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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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): January 10, 2005

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

DELAWARE

1-11083

04-2695240

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

(Commission
file number)

(IRS employer
identification no.)

ONE BOSTON SCIENTIFIC PLACE, NATICK, MASSACHUSETTS

01760-1537

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (508) 650-8000

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

Written communication pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

On January 10, 2005, Boston Scientific Corporation (the "Company") issued a press release announcing preliminary, unaudited sales results for the fourth quarter and for the year ended December 31, 2004. A copy of the release is furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K and the Exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

99.1 Press Release issued by Boston Scientific Corporation dated January 10, 2005

SIGNATURE

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

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION

Date: January 10, 2005

By: /s/ Lawrence J. Knopf

Lawrence J. Knopf
Vice President and Assistant General Counsel

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