

UNITRIN INC
Form 8-K
September 17, 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): 09/16/2004

Unitrin, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Commission File Number: 0-18298

DE
(State or Other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation or Organization)

95-4255452
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

**One East Wacker Drive
Chicago, IL 60601**
(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code)

312-661-4600
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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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Items to be Included in this Report

Item 8.01. Other Events

As more fully described in the press release issued by the registrant on September 16, 2004, attached here as Exhibit 99.01 and incorporated by reference herein, the registrant announced that it expects that its net losses resulting from both Hurricanes Charley and Frances combined will be less than \$10 million after-tax. The registrant had previously disclosed that its net losses from Hurricane Charley alone would be less than \$5 million after-tax.

Signature(s)

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.

Unitrin, Inc.

Date: September 17, 2004.

By: /s/ Scott Renwick

Scott Renwick
Senior Vice President

Exhibit Index

Exhibit No.	Description
EX-99.01	Press Release dated September 16, 2004