SBC COMMUNICATIONS INC

Form 8-K October 20, 2005			
UNITED STATES			
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE CO	MMISSION		
WASHINGTON, DC 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 20, 2005			
SBC COMMUNICATIONS INC.			
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in	n Charter)		
<u>Delaware</u> (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	1-8610 (Commission File Number)	43-1301883 (IRS Employer Identificati	on No.)
175 E. Houston, San Antonio, Texas (Address of Principal Executive Offices)			78205 (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area cod <u>(210) 821-4105</u>			

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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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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Items 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

The registrant announced on October 20, 2005, its results of operations for the third quarter of 2005. The text of the press release and accompanying financial information are attached as exhibits and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The following exhibits are furnished as part of this report:

- (c) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press release dated October 20, 2005 reporting financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2005.
- 99.2 SBC Communications Inc. selected financial statements and operating data.

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.

SBC COMMUNICATIONS INC.

Date: October 20, 2005 By: /s/ John J. Stephens

John J. Stephens

Vice President and Controller