

# 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 4, 2005**

### **Credit Suisse First Boston (USA), Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

**1-6862**

(Commission File Number)

**13-1898818**

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

**Eleven Madison Avenue, New York, New York**

(Address of principal executive office)

**10010**

(Zip Code)

**(212) 325-2000**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01. Other Events**

On May 4, 2005, Credit Suisse Group, our ultimate parent, released its financial results for the three months ended March 31, 2005, including the financial results of the Institutional Securities and Wealth & Asset Management segments of the Credit Suisse First Boston division, of which we are a part.

Credit Suisse Group reported net income of CHF 1,910 million, and the Institutional Securities and Wealth & Asset Management segments of the Credit Suisse First Boston division reported net income of CHF 540 million and CHF 135 million, respectively, for the three months ended March 31, 2005.

We have not reported our financial results for the three months ended March 31, 2005 and will report these results in connection with the filing of our quarterly report on Form 10-Q.

We expect to report net income of approximately USD 175 million for the three months ended March 31, 2005, compared to USD 167 million for the three months ended March 31, 2004.

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.

Credit Suisse First Boston (USA), Inc.

/s/ David C. Fisher  
David C. Fisher  
*Chief Financial and Accounting Officer*

May 4, 2005