RIO TINTO PLC Form 6-K January 05, 2005

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of December, 2004

Rio Tinto plc

Rio Tinto Limited

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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EXHIBIT

Exhibit 99.1	6 December 2004	<u>Diamond project:</u> <u>Diavik approves construction of new dike</u>
Exhibit 99.2	<u>16 December</u> <u>2004</u>	Coal project: Rio Tinto's successful bid expands Antelope coal reserves
Exhibit 99.3	22 <u>December</u> 2004	Announcement by Group company: Business update and cautionary announcement
<u>Exhibit</u> <u>99.4</u>	22 <u>December</u> 2004	Announcement by Group company: Magnetite sale update
Exhibit 99.5	4 January 2005	Disposal: Sale of interest in gold mine

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrants have duly caused this report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorised.

Rio Tinto plc Rio Tinto Limited

(Registrant) (Registrant)

By: <u>/s/ A V Lawless</u>
Name A V Lawless
Name A V Lawless

Title Secretary Title Assistant Secretary

Date 5 January 2005 Date 5 January 2005