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

September 15, 2005

(Date of earliest event reported)

FLOW INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

 $(Exact\ name\ of\ Registrant\ as\ specified\ in\ its\ charter)$

Washington 0-12448 91-1104842 (State or other (Commission (I.R.S. Employer jurisdiction of File Identification Number) Number)

23500 - 64th Avenue South, Kent, Washington 98032

(Address of principal executive offices, zip code)

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Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

(253) 850-3500

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- " Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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ITEM 8.01. Other Events

Flow International Corporation issued a press release announcing earnings for the quarter ended July 31, 2005.

ITEM 9.01. Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated September 15, 2005.

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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.

Date: September 16, 2005 FLOW INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ John S. Leness John S. Leness General Counsel and Secretary