

BARNWELL INDUSTRIES INC  
Form 8-K  
February 17, 2004

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 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): **February 17, 2004**

**BARNWELL INDUSTRIES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE**

(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**1-5103**

(Commission  
File Number)

**72-0496921**

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**1100 Alakea Street, Suite 2900, Honolulu, Hawaii**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**96813**

(Zip Code)

**(808) 531-8400**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

ITEM 12. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

Barnwell Industries, Inc. issued a press release on February 17, 2004 regarding the announcement of its financial results for the quarter ended December 31, 2003, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Exhibit 99.1                      Press Release dated February 17, 2004.

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.

BARNWELL INDUSTRIES, INC.  
(Registrant)

/s/ Russell M. Gifford  
Russell M. Gifford  
Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: February 17, 2004