

WEBMD CORP /NEW/
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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

September 7, 2004

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

WEBMD CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

0-24975

94-3236644

(State or other jurisdiction
of
incorporation)

(Commission File
Number)

(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

669 River Drive, Center 2
Elmwood Park, New Jersey
07407-1361

(Address of principal executive
offices, including zip code)

(201) 703-3400

(Registrant's telephone number,
including area code)

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

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Item 8.01. Other Events

At WebMD's 2004 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held on September 23, 2004, WebMD's stockholders will be asked to vote on, among other things, proposals to approve amendments to WebMD's Certificate of Incorporation to clarify the authority of WebMD's Board of Directors to designate and authorize the issuance of one or more new series of preferred stock with voting powers. In WebMD's Proxy Statement for the 2004 Annual Meeting, WebMD confirmed that these proposals are not part of a plan by its Board of Directors to adopt a series of amendments that may have an anti-takeover effect and noted that the Board did not have any intention to propose any anti-takeover measures using preferred stock. In addition, on September 7, 2004, WebMD's Board of Directors adopted a resolution providing that it will not issue any preferred stock for the principal purpose of acting as an anti-takeover device without first obtaining stockholder approval. This Current Report on Form 8-K is being filed to report the adoption of that resolution.

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SIGNATURE

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

Dated: September 7, 2004

WEBMD CORPORATION

By: /s/ Lewis H. Leicher

Lewis H. Leicher
Senior Vice President

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