BASSETT FURNITURE INDUSTRIES INC Form 8-K January 31, 2005

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20599

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) January 25, 2005

BASSETT FURNITURE INDUSTRIES, INCORPORATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

VIRGINIA (State or other jurisdiction of 0-209 (Commission File No.) 54-0135270 (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation or organization)

Identification No.)

3525 FAIRYSTONE PARK HIGHWAY

BASSETT, VIRGINIA

24055

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code 276/629-6000

(Former name or former address, if changed 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))

Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year

(a) Amendment to Bylaws:

The Board of Directors resolved on January 22, 2005, to amend Article III, Section 2 of the Company s By-laws, effective as of February 22, 2005, to decrease the number of directors from twelve to nine. Exhibit 3 to this Form 8-K contains the Company s Bylaws as amended effective as of February 22, 2005.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit 3. By-Laws of Bassett Furniture Industries, Inc.

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.

BASSETT FURNITURE INDUSTRIES, INCORPORATED

Date: January 31, 2005

By: /s/ Barry C. Safrit

Barry C. Safrit Title: Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Description

Exhibit No. 3 By-Laws of Bassett Furniture Industries, Inc.