

USA TRUCK INC  
Form 8-K  
April 23, 2004

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### FORM 8-K

#### CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 of 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 22, 2004

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### USA TRUCK, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<b>Delaware</b> (state Or Other Jurisdiction)	<b>0-19858</b> (Commission file number)	<b>71-0556971</b> (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
Of Incorporation Or Organization)		

**3200 Industrial Park Road**

**Van Buren, Arkansas**  
(address Of Principal Executive Offices)

**72956**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (479) 471-2500

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Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 News release issued by the registrant on April 22, 2004.

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On April 22, 2004, the registrant issued a news release announcing its revenues and earnings for the first quarter of 2004. A copy of the news release is furnished as an exhibit to this Form 8-K.

SIGNATURES

In accordance with 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, thereunto duly authorized.

**USA Truck, Inc.**

*(Registrant)*

Date: April 23, 2004

/s/ ROBERT M. POWELL

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**Robert M. Powell**

*Chairman and Chief*

*Executive Officer*

Date: April 23, 2004

/s/ JERRY D. ORLER

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**Jerry D. Orler**

*President*

Date: April 23, 2004

/s/ CLIFTON R. BECKHAM

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**Clifton R. Beckham**

*Sr. Vice President Finance, Chief*

*Financial Officer and Secretary*