

HOME PRODUCTS INTERNATIONAL INC
Form 8-K
June 18, 2004

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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): June 18, 2004

Home Products International, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

4501 West 47th Street, Chicago, IL
(Address of principal executive offices)

0-17237
(Commission File Number)

60632
(Zip Code)

36-4147027
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (773) 890-1010

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

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On June 18, 2004, the Company issued a press release relating to a lawsuit that was filed against it and its board of directors. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and the information contained in the press release is incorporated herein by reference.

Note: The information in this report (including the exhibit) is furnished pursuant to Item 9 and shall not be deemed to be filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section.

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.

Dated: June 18, 2004

HOME PRODUCTS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /s/ James E. Winslow

James E. Winslow
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial
Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Exhibit</u> |
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| 99.1 | Press Release, dated June 18, 2004. |