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FLOWERS FOODS INC Form 8-K August 18, 2005

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 18, 2005

FLOWERS FOODS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Georgia 1-16247 58-2582379

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer Jurisdiction File Number) Identification No.)

of incorporation)

1919 Flowers Circle, Thomasville, GA 31757

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including (229) 226-9110

area code:

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 18, 2005, Flowers Foods, Inc. issued a press release announcing: (i) its financial condition and results of operations as of and for the second quarter and first half ended July 16, 2005; (ii) an increase in its sales guidance for fiscal 2005 and (iii) the reaffirmation of its net income guidance as a percentage of sales. A copy of the press release is furnished with this Report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is furnished as part of this Report:

| Exhibit Number | Description |
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| 99.1 | Press Release of Flowers Foods, Inc. dated August 18, 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.

FLOWERS FOODS, INC.

By:

/s/ Jimmy M. Woodward

Name: Jimmy M. Woodward Title: Sr. Vice-President, Chief Financial Officer and Chief Accounting Officer

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