

TERADYNE INC  
Form 8-K  
March 30, 2005

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**UNITED STATES**  
**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 (Date of earliest event reported): March 28, 2005**

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**TERADYNE, INC.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)**

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**Massachusetts**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**  
**of Incorporation)**

**001-06462**  
**(Commission File Number)**

**04-2272148**  
**(IRS Employer**

**Identification No.)**

**321 Harrison Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts**  
**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)**

**02118**  
**(Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code (617) 482-2700**

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

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- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - .. 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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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers**

(d) On March 28, 2005, the Board of Directors of Teradyne, Inc. elected Paul J. Tufano as a Director, as announced in the Company's press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

The exhibit listed below and in the accompanying Exhibit Index is furnished as a part of this Current Report on Form 8-K.

**(c) Exhibits**

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1*	Press Release, dated March 29, 2005, of Teradyne Inc.

\* Furnished not filed.

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

TERADYNE, INC.

Dated: March 30, 2005

By:           /s/ Gregory R. Beecher          

Name: Gregory R. Beecher  
Title: V.P. & Chief Financial Officer

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