

DOVER CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 20, 2004

**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 19, 2004

**DOVER CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

STATE OF DELAWARE  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

1-4018  
(Commission  
File Number)

53-0257888  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

280 Park Avenue, New York, NY  
(Address of principal executive offices)

10017  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 922-1640

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Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release of Dover Corporation, dated July 19, 2004

Item 12. Results of Operation and Financial Condition

On July 19, 2004, Dover Corporation issued the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 announcing its results of operations for its quarter ended June 30, 2004.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibits, is being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any of Dover Corporation's filings with the SEC under the Securities Act of 1933.

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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.

DOVER CORPORATION  
(Registrant)

Date: July 19, 2004

By: /s/ Joseph W. Schmidt

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Joseph W. Schmidt, Vice President,  
General Counsel & Secretary

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