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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) October 7, 2002

FMC CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-2376	94-0479804
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employer
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)

1735 Market Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103

(Address of principal executive offices) (ZipCode)

(215) 299-6000

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

On October 7, 2002 FMC issued the following press release (attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1).

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

99.1 Text of Press Release dated October 7, 2002

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.

FMC CORPORATION

By: /s/ W. Kim Foster

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W. Kim Foster Chief Financial Officer October 8, 2002