

GNC CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 08, 2005

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): March 4, 2005

**GNC Corporation**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**333-116040**  
(Commission File Number)

**72-1575170**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**300 Sixth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15222**  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

**(412) 288-4600**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- 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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On March 4, 2005, GNC Corporation through its wholly owned subsidiary, General Nutrition Centers, Inc., announced its financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2004. A copy of the press release issued in connection with the announcement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information contained in this report and the exhibits hereto shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of such Section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release of General Nutrition Centers, Inc. dated March 4, 2005

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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.

Dated: March 8, 2005.

GNC CORPORATION

By: /s/James M. Sander

Name: James M. Sander

Title: Senior Vice President, Chief Legal  
Officer and Secretary

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
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