

WATERS CORP /DE/  
Form 8-K  
January 29, 2004

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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) January 29, 2004

**Waters Corporation**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

01-14010  
(Commission File Number)

13-3668640  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

34 Maple Street, Milford, Massachusetts  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

01757  
(Zip Code)

(508) 478-2000  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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

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( c ) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Waters Corporation press release dated January 29, 2004 for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2003.

Exhibit 99.2 Waters Corporation supplemental information disclosure of free cash flow for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2003.

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure (furnished under Item 12, Disclosure of Results of Operations and Financial Condition)

On January 29, 2004, Waters Corporation announced its results of operations for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2003. A copy of the related press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

The information provided in this Form 8-K is being furnished under Item 12, Disclosure of Results of Operations and Financial Condition, and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific release in such a filing.

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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.

WATERS CORPORATION

Dated: January 29, 2004

By: /s/ John Ornell

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Name: John Ornell  
Title: Senior Vice President,  
Finance and Administration  
and Chief Financial Officer