

ROYAL GOLD INC  
Form 8-K  
April 15, 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**

April 13, 2004

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Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

**ROYAL GOLD, INC.**

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

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0-5664

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84-0835164

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(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

1660 Wynkoop Street, Suite 1000, Denver, CO

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80202-1132

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

303-573-1660

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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**Item 2. Regulation FD Disclosure**

The following information is furnished pursuant to Item 2 Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

On April 13, 2004, Royal Gold, Inc. and Capital Gold announced that they had discontinued royalty financing discussions for the El Chanate Gold project. The information contained in the press release is incorporated herein by reference and is filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

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**SIGNATURES**

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.

Royal Gold, Inc.  
(Registrant)

By: */s/ Karen Gross*  
Name: Karen Gross  
Title: Vice President & Corporate  
Secretary

Dated: April 14, 2004

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<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press release dated April 13, 2004, Royal Gold and Capital Gold Discontinue Royalty Financing Discussions for the El Chanate Gold Project.