GREENBRIER COMPANIES INC Form 8-K

November 10, 2004

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UNITED STATES 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 10, 2004

THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File No. 1-13146

Delaware (State of Incorporation)

93-0816972 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

One Centerpointe Drive, Suite 200, Lake Oswego, OR 97035

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(503) 684-7000 (Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

The following information is disclosed pursuant to Item 12 on Form 8-K:

On November 10, 2004, The Greenbrier Companies issued a press release reporting the Company s results of operations for the year ended August 31, 2004. A copy of such release is attached as Exhibit 99.1

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (c) Exhibits:
- 99.1 Press Release dated November 10, 2004 of The Greenbrier Companies, 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 thereunto duly authorized.

THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC.

Date: November 10, 2004 By: /s/ Larry G. Brady

Larry G. Brady

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)