**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**

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|  | Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 8, 2010 | | | | |  |
|  |  |  | Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in | | |  |
|  |  |  | Charter; State of Incorporation; | | | IRS Employer |
| Commission File Number |  |  | Address and Telephone Number | | | Identification Number |
| 1-8962 |  |  | Pinnacle West Capital Corporation |  |  | 86-0512431 |
|  |  |  | (an Arizona corporation) | | |  |
|  |  |  | 400 North Fifth Street, P.O. Box 53999 | | |  |
|  |  |  | Phoenix, AZ 85072-3999 | | |  |
|  | (602) 250-1000 | | |  |  |  |

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**Item 8.01 Other Events**

**Pricing of Common Stock Offering**

On April 8, 2010, Pinnacle West Capital Corporation (“PNW”) issued a press release related to the pricing of its common stock offering, which is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**(d) Exhibits**

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| **Exhibit** |  | **Registrant** |  | **Description** |  |
| **No.** |  |  |  |
| 99.1 |  | PNW |  | Press Release issued on April 8, 2010. |  |
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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.

PINNACLE WEST CAPITAL CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Dated: April 8, 2010

By:

/s/ James R. Hatfield

James R. Hatfield



Senior Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

**Exhibit 99.1**



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| **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | | | **April 8, 2010** |
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**PINNACLE WEST ANNOUNCES PRICING**

**OF COMMON STOCK OFFERING**

PHOENIX — Pinnacle West Capital Corporation (NYSE: PNW) announced today the pricing of its previously announced public offering of six million shares of common stock at $38.00 per share.

These securities will be issued under a shelf registration statement previously filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The transaction is expected to close on April 14, 2010, subject to customary closing conditions.

In connection with the offering, the Company has granted the underwriters an option for a period of 30 days to purchase up to an additional 900,000 shares of the Company’s common stock.

Barclays Capital, Credit Suisse, BofA Merrill Lynch, and Wells Fargo Securities are acting as joint book-running managers for the transaction. Investors can obtain a copy of the final prospectus supplement relating to the offering from:

* Barclays Capital Inc., c/o Broadridge Integrated Distribution Services, 1155 Long Island Ave., Edgewood, NY 11717, telephone: (888) 603-5847,

fax: (631) 254-7140 or by e-mail at Barclaysprospectus@broadridge.com;

* Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, Prospectus Department, One Madison Ave., New York, NY 10010, telephone: (800) 221-1037;
* BofA Merrill Lynch, Attn: Prospectus Department, 4 World Financial Center, New York, NY 10080, or by e-mail at Prospectus.Requests@ml.com; or
* Wells Fargo Securities, Attn: Equity Syndicate Dept., 375 Park Ave., New York, NY 10152, telephone: (800) 326-5897 or by e-mail at equity.syndicate@wachovia.com.

Pinnacle West is a Phoenix-based company. Through its subsidiaries, the Company generates, sells and delivers electricity and sells energy-related products and services to retail and wholesale customers in the western United States.

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