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FORTUNE BRANDS INC  
Form 8-K  
June 09, 2004

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UNITED STATES  
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

June 9, 2004

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Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

FORTUNE BRANDS, INC.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-9076	13-3295276
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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

300 Tower Parkway, Lincolnshire, Illinois	60069
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(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (847) 484-4400  
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## INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

### Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

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#### (c) Exhibits.

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99. Press release of Registrant dated June 9, 2004 is being furnished pursuant to Item 9.

### Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

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Registrant is furnishing its press release dated June 9, 2004. The press release is included herewith as Exhibit 99 and is incorporated herein by reference.

#### SIGNATURE

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this Current Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

FORTUNE BRANDS, INC.

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(Registrant)

By /s/ C. P. Omtvedt

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C. P. Omtvedt  
Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: June 9, 2004

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