AVON PRODUCTS INC Form 8-K May 11, 2004

# 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)	May 6, 2004
AVON PRODUCTS, INC.	
(Exact Name of Regist	rant as Specified in Its Charter)
N	New York
(State or Other Jun	risdiction of Incorporation)
1-4881	13-0544597
(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
1345 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York	10105-0196
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)	(Zip Code)
(21)	2) 282-5000
(Registrant's Telephone	Number, Including Area Code)
Not	Applicable
(Former Name or Former Ad	ldress, if Changed Since Last Report)

Item 5. Other Events.

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On May 6, 2004, Avon issued a press release announcing, in part, that at its Annual Meeting of Shareholders, the proposal to amend the Company\[ \]s Restated Certificate of Incorporation to increase the number of authorized shares of common stock had been approved and, as a consequence, the two-for-one stock split, previously declared by the Board of Directors, will proceed. A copy of that press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

### **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.

AVON PRODUCTS, INC.

Dated: May 11, 2004 By: /s/ Katherine A. O Hara

DESCRIPTION

EXHIBIT NO.

Name: Katherine A. O Hara Title: Vice President and

Associate General Counsel, Corporate

and Assistant Secretary

### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

99.1 Press Release of Avon Products, Inc., dated May 6, 2004, relating to the approval by the Company s shareholders of the increase in authorized common shares, and to the two-for-one stock split