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#### **DONNELLEY R R & SONS CO**

CIK: **29669** | IRS No.: **361004130** | State of Incorporation: **DE** | Fiscal Year End: **1231**  
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) January 5, 1994

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R. R. DONNELLEY & SONS COMPANY  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	1-4694 (Commission File No.)	36-1004130 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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77 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois (Address of principal executive offices)	60601 (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code (312) 326-8000

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Item 5. Other Events

On January 5, 1994, the Company issued the press release referred to in Item 7 regarding the FTC administrative proceeding involving the Company's

acquisition of the Meredith/Burda companies.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

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Press Release, dated January 5, 1994; R. R. Donnelley to Appeal  
Decision in Meredith/Burda Litigation

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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.

R. R. DONNELLEY & SONS COMPANY

By /s/ DAVID C. HART

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David C. Hart  
Vice President, General Counsel  
and Secretary

Date: January 7, 1994

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For Immediate Release

R.R. DONNELLEY TO APPEAL DECISION IN  
MEREDITH/BURDA LITIGATION

CHICAGO, January 5, 1994--R.R. Donnelley & Sons Company will appeal an initial decision favoring the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) in its challenge to the company's 1990 acquisition of the Meredith/Burda companies. Administrative Law Judge Lewis F. Parker found the acquisition has or may substantially lessen competition in a "high-volume publication gravure printing" market and ordered the divestiture of four plants involved in the original acquisition.

"The company believes the acquisition was legally proper," stated David C. Hart, vice president and general counsel of R.R. Donnelley. "Judge Parker's decision is wrong and contrary to the findings of U.S. District Court Judge Stanley Harris, who allowed the acquisition to proceed despite the FTC's attempt to enjoin its consummation on the same grounds. We will appeal this ruling to the full Federal Trade Commission and on to the Federal courts, if needed." Hart added that the appeal will have the effect of staying the judge's order.

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