EDISON MISSION ENERGY Form 8-K April 05, 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 2, 2004

EDISON MISSION ENERGY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

000-24890

(Commission file number)

18101 Von Karman Avenue Irvine, California 92612

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

949-752-5588

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

95-4031807

(I.R.S. employer identification no.)

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Items 1 through 4 and 6 through 12 are not included because they are inapplicable.

This current report includes forward-looking statements. Edison Mission Energy has based these forward-looking statements on its current expectations and projections about future events based upon knowledge of facts as of the date of this current report and its assumptions about future events. These forward-looking statements are subject to various risks and uncertainties that may be outside Edison Mission Energy s control. Edison Mission Energy has no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. This current report should be read in conjunction with Edison Mission Energy s 2003 Annual Report on Form 10-K. Capitalized terms used in this current report which are not specifically defined have the meanings set forth in the other reports.

Item 5. Other Events

On April 2, 2004, Edison Mission Energy s (the Company s) indirect subsidiary Midwest Generation, LLC issued a press release announcing that it plans to commence a refinancing. The Company is furnishing a copy of the press release as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. Such information is incorporated herein by reference.

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SIGNATURE

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 thereunto duly authorized.

Edison Mission Energy (Registrant)

Date: April 2, 2004

/s/ Kevin M. Smith
KEVIN M. SMITH
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer
and Treasurer

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