

AMERISOURCEBERGEN CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 25, 2004

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

Washington, DC 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): March 25, 2004

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**AmerisourceBergen Corporation**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of

**1-16671**  
Commission File Number

**23-3079390**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

Incorporation or Organization)

**1300 Morris Drive Chesterbrook, PA**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**19087**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (610) 727-7000

N/A

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

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Item 5. Other Events.

On March 25, 2004, AmerisourceBergen Corporation (the Registrant ) issued a news release announcing that the United States Court of Federal Claims denied the protest filed by the Registrant's wholly-owned subsidiary, AmerisourceBergen Drug Corporation, seeking to overturn the recent award of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Pharmaceutical Prime Vendor contract to McKesson Corporation. A copy of the news release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 News Release dated March 25, 2004

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.

AMERISOURCEBERGEN CORPORATION

Date: March 25, 2004

By:           /s/ Michael D. DiCandilo          

Name: Michael D. DiCandilo

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer