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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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): January 25, 2005

THE NASDAQ STOCK MARKET, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

000-32651 (Commission File Number) **52-1165937** (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

Identification No.)

One Liberty Plaza, New York, New York 10006

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

 $Registrant \ \ s \ telephone \ number, including \ area \ code: (212) \ 401-8700$

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 25, 2005, The Nasdaq Stock Market, Inc. (Nasdaq) issued a press release providing financial guidance for the fourth quarter of 2004 and for Nasdaq s 2005 fiscal year. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information furnished under Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, shall be deemed to be filed for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and incorporated by reference in any of Nasdaq s filings under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, as may be specified in such filing.

ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Exhibit Description
99.1	Press release dated January 25, 2005.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: January 25, 2005 THE NASDAQ STOCK MARKET, INC.

By: /s/ David P. Warren

David P. Warren

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

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