

NUCOR CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 27, 2005

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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): January 27, 2005**

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**NUCOR CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**1-4119**  
(Commission File Number)

**13-1860817**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**2100 Rexford Road, Charlotte, North Carolina**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**28211**  
(Zip Code)

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (704) 366-7000

N/A

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

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  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
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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 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On January 27, 2005, Nucor Corporation issued a news release reporting its financial results for the year ended December 31, 2004. A copy of the news release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

99.1 News Release of Nucor Corporation, issued January 27, 2005

**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.

NUCOR CORPORATION

By: /s/ Terry S. Lisenby

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Terry S. Lisenby  
Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer and  
Executive Vice President

Dated: January 27, 2005

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
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