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Form 8-K  
August 10, 2004

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) August 10, 2004

Seaboard Corporation  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-3390	04-2260388
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

9000 W. 67th Street, Shawnee Mission, Kansas	66202
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code) (913) 676-8800

Not Applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Registrant hereby furnishes the following exhibit pursuant to Item 12:

99.1 Press release of Seaboard Corporation dated August 10, 2004  
announcing earnings for the second quarter ended July 3, 2004.

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

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On August 10, 2004, Registrant issued a press release announcing earnings for the quarter ended July 3, 2004. The full text of this press release is included as exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference in this Current Report on Form 8-K.

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### 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 10, 2004

Seaboard Corporation

by: /s/ Robert L. Steer  
Robert L. Steer, Senior Vice President,  
Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

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