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**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Issuer

**Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the month of May 2004

Commission File No.: 1-31349

THE THOMSON CORPORATION

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**Metro Center, One Station Place
Stamford, Connecticut 06902, United States**

(Address of principal executive offices)

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EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit Number | Description |
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| 99.1 | Press release dated May 28, 2004 |
| 99.2 | Prospectus supplement dated May 27, 2004, as filed with the Canadian securities regulatory authorities |

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, thereunto duly authorized.

THE THOMSON CORPORATION

Date: May 28, 2004

By: /s/ DEIRDRE STANLEY

Name: Deirdre Stanley

Title: Senior Vice President and General Counsel

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