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AMERICAN RETIREMENT CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 16, 2004

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 16, 2004  
(July 16, 2004)

AMERICAN RETIREMENT CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Tennessee                | 01-13031              | 62-1674303                           |
| (State of Incorporation) | (Commission File No.) | (IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |

|                                         |            |
|-----------------------------------------|------------|
| 111 Westwood Place, Suite 200           |            |
| Brentwood, Tennessee                    | 37027      |
| (Address of Principal Executive Office) | (Zip code) |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (615) 221-2250

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On July 16, 2004, American Retirement Corporation issued a press release announcing the refinancing of its remaining mezzanine debt. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

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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.

AMERICAN RETIREMENT CORPORATION

Date: July 16, 2004

By: /s/ Bryan D. Richardson

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Name: Bryan D. Richardson

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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Exhibit

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Press Release dated July 16, 2004

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