**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

# **SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

	Washington, D.C. 20549	
	FORM 8-K	
	CURRENT REPORT	
Pu	rsuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934	
Date of Repo	ort (Date of earliest event reported) October 2'	7, 2004
	ROADWAY CORPO	RATION
(Ex	act name of registrant as specified in its charter)	
laware ther jurisdiction	0-12255 (Commission File Number)	48-0948788 (IRS Employer

10990 Roe Avenue, Overland Park, Kansas 66211

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

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Registrant s telephone number, including area code (913) 696-6100

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the 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))

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# Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On October 27, 2004, Yellow Roadway Corporation announced that it filed a registration statement on Form S-4 with the Securities and Exchange Commission related to its contingent convertible notes exchange offers. The announcement was made by means of a press release, the text of which is set forth in Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (a) Financial statements of businesses acquired. Not applicable
- (b) Pro forma financial information. Not applicable
- (c) Exhibits.99.1 Press Release dated October 27, 2004.

Information in this Current Report that is being furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 shall not be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 in this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The furnishing of the information in Item 7.01 of this Current Report is not intended to, and does not, constitute a representation that such furnishing is required by Regulation FD or that the information Item 7.01 of this Current Report contains is material investor information that is not otherwise publicly available.

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## **SIGNATURE**

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

YELLOW ROADWAY CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Date: October 27, 2004 By: /s/ Donald G. Barger, Jr.

Donald G. Barger, Jr. Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

## EXHIBIT INDEX

# Exhibit

Number	Description

99.1 Press Release dated October 27, 2004.