

LEGGETT & PLATT INC  
Form 8-K  
January 31, 2005

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)**  
**of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) January 31, 2005

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**LEGGETT & PLATT, INCORPORATED**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Missouri**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-7845**  
(Commission File Number)

**44-0324630**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**No. 1 Leggett Road, Carthage, MO**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**64836**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code 417-358-8131

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N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 31, 2005, Leggett & Platt, Incorporated issued a press release announcing financial results for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2004. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

This information is being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or incorporated by reference into any document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

On February 1, 2005, the company will hold an investor conference call to discuss its fourth quarter financial results.

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.

LEGGETT & PLATT, INCORPORATED

Date: January 31, 2005

By: /s/ Ernest C. Jett

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Ernest C. Jett  
Senior Vice President, General Counsel and

Secretary

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description</u>                   |
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| 99.1               | Press Release dated January 31, 2005 |