ORIENTAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC Form 8-K July 22, 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): July 22, 2004

ORIENTAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter) Commonwealth of Puerto Rico 001-12647 66-0538893 (State or other (Commission File No.) (I.R.S. Employer *Jurisdiction of Incorporation*) Identification No.) Professional Offices Park 998 San Roberto Street San Juan, Puerto Rico 00926 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (787) 771-6800

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Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

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| 99 | Press Release dated July 21, 2004 |

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

The results of operations and financial condition of Oriental Financial Group Inc. (the Group) for the quarter and fiscal year ended June 30, 2004 are being provided under Item 12 of this report.

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 21, 2004, the Group released its financial results for the quarter and fiscal year ended June 30, 2004. A copy of the Group s press release is attached as an exhibit to this report.

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.

ORIENTAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC.

Date: July 22, 2004 By: /s/ Norberto González

Norberto González Executive Vice President and Acting Chief Financial Officer

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