

GILDAN ACTIVEWEAR INC  
Form 6-K  
January 12, 2005

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER**

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 under  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of: **January 2005**

Commission File Number: **1-14830**

**GILDAN ACTIVEWEAR INC.**  
*(Translation of Registrant's name into English)*

**725 Montée de LiesseVille  
Saint-Laurent, Quebec  
Canada H4T 1P5**  
*(Address of principal executive offices)*

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F

Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes

No

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the Registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):  
82-N/A.

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**SIGNATURE**

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.

**GILDAN ACTIVEWEAR INC.**

(Signed) Stéphane Lemay

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Stéphane Lemay  
Vice-President, Public and Legal Affairs

**Date** January 11, 2005

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**LIST OF EXHIBITS**

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