

STORAGE TECHNOLOGY CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 12, 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) January 12, 2004  
(January 12, 2004)

**STORAGE TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION**  
(Exact Name of Registrant As Specified In Its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-7534**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**84-0593263**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**One StorageTek Drive, Louisville, Colorado 80028-4309**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant telephone number, including area code **(303) 673-5151**

Not applicable  
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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**Item 9 Regulation FD Disclosure**

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

The following information is furnished pursuant to Item 9, Regulation FD Disclosure, and Item 12, Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 12, 2004, Storage Technology Corporation issued a press release announcing higher-than-anticipated fourth quarter financial results. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

99.1 Press Release, dated January 12, 2004, announcing higher-than-anticipated fourth quarter financial results.

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: January 12, 2004

Storage Technology Corporation

By: /s/ Thomas G. Arnold

Vice President,  
Corporate Controller