BARRICK GOLD CORP Form 6-K October 31, 2005

> SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

> > Form 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of: October, 2005

Commission File Number: 1-9059

BARRICK GOLD CORPORATION (Name of Registrant)

BCE Place, Canada Trust Tower Suite 3700 161 Bay Street, P.O. Box 212 Toronto, Ontario Canada M5J 2S1 (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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## INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

The Registrant's Comparative Unaudited Interim Consolidated Financial Statements and the notes thereto for the nine months ended September 30, 2005 prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles for that same

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period, together with Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Results for the nine months ended September 30, 2005 (contained on pages 4 to 38 inclusive and page 43 of Exhibit 99.1 of this Form 6-K Commission File No. 1-9059) furnished to the Commission October 31, 2005, are incorporated by reference into the Registrant's registration statement on Form F-3 (No. 333-14148).

## 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 authorized.

BARRICK GOLD CORPORATION

Date: October 31, 2005

By: /s/ Sybil E. Veenman

Name: Sybil E. Veenman Title: Vice President, Assistant General Counsel and Secretary

EXHIBIT

Exhibit Description of Exhibit

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99.1 Barrick Gold Corporation Third Quarter Report for 2005, including the Comparative Unaudited Financial Statements prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("US GAAP") and the notes thereto for the quarter ended September 30, 2005 and Management's Discussion and Analysis (US GAAP) for the same period.