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## REMINDER – REVISED FORM 8-K AND ACCELERATED FILING DEADLINE EFFECTIVE AUGUST 23, 2004

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As a follow-up to our E-Zine dated April 13, 2004, we would like to remind our clients and friends that beginning on August 23, 2004, issuers will be required to comply with SEC rules that amend Form 8-K to expand the number of events that are required to be reported on the form. The amendments also shorten the Form 8-K filing deadline for most items to four business days after the occurrence of an event triggering the disclosure requirements.

Additional guidance about the new 8-K filing requirements can be found in the SEC's final rule release. ([Click here to link to the full text of the final rule release.](#)) A copy of our original E-Zine can be found on our website. ([Click here to link to our April 13, 2004 E-Zine regarding revised Form 8-K.](#))

The SEC has posted a copy of revised Form 8-K on its website. ([Click here to link to the full text of revised Form 8-K.](#))

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