

AMERICAN VANGUARD CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 08, 2004

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

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

**Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): July 7, 2004**

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**AMERICAN VANGUARD CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**0-6354**  
Commission File Number

**95-2588080**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**4695 MacArthur Court**

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**Newport Beach, California 92660**

**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**Registrant's telephone number: (949) 260-1200**

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**Item 5. Other Events**

On July 7, 2004, American Vanguard issued a press release attached hereto exhibit 99.1. The release announced that American Vanguard Corporation was added to the Russell 3000<sup>®</sup> and 2000<sup>®</sup> Indexes. The press release is more particularly described in Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 7. Exhibits**

Exhibit 99.1 Press release issued July 7, 2004.

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

**AMERICAN VANGUARD CORPORATION**

(Registrant)

By: /s/ James A. Barry

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James A. Barry  
Senior Vice President  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: July 7, 2004

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