CHAMPION INDUSTRIES INC Form 8-K September 09, 2005

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K /A (AMENDMENT No. 2)

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of ear 2005	rliest event reported) <u>Septembe</u>	<u>r 8.</u>	
	Champion	Industries, Inc.	
	(Exact Name of Registrar	nt as Specified in Its Charter)	
	West	Virginia	
	(State or Other Juriso	diction of Incorporation)	
	0-21084	55-0717455	
	(Commission File No.)	(IRS Employer Identification	on No.)
2450 First Avenue P. O. Box 2968 Huntington, West Virginia			25728
(Address of Principal Exec	utive Offices)		(Zip Code)
	(304)	528-2700	
	(Registrant's Telephone N	fumber, Including Area Code)	
	Not A	pplicable	
	Former Name or Former Addr	ress, 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):

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- 0 Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

EXPLANATORY NOTE:

This 8-K/A amends and revises the form 8-K filed by Champion Industries, Inc. on August 19, 2005 and the 8-K/A Amendment No. 1 filed August 19, 2005 and is being filed to update Exhibit 99.1 to such 8-K and 8-K/A Amendment No. 1 to reflect a revision to the quarterly and year to date sales and cost of sales related to the three and nine months ended July 31, 2005.

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On August 19, 2005, Champion Industries, Inc. announced its financial results for the quarter ended July 31, 2005. The Company revised and updated its previously announced release of financial results on September 8, 2005. The press release announcing financial results for the quarter ended July 31, 2005 is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) The exhibits listed on the Exhibit Index on page 3 of this Form 8-K are filed herewith. 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.

CHAMPION INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: September 8, 2005

/s/ Todd R. Fry

Todd R. Fry, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number	Description
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Press Release dated September 8, 2005 captioned "CHAMPION AMENDS ANNOUNCEMENT OF EARNINGS FOR $3^{\rm RD}$ QTR. 2005". 99.1