## **UNITED STATES**

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

**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) March 16, 2005

Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Maryland

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-14100 (Commission File Number) 33-0675505 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1401 Dove Street, Newport Beach, California

92660

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(949) 475-3600

(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)
- " Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- " 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))

#### **Item 8.01 Other Events**

On March 16, 2005, Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing the status of the filing of its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004, and providing an update on management s assessment of the Company s internal control over financial reporting. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and (except for the sixth paragraph, which is a statement by Mr. Tomkinson) incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release Dated March 16, 2005

#### **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.

Date: March 16, 2005

IMPAC MORTGAGE HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ Richard J. Johnson

Name: Richard J. Johnson

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief

Financial Officer

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Exhibit	
Number	Description
99.1	Press Release Dated March 16, 2005

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