

NAVISTAR INTERNATIONAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
October 21, 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): October 21, 2004**

**NAVISTAR INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| <u>Delaware</u>   | <u>1-9618</u>         | <u>36-3359573</u>                       |
| (State or other jurisdiction of<br>incorporation or organization) | (Commission File No.) | (I.R.S. Employer<br>Identification No.) |
| <u>4201 Winfield Road, P.O. Box 1488, Warrenville, Illinois</u>   |                       | <u>60555</u>                            |
| (Address of principal executive offices)                          |                       | (Zip Code)                              |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (630) 753-5000

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

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ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS

On October 13, 2004, Navistar International Corporation (the company) received a request from the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission to voluntarily produce certain documents and information related to our accounting practices with respect to defined benefit pension plans and other postretirement benefits. The company intends to fully cooperate with this request.

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.

NAVISTAR INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

Registrant

Date: October 21, 2004

/s/Mark T. Schwetschenau

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Mark T. Schwetschenau  
Senior Vice President and Controller  
(Principal Accounting Officer)