VALASSIS COMMUNICATIONS INC Form 8-K April 21, 2005

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) April 21, 2005

VALASSIS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Delaware

1-10991
38-2760940

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission fincorporation)
19975 Victor Parkway, Livonia, Michigan

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code 734-591-3000

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- o 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 April 21, 2005, Valassis issued a press release (the Press Release) announcing results for the quarter ended March 31, 2005. Furnished hereto as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report is a copy of the Press Release.

The information in Item 2.02 of the Current Report and the accompanying exhibit shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing by Valassis, whether made before or after the date hereof, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing, unless expressly incorporated by specific reference in such filing.

Item 8.01 Other Events

The Press Release also announced that Valassis expects to restate its previously issued financial statements included in its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004 to reclassify its auction-rate securities as such, rather than within cash and cash equivalents. Auction-rate securities are long-term bonds that resemble short-term instruments and provide liquidity because their interest rates are reset periodically, usually every 7, 28, or 35 days. The rate is reset by a modified Dutch auction process and because investors can sell or buy the securities on those auction dates, the securities have long been regarded as cash equivalents.

Valassis is in the process of preparing its restated annual financial statements to properly classify these auction-rate securities in its consolidated balance sheets, consolidated statements of cash flows and footnote disclosure. It will file such restated financial statements as soon as practicable. The effect of the restatement will not have any impact on previously reported total assets, net earnings or net earnings per share, or the company s consolidated statements of income.

Item 9.01	Financial Statements and Exhibits.
(c)	Exhibits
Exhibit Number	Description

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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.

VALASSIS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

(Registrant)

/s/ Robert L. Recchia
Robert L. Recchia
Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer