BEST BUY CO INC Form 8-K April 01, 2005

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) April 1, 2005

BEST BUY CO., INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Minnesota | 1-9595 | 41-0907483 |
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| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (IRS Employer Identification No.) |
| 7601 Penn Avenue South Richfield, Minnesota (Address of principal executive offices) | | 55423 (Zip Code) |
| Registrant s telephone number, including area code (612) 291-1000 | | |
| N/A | | |
| (Former | name or former address, if changed since las | st report.) |
| Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K the following provisions: | filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the | he filing obligation of the registrant under any of |
| o Written communications pursuant to Ru | ule 425 under the Securities Act (17 | CFR 230.425) |
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| o Pre-commencement communications po | ursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the E | xchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) |
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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 1, 2005, Best Buy Co., Inc. issued a news release announcing its results of operations for the fourth quarter and fiscal year ended February 26, 2005. The news release also included selected components of the registrant s preliminary financial outlook for its first quarter and fiscal year ending February 25, 2006.

The news release issued on April 1, 2005, is furnished as Exhibit No. 99 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. Best Buy Co., Inc. s Annual Report to Shareholders and its reports on Forms 10-K, 10-Q and 8-K and other publicly available information should be consulted for other important information about the registrant.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit No. 99 hereto, shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to liability of that section. The information in this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing or document.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

The following is furnished as an Exhibit to this Report.

Exhibit No.

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Description of Exhibit

News release issued April 1, 2005 (furnished pursuant to Item 2.02). Any internet addresses provided in this release are for information purposes only and are not intended to be hyperlinks. Accordingly, no information in any of these internet addresses is included herein.

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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.

BEST BUY CO., INC.

(Registrant)

Date: April 1, 2005 /s/ Bruce H. Besanko Bruce H. Besanko

Vice President Finance

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