

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): October 13, 2004

VIACOM INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

001-09553

04-2949533

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number)
of incorporation)

(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)

1515 Broadway, New York, NY

10036

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 258-6000

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following provisions (see General Instruction A.2.):

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(17 CFR 240.14a-12)
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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))

Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of
Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

(d) On October 13, 2004, the Board of Directors of Viacom Inc. elected
Charles E. Phillips, Jr. as a member of its Board of Directors. Mr. Phillips
will serve as a member of the Audit Committee of Viacom Inc.'s Board of
Directors.

SIGNATURE

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.

VIACOM INC.
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Michael D. Fricklas

Name: Michael D. Fricklas
Title: Executive Vice President, General
Counsel and Secretary

Date: October 19, 2004