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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): April 1, 2005

INGLES MARKETS, INCORPORATED (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

NORTH CAROLINA
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

0-14706 (Commission File Number) 56-0846267 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

P.O. Box 6676, Asheville, NC 28816 (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(828) 669-2941 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

None

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligations of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of
Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

On April 1, 2005, Ingles Markets, Incorporated ("Ingles") appointed Ronald B. Freeman as Chief Financial Officer, effective April 18, 2005.

Mr. Freeman, 47 years old, has served as Chief Financial Officer of Silver-Line Plastics Corporation, a plastic pipe manufacturer, since 2000. From 1998 to 2000, he served as Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of MMS Incentives, LLC, a business-to-business loyalty and incentive programs company. From 1994 to 1998, he served as Chief Financial Officer of Phillips & Brooks/Gladwin, a telecommunications manufacturing and services company. Prior to that time, Mr. Freeman was employed as Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of The Merchant Bank of Atlanta and as Vice President and Assistant Comptroller of Bank South Corporation. He began his career at Price Waterhouse. Mr. Freeman graduated from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill with a BS in Business Administration and is a certified public accountant.

Mr. Freeman will receive a salary of \$170,000 annually and will be eligible to participate in such benefits and perquisites, including any bonus program, as is offered from time to time by the Company to similarly situated employees.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (c) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Copy of press release issued by Ingles on April 4, 2005.

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.

INGLES MARKETS, INCORPORATED

Date: April 6, 2005

By: /s/ James W. Lanning

James W. Lanning

President and Chief Operating Officer