GULFPORT ENERGY CORP Form SC 13G/A February 14, 2008

# **UNITED STATES**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION					
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549					
SCHEDULE 13G					
(RULE 13d - 102)					
Information to be included in statements filed pursuant					
to Rules 13d-1(b), (c) and (d) and amendments thereto filed					
pursuant to 13d-2(b)					
(AMENDMENT NO.3)*					
Gulfport Energy Corporation					
(Name of Issuer)					
Common Stock, par value \$.01					
(Title of Class of Securities)					
<u>402635304</u>					
(CUSIP Number)					
<u>December 31, 2007</u>					
(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)					
Check the appropriate box to designate the rule					
pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:					
O Rule 13d-1(b)					
X Rule 13d-1(c)					
o Rule 13d-1(d)					

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of

ecurities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information

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which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

(Continued on the Following Pages)

NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Luxor Capital Partners, LP 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* (a) X (b) o SEC USE ONLY 3. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4. Delaware NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH: 5. SOLE VOTING POWER 0 SHARED VOTING POWER 6. 667,090 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 7. 0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8. 667,090 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 667,090 10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) **EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*** 11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 1.6%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

PN

NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) LCG Select, LLC 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* (a) X (b) o SEC USE ONLY 3. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4. Delaware NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH: 5. SOLE VOTING POWER 0 SHARED VOTING POWER 6. 150,985 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 7. 0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8. 150,985 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 150,985 10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) **EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*** 11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 0.4%

\*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

12.

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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
 I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)
 Luxor Capital Partners Offshore, Ltd.

- 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*
- (a) X
- (b) o
- 3. SEC USE ONLY
- 4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:

5. SOLE VOTING POWER

0

6. SHARED VOTING POWER

984,095

7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

984,095

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

984,095

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\* o

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

2.3%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

CO

NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) LCG Select Offshore, Ltd. 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* (a) X (b) o SEC USE ONLY 3. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH: 5. SOLE VOTING POWER 0 6. SHARED VOTING POWER 744,031 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 7. 0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8. 744,031 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 744,031 10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) **EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*** 11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 1.8%

\*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Luxor Capital Group, LP CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2. (a) X (b) o SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4. Delaware NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH: 5. SOLE VOTING POWER 0 SHARED VOTING POWER 6. 2,763,115 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 7. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8. 2,763,115 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 2,763,115 10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\* 11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 6.5% 12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\* PN

NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Luxor Management, LLC 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* (a) X (b) o SEC USE ONLY 3. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4. Delaware NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH: 5. SOLE VOTING POWER 0 SHARED VOTING POWER 6. 2,763,115 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 7. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8. 2,763,115 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 2,763,115 10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\* 11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 6.5% 12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\* 00

NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) LCG Holdings, LLC 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* (a) X (b) o SEC USE ONLY 3. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4. Delaware NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH: 5. SOLE VOTING POWER 0 6. SHARED VOTING POWER 818,075 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 7. 0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8. 818,075 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 818,075 10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) **EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*** 

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

1.9%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

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1. NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

#### Christian Leone

- 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*
- (a) X
- (b) o
- 3. SEC USE ONLY
- 4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

**United States** 

#### NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:

5. SOLE VOTING POWER

0

6. SHARED VOTING POWER

2,763,115

7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

2,763,115

- 9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 2,763,115
- 10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\* 0
- 11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

6.5%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

IN, HC

This statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-2(b) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, with respect to the shares of common stock (the "Common Stock") of Gulfport Energy Corporation (the "Issuer") beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons identified below as of December 31, 2007, and amends and supplements the Schedule 13G originally filed on November 28, 2005, as previously amended (collectively, the "Schedule 13G"). Except as set forth herein, the Schedule 13G is unmodified.

The names of the persons filing this statement on Schedule 13G are (collectively, the "Reporting Persons"):

- Luxor Capital Partners, LP, a Delaware limited partnership (the "Onshore Fund").
- LCG Select, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Select Onshore Fund").
- Luxor Capital Partners Offshore, Ltd., a Cayman Islands exempted company (the "Offshore Fund").
- LCG Select Offshore, Ltd., a Cayman Islands exempted company (the "Select Offshore Fund").
- Luxor Capital Group, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("Luxor Capital Group").
- Luxor Management, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Luxor Management").
- LCG Holdings, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("LCG Holdings").
- Christian Leone, a United States citizen ("Mr. Leone").

#### ITEM 4. OWNERSHIP.

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

- (a) Amount beneficially owned:
  - (i) The Onshore Fund owns 667,090 shares of Common Stock.
  - (ii) The Select Onshore Fund owns 150,985 shares of Common Stock.
  - (iii) The Offshore Fund owns 984,095 shares of Common Stock.
  - (iv) The Select Offshore Fund owns 744,031 shares of Common Stock.
  - (v) Luxor Capital Group, as the investment manager of the Onshore Fund, Select Onshore Fund, Offshore Fund and Select Offshore Fund may be deemed to beneficially own the 2,546,201 shares of Common Stock held by them, and an additional 216,914 shares of Common Stock held in accounts that it separately manages.

- (vi) Luxor Management and Mr. Leone may each be deemed to be the beneficial owners of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Luxor Capital Group.
- (vii) LCG Holdings may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the 818,075 shares of Common Stock held by the Onshore Fund and the Select Onshore Fund.
- (viii) Mr. Leone may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by LCG Holdings.
  - (ix) Collectively, the Reporting Persons beneficially own 2,763,115 shares of Common Stock.
  - (b) Percent of Class:
- (i) The Onshore Fund's ownership of 667,090 shares of Common Stock represents 1.6% of all of the outstanding shares of Common Stock based on the 42,422,476 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of December 12, 2007 as described in the Issuer's Form 424B5 filed on December 7, 2007.
- (ii) The Select Onshore Fund's ownership of 150,985 shares of Common Stock represents 0.4% of all of the outstanding shares of Common Stock.
- (iii) The Offshore Fund's ownership of 984,095 shares of Common Stock represents 2.3% of all of the outstanding shares of Common Stock.
- (iv) The Select Offshore Fund's ownership of 744,031 shares of Common Stock represents 1.8% of all of the outstanding shares of Common Stock.
- (v) LCG Holdings' beneficial ownership of the 818,075 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Onshore Fund and Select Onshore Fund represents 1.9% of all of the outstanding shares of Common Stock.
- (vi) Luxor Capital Group's, Luxor Management's and Mr. Leone's beneficial ownership of 2,763,115 shares of Common Stock represents 6.5% of all of the outstanding shares of Common Stock.
- (vii) Collectively, the Reporting Persons' beneficial ownership of 2,763,115 shares of Common Stock represents 6.5% of all of the outstanding shares of Common Stock.
  - (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
    - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote

Not applicable.

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote of shares of Common Stock:

The Onshore Fund, Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management, LCG Holdings and Mr. Leone have shared power to vote or direct the vote of the 667,090 shares of Common Stock held by the Onshore Fund.

The Select Onshore Fund, Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management, LCG Holdings and Mr. Leone have shared power to vote or direct the vote of the 150,985 shares of Common Stock held by the Select Onshore Fund.

The Offshore Fund, Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management and Mr. Leone have shared power to vote or direct the vote of the 984,095 shares of Common Stock held by the Offshore Fund.

The Select Offshore Fund, Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management and Mr. Leone have shared power to vote or direct the vote of the 744,031 shares of Common Stock held by the Select Offshore Fund.

Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management and Mr. Leone have shared power to vote or direct the vote of the 216,914 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Luxor Capital Group through the separate accounts it manages.

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of shares of Common Stock:

Not applicable.

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of shares of Common Stock:

The Onshore Fund, Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management, LCG Holdings and Mr. Leone have shared power to dispose or direct the disposition of the 667,090 shares of Common Stock beneficially held by the Onshore Fund.

The Select Onshore Fund, Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management, LCG Holdings and Mr. Leone have shared power to dispose or direct the disposition of the 150,985 shares of Common Stock beneficially held by the Select Onshore Fund.

The Offshore Fund, Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management and Mr. Leone have shared power to dispose or direct the disposition of the 984,095 shares of Common Stock held by the Offshore Fund.

The Select Offshore Fund, Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management and Mr. Leone have shared power to dispose or direct the disposition of the 744,031 shares of Common Stock held by the Offshore Fund.

Luxor Capital Group, Luxor Management and Mr. Leone have shared power to dispose or direct the disposition of the 216,914 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Luxor Capital Group through the separate accounts it manages.

#### ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION.

By signing below the undersigned certifies that, to the best of its or his knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

#### **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of its knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete, and correct.

Dated: February 14, 2008

LUXOR CAPITAL PARTNERS, LP

By: LCG Holdings, LLC, as General Partner

By: /s/ Norris Nissim

Norris Nissim,

General Counsel

LUXOR SELECT, LLC

By: LCG Holdings, LLC, as General Partner

By: /s/ Norris Nissim

Norris Nissim.

General Counsel

LUXOR CAPITAL PARTNERS OFFSHORE, LTD.

By: Luxor Capital Group, LP, as investment manager

By: /s/ Norris Nissim

Norris Nissim,

General Counsel

LUXOR SELECT OFFSHORE, LTD.

By: Luxor Capital Group, LP, as investment manager

By: /s/ Norris Nissim

Norris Nissim,

General Counsel

LUXOR CAPITAL GROUP, LP.

By: Luxor Management, LLC, as General Partner

By: /s/ Norris Nissim

Norris Nissim,

General Counsel

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By: /s/ Norris Nissim

Norris Nissim,

General Counsel

LUXOR MANAGEMENT, LLC

By: /s/ Norris Nissim

Norris Nissim,

General Counsel

/s/ Adam Miller

Adam Miller, as Attorney-in-Fact

for Christian Leone

#### **EXHIBIT C**

#### POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned hereby makes, constitutes and appoints each of Adam Miller and Elena Cimador as the undersigned's true and lawful authorized representative, attorney-in-fact and agent, each with the power individually to execute for and on behalf of the undersigned and to file with and deliver to the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any other authority or party required or entitled to receive the same: (a) any Forms 3, 4 and 5, and any amendments thereto, in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "1934 Act"), and the rules promulgated thereunder; and (b) any Schedule 13D or Schedule 13G, and any amendments thereto, on behalf of the undersigned in accordance with Section 13 of the 1934 Act and the rules promulgated thereunder.

The undersigned also hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact the full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary and proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that each of the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 or Section 13 or any other provision of the 1934 Act or the rules promulgated thereunder.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.					
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of January 20, 2006.					
/s/ Christian Leone					
Christian Leone					
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT IN NEW YORK STATE					
STATE OF NEW YORK ) : ss.:					
COUNTY OF NEW YORK)					
On January 20, 2006, before me, the undersigned personally appeared, Christian Leone, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.					
/s/ Michael J. Sadler					
[Notary Stamp and Seal]					