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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D. C. 20549

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Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) May 5, 2005

MGP Ingredients, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

KANSAS (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

0-17196 (Commission File Number)

48-0531200 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1300 Main Street

Box 130

Atchison, Kansas 66002

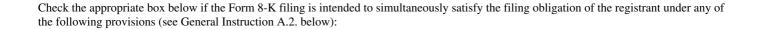
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(913) 367-1480

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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



- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o 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 Conditions.

On May 5, 2005, MGP Ingredients, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release, incorporated into this Item 2.02 by reference, relating to financial results for the third quarter of fiscal year 2005, which ended March 31, 2005. The press release, dated May 5, 2005, is furnished pursuant to Item 2.02, Results of Operations and Financial Conditions, Item 7.01, Regulation FD Disclosure and Item 9.01, Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

Attached as Exhibit 99.1, and incorporated into this Item 7.01 by reference, is a press release relating to the Company s fiscal 2005 third quarter financial results which was issued on May 5, 2005, by the Company.

An investors conference call will take place at 10:00 a.m. central standard time on Thursday, May 5, 2005. The Company s senior management will discuss the Company s fiscal 2005 third quarter financial results and certain forward looking information during the conference call. Interested persons may listen to the conference call via telephone by dialing (800) 322-0079 by 9:50 a.m. central time, or access it on the Internet at www.mgpingredients.com.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

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99.1 Press Release dated May 5, 2005, furnished solely for the purpose of incorporation by reference into Items 2.02, 7.01 and 9.01.

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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.

MGP INGREDIENTS, INC.

Date: May 5, 2005 By: /s/ Laidacker M. Seaberg

Laidacker M. Seaberg President and Chief Executive Officer

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