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CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

DATE OF REPORT (DATE OF EARLIEST REPORTED)

Date of Report (Date of earliest reported) April 22, 2003

TELEFLEX INCORPORATED (Exact name of registrant as specified in its chapter)

Delaware 1-5353 23-1147939 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation File Number) Identification No.)

630 West Germantown Pike
Suite 450
Plymouth Meeting, PA
(Address of principal executive offices)

19462 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (610) 834-6301

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

ITEM 7(C). EXHIBITS

- 99.1 Press Release of Teleflex Incorporated dated April 16, 2003 reporting Teleflex Incorporated's financial results for the first quarter of 2003.
- 99.2 Summary of April 17, 2003 Conference Call with Analysts and Investors.
- ITEM 9. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE; AND
- ITEM 12. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On April 16, 2003, Teleflex Incorporated issued a press release announcing its financial results for the first quarter of 2003.

A copy of the press release and the summary of conference call

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are furnished as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 to this report and are incorporated herein by reference.

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.

TELEFLEX INCORPORATED

/s/ Joan W. Schwartz

JOAN W. SCHWARTZ ASSOCIATE GENERAL COUNSEL AND ASSISTANT SECRETARY

DATE: APRIL 22, 2003