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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8K

Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): March 1, 2004

JOHNSON & JOHNSON

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey 1-3215 22-1024240

(State or other Commission (I.R.S. Employer jurisdiction File Number) Identification No.) of incorporation)

One Johnson & Johnson Plaza, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08933

(Address of principal executive offices) (zip code)

Registrant's telephone number including area code: (732) 524-0400 Item 5. Other Events.

On March 1, 2004, Johnson & Johnson and Subsidiaries ("J&J") issued its Annual Report and is filing herewith certain financial information, including the audited consolidated financial statements of J&J as of December 28, 2003 and December 29, 2002 and for each of the years in the three-year period ended December 28, 2003, together with the related Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of J&J, which are being filed as Exhibit 99.15 to this Form 8-K and are incorporated herein by reference. Also incorporated herein by reference is the independent accountant's report also included in Exhibit 99.15.

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and ${\ensuremath{\mathsf{Exhibits}}}.$

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description of Exhibit

99.15 Audited Consolidated Financial Statements for the

period ended December 28, 2003

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.

JOHNSON & JOHNSON

Date: March 1, 2004 By: /s/ Stephen J. Cosgrove

Stephen J. Cosgrove Chief Accounting Officer