AVOCENT CORP Form 8-K February 03, 2004

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): February 3, 2004

AVOCENT CORPORATION (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

DELAWARE 000-30575 91-2032368 (State of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

> 4991 CORPORATE DRIVE HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA 35805 (Address of Principal Executive Offices / Zip Code)

(256) 430-4000 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 3, 2004, Avocent Corporation publicly disseminated a press release announcing the financial results for its fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2003. The information contained in the press release is incorporated herein by reference and furnished as Exhibit 99.2 hereto and shall be deemed furnished under Item 12 of Form 8-K.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

AVOCENT CORPORATION

Dated: February 3, 2004

By: /s/ Douglas E. Pritchett

Douglas E. Pritchett Senior Vice President of Finance, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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