## 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): September 19, 2005

Vail Resorts, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<u>Delaware</u> 1-9614 51-0291762 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

<u>137 Benchmark Road Avon, Colorado</u>
(Address of principal executive offices)

81620
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (970) 845-2500

Not applicable

(Former name or former address, 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:

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[ ] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act

#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On September 19, 2005, Vail Resorts, Inc. (the 'Company') issued a press release announcing that the Central Regional Office of the Securities and Exchange Commission has informed the Company that its existing investigation has been terminated, and that no enforcement action has been recommended regarding the Company. The Company has also been informed that no enforcement action has been recommended with respect to any present or former directors, officers or employees of the Company in regard to the matters that had been under investigation. A copy of the press release is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits. The following exhibits are filed herewith:

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated September 19, 2005

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.

Date: September 19, 2005 Va

Vail Resorts, Inc.
By: <u>/s/ Jeffrey W. Jones</u>
Jeffrey W. Jones
Senior Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer

Vail Resorts, Inc.

**News Release** 

For Immediate Release

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### VAIL RESORTS, INC. ANNOUNCES TERMINATION OF SEC INVESTIGATION

VAIL, Colo.--Sept. 19, 2005--As previously disclosed, in February 2003 the United States Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") issued a formal order of investigation with respect to Vail Resorts, Inc. (the "Company").

On September 19, 2005, the Central Regional Office of the SEC informed the Company that its investigation has been terminated, and that no enforcement action has been recommended regarding the Company. The Company has also been informed that no enforcement action has been recommended with respect to any present or former directors, officers or employees of the Company in regard to the matters that had been under investigation.

### **About Vail Resorts**

Vail Resorts, Inc. is the leading mountain resort operator in the United States. The Company's subsidiaries operate the mountain resorts of Vail, Beaver Creek, Breckenridge and Keystone in Colorado, Heavenly in California and Nevada, and the Grand Teton Lodge Company in Jackson Hole, Wyo. The Company's subsidiary, RockResorts, a luxury resort hotel company, manages casually elegant properties across the United States. Vail Resorts Development Company is the real estate planning, development and construction subsidiary of Vail Resorts, Inc. Vail Resorts is a publicly held company traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE: MTN). The Vail Resorts company website is www.vailresorts.com and consumer website is www.snow.com.

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