

HANDLEMAN CO /MI/
Form 8-K
June 09, 2005

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)

June 8, 2005

Handleman Company

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Michigan

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-7923
(Commission File Number)

38-1242806
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

500 Kirts Boulevard, Troy, Michigan
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

48084-4142
(Zip Code)

(248) 362-4400

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Section 2. Financial Information

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On June 8, 2005, Handleman Company issued a press release announcing preliminary earnings for its fourth quarter and fiscal year ended April 30, 2005 and providing earnings guidance for its fiscal year ending April 29, 2006. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 9. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description</u> |
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| 99.1 | Handleman Company's press release announcing preliminary earnings for its fourth quarter and fiscal year ended April 30, 2005 and providing earnings guidance for its fiscal year ending April 29, 2006 |

SIGNATURES

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

HANDLEMAN COMPANY

Date: June 9, 2005

By: /s/ Thomas C. Braum, Jr.

Name: Thomas C. Braum, Jr.

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer