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September 29, 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) September 28, 2004

SPRINT CORPORATION  
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Kansas	1-04721	48-0457967
(State of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

6200 Sprint Parkway, Overland Park, Kansas	66251
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (913) 624-3000

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

P. O. Box 7997, Shawnee Mission, Kansas 66207-0997  
(Mailing address of principal executive offices)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

On September 28, 2004, the Board of Directors of Sprint Corporation ("Sprint") elected a new director, William H. Swanson. Mr. Swanson is the Chairman and

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Chief Executive Officer of Raytheon Company, an industry leader in defense and government electronics, space, information technology, technical services, and business and special mission aircraft. The Sprint Board has not yet appointed Mr. Swanson to serve on any Board committee. A copy of Sprint's press release announcing Mr. Swanson's election to the Board of Directors is attached as Exhibit 99 to this report and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

99 Press Release announcing election of William H. Swanson as a director of Sprint Corporation.

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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.

SPRINT CORPORATION

Date: September 29, 2004

By: /s/ Michael T. Hyde  
Michael T. Hyde, Assistant Secretary

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