

HARMAN INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIES INC /DE/  
Form 8-K  
October 27, 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 1937**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): **October 27, 2004**

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**HARMAN INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIES, INCORPORATED**

(Exact Name of Registrant as specified in Charter)

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**Delaware**

(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**1-9764**

(Commission File Number)

**11-2534306**

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

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**1101 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**20004**

(Zip Code)

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**(202) 393-1101**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instructions A.2. below):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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 October 27, 2004, Harman International issued a press release announcing its financial results for the first quarter ended September 30, 2004. A copy of the press release is furnished as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 7.01**

**Regulation FD Disclosure**

See Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

**Item 9.01**

**Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description</u>                                                                   |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 99.1               | Harman International Industries, Incorporated press release, dated October 27, 2004. |

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**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.

Harman International Industries, Incorporated  
(Registrant)

Date: October 27, 2004

By: /s/ Frank Meredith  
Name: Frank Meredith  
Title: Executive Vice-President and Chief Financial Officer

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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