

OTTER TAIL CORP  
Form 8-K  
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**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): August 2, 2004

**OTTER TAIL CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	0-00368 (Commission File Number)	41-0462685 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
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215 South Cascade Street, P.O. Box 496, Fergus Falls, MN (Address of principal executive offices)	56538-0496 (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (866) 410-8780

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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**Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On August 2, 2004 Otter Tail Corporation issued a press release concerning financial results for the second quarter of 2004, a copy of which is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

**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, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 4, 2004

OTTER TAIL CORPORATION

By /s/ Kevin G. Moug  
Kevin G. Moug  
Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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<b>Exhibit</b>	<b>Description of Exhibit</b>
99.1	Press release, dated August 2, 2004