

PANAMSAT CORP /NEW/  
Form 8-K  
August 17, 2004

**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) **August 17, 2004**

**PanAmSat Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
Of incorporation)

**0-22531**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**95-4607698**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**20 Westport Road, Wilton, CT**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**06897**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(203) 210-8000**

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

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**Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Information and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Supplemental Regulation FD Disclosure of PanAmSat Corporation dated August 17, 2004\*

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\* This exhibit is furnished by the Company and is not filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act. See Item 9.

**Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference herein is a presentation of certain information relating to the Company, including information relating to the pending acquisition of the Company by affiliates of Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co. L.P., The Carlyle Group and Providence Equity Partners, Inc.

**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: August 17, 2004

**PANAMSAT CORPORATION**

Registrant

By:

/s/ JAMES W. CUMINALE

Name: James W. Cuminale

Title: Executive Vice President, Corporate Development  
General Counsel and Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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