UNITED STATES

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SECURITIES	AND EXCHANGE CO	OMMISSION
	Washington, D.C. 20549	
	Form 8-K	
	CURRENT REPORT	
Pu	RSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE	E
	SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934	
Date of Re	port (Date of earliest event reported): April	21, 2004
	GARD DATA SYSTEMS Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)	Inc.
DELAWARE (State or Other Jurisdiction	1-12989 (Commission File Number)	51-0267091 (I.R.S. Employer
of Incorporation)		Identification No.)
	680 E. C. Chenegrond Doan Wayne Drivicky	10097

680 EAST SWEDESFORD ROAD, WAYNE, PENNSYLVANIA (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

19087 (Zip Code)

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Registrant stelephone number, including area code: 484-582-2000

Not Applicable

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

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Item 7. <u>Financial Statements</u>, <u>Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits</u>.

	(a)	Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired.	
None	.		
	(b)	Pro Forma Financial Information.	
None) .		
	(c)	Exhibits.	
99.1: Press Release, dated April 21, 2004, issued by SunGard Data Systems Inc.			
Item	12. <u>R</u>	Results of Operations and Financial Condition.	

On April 21, 2004, SunGard Data Systems Inc. issued a press release announcing its financial results for the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2004. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report. The information in this Item 12, including the Exhibit attached hereto, shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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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.

SUNGARD DATA SYSTEMS INC.

Date: April 21, 2004 By: /s/ Michael J. Ruane

Michael J. Ruane

Senior Vice President-Finance and

Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

The following is a list of Exhibits furnished with this report.

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