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> 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): May 7, 2004

The Interpublic Group of Companies, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

1-6686 13-1024020 Delaware ______

(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission File (IRS Employer of Incorporation) Number) Identification No.)

1271 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 212-399-8000

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure.

On May 7, 2004, The Interpublic Group of Companies, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing its first quarter earnings, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is hereby incorporated into this report by reference to this exhibit. This press release is also being furnished pursuant to Item 12.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1: Press Release of the Company, dated May 7, 2004.

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Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 7, 2004, the Company issued a press release announcing its first quarter earnings, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

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.

THE INTERPUBLIC GROUP OF COMPANIES, INC.

Date: May 7, 2004 By: /s/ Nicholas J. Camera

Nicholas J. Camera Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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