WATSON WYATT & CO HOLDINGS Form 8-K November 04, 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 4, 2004

WATSON WYATT & COMPANY HOLDINGS

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) **001-16159** (Commission File Number) **52-2211537** (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1717 H Street NW Washington, DC (Address of principal executive offices)

20006-3900 (Zip Code)

(202) 715-7000 (Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

In a press release on November 4, 2004, Watson Wyatt & Company Holdings, Inc. (the Company) announced and commented on its financial results for the first quarter of 2005 and provided a financial outlook for fiscal 2005. A copy of the Company s press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits. The following exhibit is furnished with this report:

Exhibit No. Description 99.1 Watson Wyatt & Company Holdings, Inc. s earnings release for the first quarter of 2005.

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Signatures

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

Watson Wyatt & Company Holdings

(Registrant)

Date:November 4, 2004BY:/s/ John J. Haley
John J. Haley
President and Chief Executive OfficerDate:November 4, 2004BY:/s/ Carl D. Mautz
Carl D. Mautz
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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