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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16
under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the date of 06 May, 2004

ALLIED IRISH BANKS, public limited company

Bankcentre, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4, Republic of Ireland

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes No ..X...

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82- _____

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

6th MAY, 2004

Allied Irish Banks (AIB) - Meet the Management

Allied Irish Banks, p.l.c. ("AIB") (NYSE:AIB) has invited institutional investors and analysts to meet the management team in London on May 7th, 2004, on the central theme of "Driving for Growth". The main details are outlined below.

Date: Friday, May 7th, 2004

Venue: Great Eastern Hotel, Liverpool Street, London EC2

Time: Commencing at 8:30 a.m. sharp, with refreshments beforehand

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from 8:00 a.m. Finishing at approx. 1:00 p.m. with a buffet lunch

Format: Michael Buckley, Group Chief Executive, will be joined by the Managing Directors of our operating divisions along with Mike Pinto, Chief Financial Officer of M&T Bank. Presentations on our central theme of "Driving for Growth", will be made by;

Michael Buckley, Group Chief Executive,
Donal Forde, AIB Bank Republic of Ireland,
Aidan McKeon, AIB Bank Great Britain & Northern Ireland
Colm Doherty, Capital Markets,
Gerry Byrne, AIB Poland,
Mike Pinto, M&T Bank
Gary Kennedy, Group Finance and Enterprise Technology

There will be time allocated for questions and answers following the presentations.

The presentations made at this event will be available on the Investor Relations page of the AIB Group website at www.aibgroup.com/investorrelations from 8:45 a.m. on May 7th.

A recorded webcast of this event will also be available from the following day, May 8th, on the Investor Relations page of the AIB Group website at www.aibgroup.com/investorrelations. The webcast will not be available during the event.

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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, thereunto duly authorised.

ALLIED IRISH BANKS, p.l.c.
(Registrant)

Date 06 May 2004

By: _____
Gary Kennedy
Group Director, Finance,
Risk and Enterprise
Technology
Allied Irish Banks, p.l.c.