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**UNITED STATES
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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): March 3, 2004

Commission File Number 1-8097

ENSCO International Incorporated

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

76-0232579

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

**500 North Akard Street
Suite 4300**

Dallas, Texas

(Address of principal executive offices)

75201-3331

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(214) 397-3000**

Item 5. Other Events

Attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the press release dated March 3, 2004 of ENSCO International Incorporated.

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.

Document

99.1	Press release issued by ENSCO International Incorporated dated March 3, 2004.
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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.

ENSCO International Incorporated

Date: March 3, 2004

/s/ H. E. MALONE, JR.

H. E. Malone, Jr.
Vice President

/s/ DAVID A. ARMOUR

David A. Armour
Controller

NEWS RELEASE
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ENSCO ANNOUNCES OFFICER PROMOTION

DALLAS, Texas, March 3, 2004 ... ENSCO International Incorporated (NYSE: ESV) announced that Jon C. Cole, formerly ENSCO's Vice President - Business Development and Marketing & Safety, Health and Environment, was promoted by the Company's Board of Directors to serve as Senior Vice President, retaining the aforesaid responsibilities, effective March 2, 2004. Mr. Cole continues to report to the Chief Executive Officer, Carl F. Thorne.

In relation to Mr. Cole's promotion, Mr. Thorne commented; "Although relatively a new addition, Jon has become an integral member of ENSCO's management team. We are confident that Jon will make a significant contribution to ENSCO's future success."

ENSCO, headquartered in Dallas, Texas, provides contract drilling services to the international petroleum industry.

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