INVESTOOLS INC Form 8-K October 19, 2004

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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) October 19, 2004 (October 13, 2004)

INVESTOOLS INC.

Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter

DELAWARE

0-31226

76-0685039

State of Incorporation or Organization

(Commission File Number)

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

5959 CORPORATE DRIVE, SUITE LL 250 HOUSTON, TEXAS

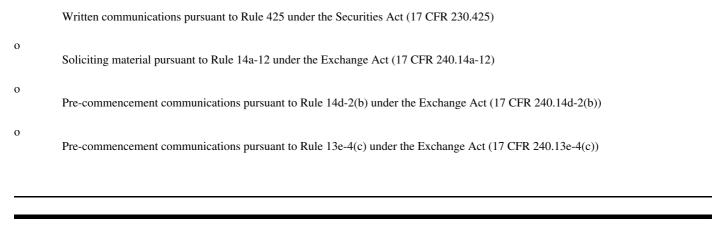
Address of Principal Executive Offices

77036 Zip Code

(281) 588-9700

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Item 1.02 Termination of a Material Definitive Agreement.

On October 13, 2004, INVESTools Inc. (the "Company") and Scott K. Waltz, the Company's Senior Vice President, Chief Marketing Officer, mutually agreed to terminate Mr. Waltz's employment agreement. Mr. Waltz's responsibilities will be assumed by Dan Olson, the Company's Vice President, Marketing, who has been employed by the Company in this role since 1999.

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

Effective on October 13, 2004, the Company and Scott K. Waltz, Senior Vice President, Chief Marketing Officer, mutually agreed to terminate Mr. Waltz's employment with the Company. Mr. Waltz's responsibilities will be assumed by Dan Olson, the Company's Vice President, Marketing, who has been employed by the Company in this role since 1999.

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.

INVESTOOLS, INC.

By: /s/ PAUL A. HELBLING

Paul A. Helbling Chief Financial Officer

Dated: October 19, 2004

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