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) November 23, 2004

AZTAR CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-5440 86-0636534

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

2390 East Camelback Road, Suite 400,
Phoenix, Arizona

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant

^{&#}x27;s telephone number, including area code (602) 381-4100

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Not Applicable

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

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[]	Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
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ITEM 8.01. Other Events

On November 23, 2004, Aztar Corporation issued a press release announcing the Company's limited opening of Tropicana Atlantic City expansion. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99 and is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits:

99 Press release dated November 23, 2004,

announcing the Company's limited opening of

Tropicana Atlantic City expansion.

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.

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AZTAR CORPORATION

By: /s/ ROBERT M. HADDOCK
Robert M. Haddock
President and
Chief Financial Officer

Date: November 23, 2004

EXHIBIT INDEX

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