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STATE AUTO FINANCIAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
September 23, 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):  
September 23, 2004 (September 22, 2004)

STATE AUTO FINANCIAL CORPORATION

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio  
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(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

0-19289  
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(Commission  
File Number)

31-1324304  
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(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

518 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio  
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(Address of principal executive offices)

43215-3976  
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(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (614) 464-5000  
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Not Applicable

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to  
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following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act  
(17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act  
(17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the  
Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the  
Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Section 8. Other Events

Item 8.01. Other Events.

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference is a press release issued by State Auto Financial Corporation on September 22, 2004.

Section 9. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
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99.1	Press release issued by State Auto Financial Corporation on September 22, 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.

STATE AUTO FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Date: September 23, 2004

By /s/ Steven J. Johnston  
Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

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