UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

	FORM 10-Q/A (Amendment No. 1)	
(Mark One) X QUARTERLY REPORT 1934		(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF
For the quarterly period ended M	arch 31, 2004	
	OR	
TRANSITION REPORT	PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15	6(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF
For the transition period from	to	
_ 	Commission File Number:	1-12991
(BancorpSouth, Inc. Exact name of registrant as specifie	ed in its charter)
Mississippi		64-0659571
(State or other jurisdiction of incorpor	cation or organization)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
One Mississippi Plaza, 201 South Sp	oring Street, Tupelo,	20004
Mississippi (Address of principal execu	tive offices)	38804 (Zip Code)
(Figuress of principal critical		(E.F 0000)
((662) 680-2000 Registrant's telephone number, incl	uding area code)
(Former name,	NOT APPLICABLE former address, and former fiscal years.	
Securities Exchange Act of 1934	-	required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the for such shorter period that the Registrant was equirements for the past 90 days. Yes <u>X</u> No
Indicate by check mark whether the Yes X_ No	he Registrant is an accelerated filer ((as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).
As of May 3, 2004, the Registrant	had outstanding 77,212,281 shares	of common stock, par value \$2.50 per share.

EXPLANATORY NOTE:

This Amendment No. 1 on Form 10-Q/A amends the quarterly report of BancorpSouth, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2004, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 7, 2004. This amendment provides certain additional information required by Item 703 of Regulation S-K.

PART II OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 2. CHANGES IN SECURITIES, USE OF PROCEEDS AND ISSUER PURCHASES OF EQUITY SECURITIES.

The Company made the following purchases of its common stock during the three months ended March 31, 2004:

			Total Number of	Maximum Number of
			Shares Purchased	Shares that May
	Total Number		as Part of Publicly	Yet Be Purchased
	of Shares	Average Price	Announced Plans	Under the Plans
Period	Purchased (1)	Paid per Share	or Programs (2)	or Programs
January 1 - January 31	34,608	\$22.45	32,500	3,423,992
February 1 - February 29	286,000	21.98	286,000	3,137,992
March 1 - March 31	270,400	22.08	270,400	2,867,592
Total	591,008			

⁽¹⁾ This includes 2,108 shares redeemed from an employee during the first quarter of 2004 upon vesting of restricted stock for tax withholding purposes.

ITEM 6. EXHIBITS AND REPORTS ON FORM 8-K.

- (a) Exhibits
- (31.1) Certification of the Chief Executive Officer of BancorpSouth, Inc. pursuant to Rule 13a-14 or 15d-14 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, as adopted pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
- (31.2) Certification of the Chief Financial Officer of BancorpSouth, Inc. pursuant to Rule 13a-14 or 15d-14 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, as adopted pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

⁽²⁾ On April 23, 2003, the Company announced a stock repurchase program pursuant to which the Company may purchase up to 3.9 million shares of its common stock prior to April 30, 2005. During the three months ended March 31, 2004, the Company terminated no repurchase plans or programs and no such plans or programs expired.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

DATE: June 14, 2004

BancorpSouth, Inc.
(Registrant)

/s/ L. Nash Allen, Jr.
L. Nash Allen, Jr.
Treasurer and

Chief Financial Officer

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BANCORPSOUTH, INC. CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-14 OR 15d-14 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

- I, Aubrey B. Patterson, certify that:
- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q/A of BancorpSouth, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) for the registrant and have:
- a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
- b) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
- c) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
- a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
- b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: <u>June 14, 2004</u>	
/s/ Aubrey B. Patterson	
Aubrey B. Patterson	
Chief Executive Officer	

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- I, L. Nash Allen, Jr., certify that:
- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q/A of BancorpSouth, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
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- b) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
- c) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
- a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
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Date: _	June 14, 2004	
/s/ L. N	lash Allen, Jr.	
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Chief F	inancial Officer	

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June 15, 2004

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Securities and Exchange Commission 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Judiciary Plaza Washington, D.C. 20549 Attention: Filing Desk

Re: BancorpSouth, Inc.

File No. 001-12991

Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q/A for the Quarter Ended March 31, 2004

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On behalf of BancorpSouth, Inc. (the "Registrant"), I am transmitting electronically Amendment No. 1 to the quarterly report on Form 10-Q/A for the quarter ended March 31, 2004 (the "Report") for filing under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

If you have any questions pertaining to this filing, please call me at (615) 850-8586.

Sincerely,

/s/ David Wilson
David Wilson

Enclosures

cc: The New York Stock Exchange, Inc.

L. Nash Allen, Jr. Ralph W. Davis, Esq.