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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): September 9, 2004

CVS CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-01011 050494040

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

One CVS Drive
Woonsocket, Rhode Island
(Address of Principal Executive
Offices)

02895

(Zip Code)

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On September 9, 2004, CVS Corporation announced the pricing of \$1.2 billion private placement of unsecured 5 & 10-year senior notes . A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release Dated September 9, 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.

CVS CORPORATION

Date: September 9, 2004 By: /s/ David B. Rickard

Name: David B. Rickard

Title: Executive Vice President,

Chief Financial Officer and Chief

Administrative Officer