

CONSOL ENERGY INC  
Form 8-K  
January 22, 2004

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

January 20, 2004

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

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**CONSOL Energy Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-14901**  
(Commission File No.)

**51-0337383**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**Consol Plaza**  
**1800 Washington Road**

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**Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15241**

(Address of principal executive offices including zip code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code:**

**(412) 831-4000**

**Not applicable**

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

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**Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure.**

CONSOL Energy Inc. issued a press release on January 20, 2004. A copy of the press release is attached to this Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1

**Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
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99.1	Press Release of CONSOL Energy Inc. dated January 20, 2004.
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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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