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September 05, 2008

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934  
(Amendment No. 5)\*

Name of Issuer: PYRAMID OIL CO.

Title of Class of Securities: Common Stock, no par value

CUSIP Number: 747215 10 1

Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to  
Receive Notices and Communications:

Julia K. O'Neill  
The Feinberg Law Group, LLC  
57 River Street, Suite 204  
Wellesley, MA 02481  
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Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement: August 27, 2008

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition which is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(b)(3) or (4), check the following box [ ].

Note: Six copies of this statement, including all exhibits, should be filed with the Commission. See Rule 13d-1(a) for other parties to whom copies are to be sent.

\*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 securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information 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).

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON  
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON (entities only)

Michael D. Herman

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2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*

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(a) [ ]  
(b) [ ]

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS\*

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5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO  
ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e)

[ ]

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION:

United States of America

7 NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH SOLE  
VOTING POWER:

1,743,408

8 NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH  
SHARED VOTING POWER:

0

9 NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH SOLE  
DISPOSITIVE POWER:

1,743,408

10 NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH  
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER:

0

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON:

1,743,408

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*  
(not checked)

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13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11):

37.3%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

IN

\*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!  
INCLUDE BOTH SIDES OF THE COVER PAGE RESPONSES TO ITEMS 1-7 (INCLUDING  
EXHIBITS) OF THE SCHEDULE, AND THE SIGNATURE ATTESTATION.

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- (a) Mr. Herman is the beneficial owner of 1,743,408 shares of Common Stock, or approximately 37.3% of the outstanding Common Stock of the Issuer.
- (b) Mr. Herman has sole power to vote, direct the vote, dispose or and direct the disposition of all of the shares.
- (c) Mr. Herman recently sold the following numbers of shares of Common Stock of the Issuer through brokers' transactions at the following prices:

Date of Sale	No. of Shares Sold	Price Per Share (\$)
8/27/2008	3,450	14.42594
	800	14.41
	100	14.42
	4,790	14.4
	6,900	14.31638
	2,420	14.3
	4,153	14.69305
	16,707	14.6
	12,680	14.45
	8/28/2008	195
1,300		14.16
1,200		14.155
17,305		14.15
8,320		14.10209
180		14.05
6,939		14.00841
8,061		14
8/29/2008	14,200	13.9219
	800	13.9
	2,015	14.1
	1,100	13.63
	10,900	13.62789
	5,985	13.9
9/2/2008	3,823	14.27
	9,177	14.28865
	18,000	11.2
	16,000	11.3
	11,000	11.35141
	18,000	11.1
	9,997	11.2
	13,003	11.21
	3,425	11.7
	5,088	11.48
9/3/2008	10,512	11.5
	200	11.55
	200	11.56
	420	11.51
	17,155	11.53589
	3,150	10.9
	6,275	10.92251
9/4/2008	9,000	10.73667
	3,519	10.66494
	56	10.64
	8,000	11.15
	10,751	10.17786
	3,249	10.19754
	1,000	10.2199
	4,846	10.18

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	15,154	10.22441
	23,191	10.9
	300	10.97
9/5/2008	6,500	9.9
	3,500	9.96314
	10,000	9.7
	600	10.01
	4,400	10.03682

(d) Not applicable.

(e) Not applicable.

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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this Amendment No. 5 to Report on Schedule 13D is true, complete and correct.

Dated: Sept. 5, 2008

/s/ MICHAEL D. HERMAN

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Michael D. Herman

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