



ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

The information set forth in the Registrant's press release regarding its proposed private placement of \$1.65 billion aggregate principal amount of senior notes (the "Notes"), dated November 30, 2004, which is filed as exhibit 99.1 hereto, is incorporated herein by reference.

The information contained in this Current Report on Form 8-K is neither an offer to sell nor a solicitation of an offer to buy any of the Notes. The Notes to be offered will not be registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or applicable state securities laws and may not be offered or sold in the United States absent registration or an applicable exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS SIGNATURES

(c) Exhibits

| <u>Exhibit</u> | <u>Description</u> |
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| 99.1 | Press Release, dated November 30, 2004. |
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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 CLOROX COMPANY

Date: November 30, 2004

By: /s/ PAMELA FLETCHER

Pamela Fletcher

Vice President - Secretary

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