

CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS INC

Form 8-K

July 21, 2004

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**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): **July 21, 2004**

CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

DELAWARE

1-10606

77-0148231

(State or Other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**2655 SEELY AVENUE, BUILDING 5
SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA 95134**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: **(408) 943-1234**

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Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On July 21, 2004, Cadence Design Systems, Inc. issued a press release announcing its financial results for the second quarter of 2004. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Dated as of July 21, 2004

CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS, INC.

By: /s/ William Porter
William Porter
Senior Vice President and Chief
Financial Officer

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<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release issued by Cadence Design Systems, Inc., dated July 21, 2004.