

LAIDLAW INTERNATIONAL INC

Form 8-K

February 02, 2004

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**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

January 31, 2004

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

Commission file number 000-13109

LAIDLAW INTERNATIONAL, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

98-0390488
(I.R.S. employer
identification no.)

55 Shuman Boulevard, Suite 400
Naperville, Illinois
(Address of principal executive offices)

60563
(Zip code)

(630) 848-3000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

None
(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

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ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

On February 2, 2004, Laidlaw International, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing that its wholly-owned subsidiary, Greyhound Lines, Inc., has reached a tentative agreement with the Amalgamated Transit Union National Local 1700 for a new collective bargaining agreement. A copy of the press release is furnished as a part of this current report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein in its entirety by reference. For further information see Note 6 of the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (Organized strikes and work stoppages by unionized employees) included in the Company s Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended November 30, 2003.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) EXHIBITS

| Exhibit Number | Description |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 99.1 | Press Release dated February 2, 2004 |

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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 authorized.

Date: February 2, 2004

LAIDLAW INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /s/ Douglas A. Carty

Douglas A. Carty
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
Duly Authorized Officer and Principal Financial Officer