

PERKINELMER INC  
Form 8-K  
July 27, 2004

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**

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**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 27, 2004

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**PerkinElmer, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

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**Massachusetts**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-5075**  
(Commission File Number)

**04-2052042**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**45 William Street, Wellesley, Massachusetts**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**02481**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (781) 237-5100

**Not applicable**

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

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**Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On July 27, 2004, PerkinElmer, Inc. announced its financial results for the quarter ended June 27, 2004. The full text of the press release issued in connection with the announcement is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information in this Form 8-K (including Exhibit 99.1) shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act ) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

SIGNATURE

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.

Date: July 27, 2004

PerkinElmer, Inc.

By: /s/ Robert F. Friel

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Robert F. Friel,

Senior Vice President

and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press release dated July 27, 2004