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UNITED STATES SECURITIES ANE 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: May 16, 2003

THE DIAL CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

DELAWARE (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) 15501 NORTH DIAL BOULEVARD SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA (Address of Principal Executive Offices) 51-0374887 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

85260-1619 (Zip Code)

Registrant s Telephone Number, including Area Code (480) 754-3425.

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 - (99) Press Release of the Company dated May 15, 2003

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On May 15, 2003, Dial issued a press release announcing that The Dial Corporation s CEO and CFO will present at the Goldman Sachs Global Consumer Products Conference 2003. The release also announced that Dial remains comfortable with the second quarter guidance. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.

SIGNATURE

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.

The Dial Corporation

May 16, 2003

/s/ Conrad A. Conrad

Conrad A. Conrad Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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