

MANNATECH INC  
Form 8-K  
May 03, 2005

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**United States**

**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**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 27, 2005**

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**Mannatech, Incorporated**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**000-24657**  
(Commission File Number)

**75-2508900**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**600 S. Royal Lane, Suite 200, Coppell, Texas**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**98109**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's Telephone number, including area code (972) 471-7400**

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(Former name or former address, if change 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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**Item 4.01 Changes in Registrant's Certifying Accountant.**

On April 27, 2005, Mannatech, Incorporated (the Company) informed PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP (PwC) that at its meeting on April 27, 2005, the Company's Audit Committee approved the dismissal of PwC as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm upon completion of PwC's procedures relating to the Company's consolidated financial statements for the quarter ended March 31, 2005 and its Form 10-Q in which such consolidated financial statements will be included.

On April 27, 2005, the Company's Audit Committee appointed Grant Thornton LLP (Grant Thornton) as the Company's new independent registered public accounting firm for the year ending December 31, 2005, subject to Grant Thornton's completion of their customary client acceptance procedures.

The reports of PwC on the Company's consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2004 and 2003 did not contain any adverse opinion or disclaimer of opinion, nor were they qualified or modified as to uncertainty, audit scope, or accounting principle.

During the years ended December 31, 2004 and 2003 and through April 27, 2005, there were no disagreements with PwC on any matter of accounting principles or practices, financial statement disclosure or auditing scope or procedure, which disagreements, if not resolved to the satisfaction of PwC, would have caused it to make reference thereto in its reports on the Company's consolidated financial statements for such years.

During the years ended December 31, 2004 and 2003, and through April 27, 2005, there have been no reportable events (as defined in Item 304(a)(1)(v) of Regulation S-K).

The Company has requested that PwC furnish it with a letter addressed to the United States Securities and Exchange Commission stating whether or not it agrees with the above statements. Attached as Exhibit 16.1 is a copy of PwC's letter, dated May 2, 2005.

During the years ended December 31, 2004 and 2003, and through April 27, 2005 (the date Grant Thornton accepted its appointment), the Company did not consult with Grant Thornton regarding any of the matters or events set forth in Item 304(a)(2)(i) and (ii) of Regulation S-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

16.1 Letter from PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

**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.

**Mannatech, Incorporated**

**/s/ Stephen D. Fenstermacher**

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Name: Stephen D. Fenstermacher  
Title: Senior Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 3, 2005