

HARTFORD FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP INC/DE  
Form 8-K  
August 06, 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): August 4, 2004

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THE HARTFORD FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP, INC.  
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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware   | 001-13958                   | 13-3317783                           |
| -----  | -----                       | -----                                |
| (State or other jurisdiction<br>of Incorporation)  | (Commission<br>File Number) | (IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |
| <br>The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc.<br>Hartford Plaza<br>Hartford, Connecticut |                             | 06115-1900                           |
| -----  | -----                       | -----                                |
| (Address of principal executive offices)   |                             | (Zip Code)                           |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (860) 547-5000

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 4, 2004, The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc. issued its Investor Financial Supplement ("IFS") relating to its financial results for the second quarter ended June 30, 2004. A copy of the IFS is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

As provided in General Instruction B.6 of Form 8-K, the information and exhibit contained in this Form 8-K shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall they be deemed to be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

SIGNATURE

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.

THE HARTFORD FINANCIAL SERVICES  
GROUP, INC.

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Date: August 6, 2004

By: /s/ Robert J. Price

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Name: Robert J. Price  
Title: Senior Vice President  
and Controller