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# 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)

March 29, 2005

## **Waters Corporation**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

01-14010 (Commission File Number) 34 Maple Street, Milford, Massachusetts (Address of Principal Executive Offices) 13-3668640 (IRS Employer Identification No.) 01757 (Zip Code)

(508) 478-2000 (Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

## N/A

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to 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)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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))

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The purpose of this Form 8-K is to inform the public and security holders of a press release regarding Waters Corporation revising first quarter 2005 sales and earnings outlook. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

## (c) Exhibit

Exhibit 99.1 Waters Corporation press release dated March 29, 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.

## WATERS CORPORATION

Dated: March 30, 2005 By: /s/ John Ornell

Name: John Ornell Title: Vice President,

Finance and Administration and Chief Financial Officer