GENERAL ELECTRIC CO Form 8-K July 09, 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) July 9, 2004

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York	1-35	14-0689340
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
3135 Easton Turnpike, Fairfield, Connecticut		06828-0001

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (203) 373-2211

(Zip Code)

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Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

The following information is furnished pursuant to Item 9, "Regulation FD Disclosure" and Item 12, "Results of Operations and Financial Condition."

On July 9, 2004, General Electric Company issued a press release setting forth GE's second-quarter 2004 earnings. A copy of GE's press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99 and hereby incorporated by reference.

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99 Press release, dated: July 9, 2004, issued by General Electric Company

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

By: /s/ Philip D. Ameen

Philip D. Ameen Vice President and Comptroller

Date: July 9, 2004

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