

Mechel OAO  
Form 6-K  
May 15, 2007

## FORM 6-K

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

### Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16

under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

May 15, 2007

Commission File Number: 333-119497

## MECHEL OAO

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**Krasnopresnenskaya Naberezhnaya 12**

**Moscow 123610**

**Russian Federation**

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

Form 20-F  Form 40-F

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registrant's security holders, and, if discussing a material event, has already been the subject of a Form 6-K submission or other Commission filing on EDGAR.

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Yes  No

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**MECHEL ANNOUNCES ANNUAL GENERAL SHAREHOLDERS MEETING**

**Moscow, Russia May 15, 2007, Mechel OAO (NYSE: MTL) today announced the date and agenda for the Company's Annual General Shareholders Meeting.**

In accordance with the meeting of the Board of Directors of Mechel OAO held on May 14, 2007, the Company's Annual General Shareholders Meeting has been scheduled to take place on June 29, 2007. The Annual General Shareholders Meeting will be held at 1 Krasnoarmeyskaya St, Moscow, Russian Federation.

The Board of Directors also approved the following agenda for the Annual General Shareholders Meeting:

- Approval of the Company's Annual Report.
- Approval of the Annual Financial Statements inclusive of the Income Statement (Profit and Loss Accounts) of the Company.
- Distribution of the Company's profit, including payment (declaration) of dividends, based on the financial year results.
- Election of members of the Company's Board of Directors.
- Election of members of the Company's Audit Commission.
- Approval of the auditor of the Company.

The list of the shareholders eligible to take part in the Annual General Shareholders Meeting shall be prepared based on the data of the Shareholders Register as of May 29, 2007.

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Some of the information in this press release may contain projections or other forward-looking statements regarding future events or the future financial performance of Mechel, as defined in the safe harbor provisions of the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. We wish to caution you that these statements are only predictions

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and that actual events or results may differ materially. We do not intend to update these statements. We refer you to the documents Mechel files from time to time with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, including our Form 20-F. These documents contain and identify important factors, including those contained in the section captioned Risk Factors and Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements in our Form 20-F, that could cause the actual results to differ materially from those contained in our projections or forward-looking statements, including, among others, the achievement of anticipated levels of profitability, growth, cost and synergy of our recent acquisitions, the impact of competitive pricing, the ability to obtain necessary regulatory approvals and licenses, the impact of developments in the Russian economic, political and legal environment, volatility in stock markets or in the price of our shares or ADRs, financial risk management and the impact of general business and global economic conditions.

**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, thereunto duly authorized.

MECHEL OAO

By: /s/ Igor Zyuzin  
Name: Igor Zyuzin  
Title: CEO

Date: May 15, 2007

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