CAMBREX CORP Form 8-K April 23, 2004

> 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, 2004

CAMBREX CORPORATION (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-10638 (Commission File Number) 22-2476135 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

One Meadowlands Plaza, East Rutherford, New Jersey 07073 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (201) 804-3000

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ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(c) Exhibits

(99.1) Press release issued by Cambrex Corporation dated April 22, 2004.

ITEM 12. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION UNDER ITEM 12

On April 22, 2004, Cambrex Corporation issued a press release announcing its financial results for the first quarter of 2004 and providing guidance for 2004. The press release is attached to this Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

SIGNATURES

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CAMBREX CORPORATION

By: /s/ Luke M. Beshar

Luke M. Beshar Senior Vice President Chief Financial Officer

Dated: April 22, 2004

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## EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 Press Release of Cambrex Corporation dated April 22, 2004

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