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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): September 8, 2003

GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 1-13888 (Commission File Number) 06-1385548 (I.R.S. Employee Identification Number)

Brandywine West, 1521 Concord Pike, Suite 301, Wilmington, Delaware 19803

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

Registrant s Telephone Number, including Area Code: 302-778-8227

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

GrafTech International Ltd. (the Corporation) hereby incorporates by reference the contents of the press release, dated September 8, 2003, announcing that it expects electronic thermal management business to grow in 2004. A copy of this press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

The Corporation hereby incorporates by reference the contents of the press release, dated September 8, 2003, announcing that a newly developed product from its eGRAF electronic thermal management product line was recognized by R&D Magazine as one of the 100 most technologically significant products introduced globally over the last year. A copy of this press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.2.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Corporation has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: September 8, 2003

SIGNATURE 1

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By: /s/ Corrado F. De Gasperis

Corrado F. De Gasperis Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Chief Information Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)

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99.2 Press release of GrafTech International Ltd., dated September 8, 2003.

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