VERTICALNET INC Form 8-K August 16, 2005

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 16, 20	rted): August 16, 2005
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Verticalnet, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania	000-25269	23-2815834
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employe
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No
400 Chester Field Parkway, Malvern, Pennsylvania		19355
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including a	urea code:	(610) 240-0600
	Not Applicable	
Former nam	e or former address if changed since la	st report

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

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 16, 2005, Verticalnet, Inc. ("Verticalnet") issued a press release setting forth Verticalnet's financial information for the quarter ended June 30, 2005. A copy of Verticalnet's press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and hereby incorporated by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Press Release dated August 16, 2005.

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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.

August 16, 2005 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 August 16, 2005.