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Form 8-K  
October 23, 2003

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 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): October 23, 2003

HAEMONETICS CORPORATION  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Massachusetts	1-10730	04-2882273
----- (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	----- (Commission File Number)	----- (IRS Employer Identification Number)
400 Wood Road Braintree, MA		02184
----- (Address of principal executive offices)		----- (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (781) 848-7100

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.  
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The following information is intended to be included under "Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition" and is included under this Item 9 in accordance with SEC Release No. 33-8216.

On October 23, 2003 Haemonetics Corporation (the "Company") issued a press release regarding its financial results for the second quarter and year to date ended September 27, 2003. The Company's press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K and the Exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

Exhibits  
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99.1 Press Release dated October 23, 2003 of Haemonetics Corporation.

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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.

HAEMONETICS CORPORATION

Date: October 23, 2003

By: s/Ronald J. Ryan

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Ronald J. Ryan, Vice President  
and Chief Financial Officer

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