

SIMPSON MANUFACTURING CO INC /CA/  
Form 8-K  
January 26, 2005

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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**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 25, 2005**

**Simpson Manufacturing Co., Inc.**

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*(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)*

**Delaware**

**0-23804**

**94-3196943**

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*(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)*

*(Commission  
file number)*

*(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)*

**4120 Dublin Boulevard, Suite 400, Dublin, CA 94568**

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*(Address of principal executive offices)*

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code): (925) 560-9000**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On January 25, 2005, Simpson Manufacturing Co., Inc. announced its fourth quarter 2004 earnings in a press release reproduced below.

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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.

**SIMPSON MANUFACTURING Co., INC.**

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(Registrant)

**DATE:** January 25, 2005

By /s/ MICHAEL J. HERBERT

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Michael J. Herbert  
Chief Financial Officer

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