

WEST PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES INC  
Form 8-K  
July 20, 2004

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, DC 20549  
**FORM 8 - K**  
**CURRENT REPORT**

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

**Date of earliest event reported : July 20, 2004**

**Commission File Number 1-8036**

**WEST PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES, INC.**  
**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Pennsylvania**  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

**23-1210010**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**101 Gordon Drive, PO Box 645,**  
**Lionville, PA**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**19341-0645**  
(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **610-594-2900**

**N/A**

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

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

(c) Exhibits:

Exhibit # Description

99.1 West Pharmaceutical Services, Inc. Press Release, dated July 20, 2004.

Item 12. Disclosure of Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 20, 2004 West Pharmaceutical Services, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing the Company's second quarter financial results for the quarter ended June 30, 2004. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

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**SIGNATURE**

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, thereunto duly authorized.

WEST PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES, INC.

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Date: July 20, 2004

/s/ William J. Federici

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William J. Federici  
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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