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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

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

Date of Report April 29, 2004

Commission File Number 1-6780

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**RAYONIER INC.**

Incorporated in the State of North Carolina

I.R.S. Employer Identification Number 13-2607329

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ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits:

99 Rayonier Reports Strong First Quarter 2004 Results, dated April 28, 2004

ITEM 12. DISCLOSURE OF RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

The following information is being furnished pursuant to Item 12, Disclosure of Results of Operations and Financial Condition .

On April 28, 2004, a press release was issued announcing first quarter 2004 consolidated earnings for Rayonier. A copy of Rayonier's press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

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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.

RAYONIER INC. (Registrant)

BY: /s/ Hans E. Vanden Noort

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Hans E. Vanden Noort

Vice President and Corporate Controller

April 29, 2004

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| <b><u>EXHIBIT NO.</u></b> | <b><u>DESCRIPTION</u></b>                                                | <b><u>LOCATION</u></b> |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 99                        | Rayonier Reports Strong First Quarter 2004 Results, dated April 28, 2004 | Furnished herewith     |