

AMERICAN VANGUARD CORP  
Form 8-K  
June 25, 2004

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF**  
**THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): June 24, 2004

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**AMERICAN VANGUARD CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**0-6354**  
Commission File Number

**95-2588080**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**4695 MacArthur Court**

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**Newport Beach, California 92660**

**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**Registrant's telephone number: (949) 260-1200**

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**Item 5. Other Events**

On June 24, 2004, American Vanguard issued a press release attached hereto exhibit 99.1. The release announced that American Vanguard Corporation expanded the Company's management team with the hiring of Mark H. Blincoe as Chief Administrative Officer, more particularly described in Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 7. Exhibits**

Exhibit 99.1 Press release issued June 24, 2004.

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

**AMERICAN VANGUARD CORPORATION**  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ James A. Barry

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James A. Barry  
Senior Vice President  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: June 24, 2004

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press release dated June 24, 2004, of American Vanguard Corporation announcing the addition of Chief Administrative Officer.