

OWENS & MINOR INC/VA/  
Form 8-K  
April 22, 2004

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of the**  
**Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 21, 2004**

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**Owens & Minor, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Virginia**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation

**4800 Cox Road, Glen Allen, Virginia**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**1-9810**  
(Commission

File Number)

**54-1701843**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**23060**  
(Zip Code)

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**Registrant's telephone number, including area code (804) 747-9794**

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Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release by Registrant on April 21, 2004 (furnished pursuant to Item 12).

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 21, 2004, the Registrant issued a press release regarding its financial results for the first quarter ended March 31, 2004. The Registrant is furnishing this 8-K and the press release attached hereto pursuant to Item 12 of Form 8-K.

**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.

**OWENS & MINOR, INC.**

Date: April 21, 2004

By: */s/* Grace R. den Hartog

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Name: Grace R. den Hartog

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and

Corporate Secretary

**Exhibit Index**

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
99.1	Press Release by Registrant on April 21, 2004.