

CLAIRE'S STORES INC  
Form 8-K  
April 27, 2004

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON D.C. 20549**

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**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): **April 27, 2004**

**CLAIRE S STORES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Florida**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**001-08899**

(Commission File Number)

**59-0940416**

(IRS Employer Identification Number)

**3 S.W. 129th Avenue, Pembroke Pines, Florida 33027**

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(954) 433-3900**

**Not applicable**

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

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

(a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired.

Not applicable

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

Not applicable

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release of Claire's Stores, Inc. dated April 27, 2004

**Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Conditions; Regulation FD Disclosure**

On April 27, 2004, Claire's Stores, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing upward revisions to the Company's first quarter Fiscal 2005 projections. A copy of the press release is furnished with this Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this Form 8-K and the Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto shall be deemed furnished and not deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any Company filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

**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.

**CLAIRE S STORES, INC.**

Date: April 27, 2004

By: /s/ Ira D. Kaplan  
Ira D. Kaplan  
Chief Financial Officer

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**Index to Exhibits**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Exhibit Title</b>
99.1	Press Release of Claire's Stores, Inc. April 27, 2004