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SILGAN HOLDINGS INC Form 8-K August 18, 2004

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 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): August 16, 2004

SILGAN HOLDINGS INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware 000-22117 06-1269834

(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

4 Landmark Square, Stamford, Connecticut 06901

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (203) 975-7110

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Item 5. Other Events.

On August 16, 2004, the registrant announced that it had appointed Robert B. Lewis as its Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer. The registrant also indicated, as previously announced, that Anthony J. Allott was

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promoted to President of the registrant and that D. Greg Horrigan was appointed Co-Chairman of the Board along with R. Philip Silver with both Messrs. Silver and Horrigan continuing in their Co-Chief Executive Officer roles. For additional information regarding this announcement, refer to Exhibit 99.1 filed with this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

SILGAN HOLDINGS INC.

By: /s/ Frank W. Hogan, III

Frank W. Hogan, III

Senior Vice President, General Counsel

and Secretary

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