VERTICALNET INC Form 8-K November 08, 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):

November 4, 2004

Verticalnet, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

000-25269

(Commission

File Number)

Pennsylvania

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

400 Chester Field Parkway, Malvern, Pennsylvania

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

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:

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

23-2815834

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

19355

(Zip Code)

(610) 240-0600

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On November 4, 2004, Verticalnet, Inc. ("Verticalnet") issued a press release setting forth Verticalnet's financial information for the quarter ended September 30, 2004. The full text of such press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

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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.

Verticalnet, Inc.

November 5, 2004

By: Gene S. Godick

Name: Gene S. Godick Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release dated November 4, 2004 issued by Verticalnet, Inc.