

WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL LTD

Form 8-K

April 22, 2005

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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**

**Date of Report** (Date of earliest event reported): **April 22, 2005**

**WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL LTD.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

**Bermuda**  
(State of Incorporation)

**1-31339**  
(Commission File No.)

**98-0371344**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification  
No.)

**515 Post Oak Boulevard**  
**Suite 600**  
**Houston, Texas**  
(Address of Principal Executive  
Offices)

**77027**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (713) 693-4000**

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):

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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 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure**

Weatherford International Ltd., in advance of its conference call to be held at 12:00 p.m. eastern, 11:00 a.m. central, regarding the company's first quarter results, confirms earnings guidance of \$0.61 per diluted share for the second quarter of 2005, and raises earnings guidance for the second half of 2005 to \$1.40 per diluted share.

This information shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

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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.

Dated: April 22, 2005

**WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL LTD.**

/s/ Lisa W. Rodriguez

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Lisa W. Rodriguez  
Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

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