

NRG ENERGY INC  
Form 8-K  
August 05, 2004

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**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 5, 2004**

**NRG Energy, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**001-15891**

(Commission File Number)

**41-1724239**

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**901 Marquette Avenue, Suite 2300  
Minneapolis, MN**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**55402**

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **612-373-5300**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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**Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On August 5, 2004, NRG Energy, Inc. issued a press release reporting its financial and operating results for the quarter ended June 30, 2004. Such press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference. The press release contains certain non-GAAP financial information. The reconciliation of such non-GAAP financial information to GAAP financial measures is included in the press release. Further, the press release contains statements intended as forward-looking statements which are subject to the cautionary statement about forward-looking statements set forth therein.

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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.

NRG Energy, Inc.  
(Registrant)

By /s/ Timothy W. J. O'Brien  
Timothy W. J. O'Brien  
Vice President, Secretary and  
General Counsel

Dated: August 5, 2004

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<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Document</b>
99.1	Press Release, dated August 5, 2004