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FORM 6-K
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Commission File Number 1-14464

TV Azteca, S.A. de C.V.
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Periferico Sur, No. 4121, Col. Fuentes del Pedregal, 14141 Mexico D.F., Mexico
(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F Form 40-F

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

TVA Azteca, S.A. de C.V.

(Registrant)

Date: November 25, 2003

By: /S/ OTHON FRIAS CALDERON

Name: Othon Frias Calderon
Title: Attorney-in-fact

[TV AZTECA LOGO]

AZTECA AMERICA ANNOUNCES THE ADDITION OF
TWO NEW AFFILIATES IN KEY US HISPANIC MARKETS

--DENVER, CO AND YAKIMA-PASCOE-RICHLAND, WA RAISE HISPANIC
NETWORK'S COVERAGE TO 69% --

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MEXICO CITY, NOVEMBER 25, 2003--TV Azteca, S.A. de C.V. (NYSE: TZA; BMV: TVAZTCA), one of the two largest producers of Spanish language television programming in the world, announced today that Azteca America, the company's wholly-owned broadcasting network focused on the U.S. Hispanic market, has increased its coverage by adding two new affiliates in Denver, Colorado and Yakima-Pascoe-Richland, Washington. The additions increase the network's coverage to 31 markets, representing 69% coverage of US Hispanic households.

With the addition of KCIN-TV/Channel 27 in Denver and KBKI-TV/Channel 9 - K14JH-TV/Channel 14 in Yakima-Pascoe-Richland, Azteca America continues its growth in key U.S. Hispanic markets. These two deals contribute to the strength of Azteca America network, especially since Denver is the 16th largest Hispanic television market, and its 590,000 residents account for 1.67% of the U.S. Hispanic population.

"The burgeoning Azteca America network continues to reach new Hispanic communities across the United States," said Luis J. Echarte, president and CEO of Azteca America. "Denver reaches such a solid audience base, it is a crucial partnership that contributes greatly to the development of our network. Also, Azteca America is always thrilled to be in business with channels like KBKI-TV in the Yakima-Pascoe-Richland region, a full-powered station that will serve the community for years to come. "

The two new affiliates are added to Azteca America's 29 existing markets, which include Los Angeles, New York, Miami, Houston, Chicago, San Antonio, San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, Albuquerque, Fresno-Visalia, Sacramento-Stockton-Modesto, Orlando, Austin, Las Vegas, Bakersfield, West Palm

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For more information, please visit our corporate website at:
www.aztecaamerica.com/corporate.

COMPANY PROFILE

TV Azteca is one of the two largest producers of Spanish language television programming in the world, operating two national television networks, Azteca 13 and Azteca 7, through 554 owned transmitters across the country. TV Azteca affiliates include Azteca America Network, a new broadcast television network focused on the rapidly growing US Hispanic; Unefon, a Mexican mobile telephony operator focused on the mass market; and Todito.com, an Internet portal for North American Spanish speakers.

Except for historical information, the matters discussed in this press release are forward-looking statements and are subject to certain risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected. Risks that may affect TV Azteca are identified in its Form 20-F and other filings with the US Securities and Exchange Commission.

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