Teekay Offshore Partners L.P. Form 6-K September 14, 2012

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

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

the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report: September 14, 2012

Commission file number 1- 33198

TEEKAY OFFSHORE PARTNERS L.P.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

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69 Pitts Bay Road

Hamilton, HM08 Bermuda

(Address of principal executive office)

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THIS REPORT ON FORM 6-K IS HEREBY INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE INTO THE FOLLOWING REGISTRATION STATEMENT OF THE PARTNERSHIP:

REGISTRATION STATEMENT ON FORM F-3ASR (NO. 333-174221) ORIGINALLY FILED WITH THE SEC ON MAY 13, 2011

Item 6 Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed as part of this Report:

- 1.1 Underwriting Agreement
- 5.1 Opinion of Watson, Farley and Williams (New York) LLP
- 8.1 Opinion of Perkins Coie LLP relating to tax matters

8.2 Opinion of Watson, Farley and Williams (New York) LLP relating to tax matters

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.

TEEKAY OFFSHORE PARTNERS L.P.

By: Teekay Offshore GP L.L.C., its general partner

Date: September 14, 2012

By: /s/ Peter Evensen Peter Evensen Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

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