

HOME PRODUCTS INTERNATIONAL INC  
Form 8-K  
July 19, 2004

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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## FORM 8-K

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CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT  
TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

DATE OF REPORT: July 16, 2004

(Date of the earliest event reported)

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## Home Products International, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Delaware

(State of Incorporation)

0-17237  
(Commission File Number)

36-4147027  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

4501 West 47th Street Chicago, IL

60632

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

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

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**ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS**

On July 16, 2004 Home Products International, Inc. issued the press release contained in exhibit 99.1, which is incorporated by reference herein.

**ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, PRO FORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND EXHIBITS**

c) Exhibits

99.1 Press release issued by Home Products International Inc. dated July 16, 2004.

**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.

Home Products International, Inc.

By: /s/ James E. Winslow

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James E. Winslow

Executive Vice President

and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: July 19, 2004

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
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