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UNITED STATES 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): September 1, 2004

Veritas DGC Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

10300 Town Park Houston, Texas

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (832) 351-8300

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(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

(Zip Code)

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On September 1, 2004, Registrant issued a press release that it will delay its earnings release and related teleconference previously scheduled for September 2, 2004. Registrant also announced in the press release its expected range of earnings per share for the fourth quarter. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

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Exhibit

Exhibit No.

Description

99.1 Press release issued September 1, 2004

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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.

VERITAS DGC INC.

Date:	September 2, 2004	By:	/s/ LARRY WORDEN
		Name: Title:	Larry Worden Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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