

RESPIRONICS INC  
Form 8-K  
January 22, 2004

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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**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): January 22, 2004

**RESPIRONICS, INC.**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware   | 000-16723                   | 25-1304989                                 |
| (State or Other<br>Jurisdiction of<br>Incorporation) | (Commission File<br>Number) | (I.R.S. Employer<br>Identification Number) |

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| 1010 Murry Ridge Lane<br>Murrysville, Pennsylvania | 15668-8525 |
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|   |            |
|---|------------|
| (Address of Principal<br>Executive Offices) | (Zip Code) |
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724-387-5200

(Registrant's telephone number,  
including area code)

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**Item 9. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.**

The following information is furnished pursuant to Item 12, Disclosure of Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 22, 2004, Respironics Inc. issued a press release announcing its financial results for the three and six months ended December 31, 2003. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

**Exhibits**

99 Press release, dated January 22, 2004, issued by Respironics, Inc.

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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.

RESPIRONICS, INC.

By: /s/ Daniel J. Bevevino

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Daniel J. Bevevino  
Vice President, and Chief Financial and  
Principal Accounting Officer

Dated: January 22, 2004

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| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>  |
|--------------------|---|
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