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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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 even reported)	September 21, 2004
Delphi Co	orporation
(Exact Name of Registrant	as Specified in Its Charter)
Dela	ware
(State or Other Jurisdie	ction of Incorporation)
1-14787	38-3430473
(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
5725 Delphi Drive Troy, MI	48098
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)	(Zip Code)
(248) 83	13-2000
(Registrant s Telephone Nu	umber, Including Area Code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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):

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On September 21, 2004, Moody s Investors Service (Moody s) issued a news release reaffirming its Baa2 long-term and Prime-2 short-term credit ratings of Delphi Corporation (DPH), but revising its outlook on DPH to negative from stable. We believe that even with Moody s revision in outlook, we will continue to have access to sufficient liquidity, although our cost of borrowing may slightly increase. While our access to commercial paper may be further limited, we retain the ability to access other sources of liquidity including funding available from uncommitted lines of credit, customer receivable based financing, such as factoring, term debt and the various credit facilities described in our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on July 16, 2004. A full copy of the press release issued by Moody s is furnished as an exhibit to this form 8-K

All statements contained or incorporated in this presentation which address operating performance, events or developments that we expect or anticipate may occur in the future (including statements relating to future sales, cash flow or earnings expectations, savings expected as a result of our global restructurings or other initiatives, portfolio restructuring plans, volume growth, awarded sales contracts and customer diversification or statements expressing general optimism about future operating results) are forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements are made on the basis of management s current views and assumptions with respect to future events. Important factors, risks and uncertainties which may cause actual results to differ from those expressed in our forward-looking statements are discussed in detail in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including our annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2003. In particular, the achievement of projected levels of revenue, earnings, cash flow and debt levels will depend on our ability to execute our portfolio and global restructuring plans in a manner which satisfactorily addresses any resultant antitrust or labor issues and customer concerns, any contingent liabilities related to divestitures or integration costs associated with acquisitions, and other matters; our continued ability to diversify our customer base and still maintain existing GM business; the continued protection and exploitation of our intellectual property to develop new products and enter new markets; and our ability to capture expected benefits of our cost reduction initiatives so as to maintain flexibility to respond to adverse and cyclical changes in general economic conditions and in the automotive industry in each market we operate, including customer cost reduction initiatives, potential increases in warranty costs, pension contributions, healthcare costs, disruptions in the labor, commodities or transportation markets caused by terrorism or war and other changes in the political and regulatory environments where we do business. Delphi does not intend or assume any obligation to update any of these forward-looking statements.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits. The following exhibit is being furnished as part of this Report.

Exhibit Number	Description
99 (a)	Press Release issued by Moody s Investors Service regarding Delphi, dated September 21, 2004.

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.

DELPHI CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Date: September 22, 2004

By: /s/ JOHN D. SHEEHAN

(John D. Sheehan, Chief Accounting Officer and

Controller)

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