COMPASS MINERALS INTERNATIONAL INC Form 8-K November 23, 2004

UNITED STATES

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): November 23, 2004

Commission File Number 001-31921

Compass Minerals International, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

48-1135403 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

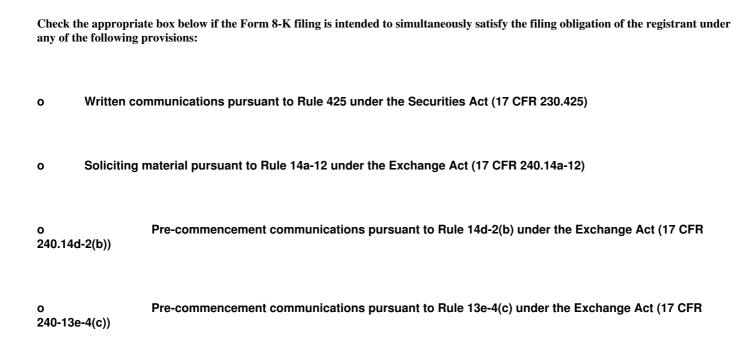
8300 College Blvd.

Overland Park, KS 66210

(913) 344-9200

(Address of principal executive offices and telephone number)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)



Item 8.01. Other Events.
Compass Minerals International, Inc. (Compass) is filing a certain exhibit under Item 9.01 hereof, which relates to Compass recent public offering of common stock. This offering closed today.
A group of stockholders, including Apollo Management L.P., Mosaic Global Holdings Inc. (formerly IMC Global Inc.) and Compass employed sold 4,064,024 shares of common stock at \$22.71 per share. Compass will not receive any proceeds from the sale.
Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits
(c) Exhibits:
Exhibit No. 1.01* Description Underwriting Agreement, dated as of November 18, 2004, among Compass Minerals International, Inc., the selling stockholders named therein and Goldman, Sachs & Co.
* Filed herewith.
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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

COMPASS MINERALS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Date: November 23, 2004

/s/ Rodney L. Underdown Rodney L. Underdown Chief Financial Officer

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