STEMCELLS INC Form 8-K October 25, 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): May 25, 2004

StemCells, Inc.

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`	(IRS Employer
File Number)	Identification No.)
to, California	94304
utive offices)	(Zip Code)
one number, including area code:	(605) 475-3100
former address, if changed since	
(utive offices) one number, including area code:

the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- 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))

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Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

Effective May 25, 2004, StemCells, Inc. (the Company) filed an amendment to its Restated Certificate of Incorporation to increase the total number of shares of stock that the Company shall have the authority to issue from 76,000,000 shares to 126,000,000 shares. A copy of the Certificate of Amendment, as filed, is attached hereto as Exhibit 4.1.

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(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 4.1 Certificate of Amendment of the Restated Certificate of Incorporation of StemCells, Inc.

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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.

STEMCELLS, INC.

By: /s/ Martin McGlynn Martin McGlynn

Date: October 25, 2004 President and Chief Executive Officer

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