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Form 8-K October 26, 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): October 25, 2004

The St. Paul Travelers Companies, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota 001-10898 41-0518860 (State or other (Commission (IRS Employer jurisdiction of incorporation) File Number) Identification Number)

385 Washington Street
Saint Paul, Minnesota

55102

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(651) 310-7911

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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

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 Instruction A.2. below):

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

Item 8.01. Other Events.

As part of an ongoing, industry-wide investigation of insurance sales practices, the Office of the Attorney General of the State of New York has subpoenaed The St. Paul Travelers Companies, Inc., requesting documents and seeking information relating to the conduct of business between insurance

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brokers and The St. Paul Travelers Companies, Inc. and its subsidiaries. On October 25, 2004, The St. Paul Travelers Companies, Inc. issued a press release regarding this matter. The press release is furnished as Exhibit 99 to this Report and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99 Press release issued by The St. Paul Travelers Companies, Inc. on October 25, 2004.

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.

Date: October 26, 2004 THE ST. PAUL TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC.

By: /s/ Bruce A. Backberg

Name: Bruce A. Backberg Title: Senior Vice President

EXHIBIT INDEX

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