

ESTERLINE TECHNOLOGIES CORP  
Form 8-K  
February 03, 2005

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

January 28, 2005

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Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

ESTERLINE TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION

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(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

001-06357

13-2595091

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(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

(Commission File No.)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

500-108<sup>th</sup> Avenue NE, Bellevue, Washington 98004

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(425) 453-9400

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01. Other Events

On January 28, 2005, Esterline Technologies Corporation ("Esterline") completed the sale of the outstanding stock of its wholly owned subsidiary Fluid Regulators Corporation to TransDigm Inc. for approximately \$23.7 million in cash. As a result of the sale, Esterline expects to record a gain of approximately \$6.3 million, net of \$3.7 million in tax, in the fiscal quarter ended January 28, 2005.

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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.

ESTERLINE TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION

Dated: February 3, 2005

By: /s/ Robert D. George

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Name: Robert D. George  
Title: Vice President, Chief Financial Officer,  
Secretary and Treasurer

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