

DONALDSON CO INC  
Form 8-K  
May 13, 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): May 12, 2004

**DONALDSON COMPANY, INC.**

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

**1-7891**

**41-0222640**

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(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission file number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**1400 West 94th Street  
Minneapolis, MN 55431**

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(Address of principal executive offices)

**(952) 887-3131**

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code

**Not Applicable**

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

**Item 5. Other Events.**

On May 12, 2004, Donaldson Company, Inc. announced the outcome of a jury trial between Donaldson and Engineered Products Company, Inc., headquartered in Waterloo, Iowa. A copy of the press release that discusses this matter is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to, and incorporated by reference in, this report.

**Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release, dated May 12, 2004, issued by Donaldson Company, Inc.

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**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: May 12, 2004

**DONALDSON COMPANY, INC.**

By: /s/ Thomas R. VerHage

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Thomas R. VerHage  
Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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