NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORP Form 8-K July 06, 2005

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D)
OF THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):

July 6, 2005

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Virginia
(State or other jurisdiction
Of incorporation)

1-8339 (Commission File Number)

52-1188014 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

Three Commercial Place Norfolk, Virginia 23510-9241 (Address of principal executive offices)

(757) 629-2680

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

No Change

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

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Item 8.01 Other Events

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On July 6, 2005, the Registrant issued a Press Release, attached hereto as Exhibit 99, announcing that Ohio tax legislation signed by Governor Bob Taft on June 30 will have a favorable impact on second-quarter net income that will be reported at a quarterly analyst meeting on July 27.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

SIGNATURES

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION

(Registrant)

/s/ Dezora M. Martin

Name: Dezora M. Martin

Title: Corporate Secretary

Date: July 6, 2005

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

Number Description

Press Release issued by the Registrant on July 6, 2005.