ (28,670)	\$ (317,014)				
Reduction in value of assets		227,801	92,252		2,660	322,713				
Restructuring costs	465	1,611	1,280	78	500	3,934				
Interest expense, net		—		(1,002)	25,747	24,745				
Other expense					(2,717)	(2,717)				
Income taxes					(24,574)	(24,574)				
Adjusted income (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 27,143	\$ 4,535	\$ (3,893)	\$ 6,356	\$ (27,054)	\$ 7,087				
Depreciation, depletion, amortization and accretion	26,050	16,429	16,325	5,321	1,353	65,478				
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 53,193	\$ 20,964	\$ 12,432	\$ 11,677	\$ (25,701)	\$ 72,565				