

ARVINMERITOR INC  
Form 8-K  
November 12, 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, 11, 2004

ARVINMERITOR, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

1-15983  
(Commission  
File No.)  
2135 West Maple Road  
Troy, Michigan  
(Address of principal executive offices)

38-3354643  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

48084-7186  
(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (248) 435-1000

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
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers**

The Board of Directors of ArvinMeritor, Inc. elected Steven G. Rothmeier and Andrew J. Schindler as members of the Board of Directors effective November 11, 2004. A press release announcing the election is filed as Exhibit 99a to this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

99a Press release of ArvinMeritor, Inc., dated November 11, 2004.

**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.

ARVINMERITOR, INC.

By: /s/ Vernon G. Baker, II  
Vernon G. Baker, II  
Senior Vice President and General Counsel

Date: November 11, 2004

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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