HUGHES ELECTRONICS CORP Form 8-K April 18, 2001

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> > 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) April 3, 2001

HUGHES ELECTRONICS CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission file number 0-26035

STATE OF DELAWARE (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 52-1106564 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

200 North Sepulveda Boulevard El Segundo, California 90245 (Address of principal executive offices)

(310) 662-9688 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item 2. Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

On April 3, 2001, Hughes Electronics Corporation ("Hughes"), a wholly owned subsidiary of General Motors Corporation, acquired nationwide residential Digital Subscriber Line ("DSL") service provider Telocity Delaware, Inc. ("Telocity") through the completion of a tender offer and merger. These transactions were pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger dated December 21, 2000 between Hughes, Telocity, and DIRECTV Broadband, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Hughes. DIRECTV Broadband, Inc. paid \$2.15 in cash for each of the approximately 77.8 million tendered shares. The remaining approximately 4.9 million issued and outstanding shares of Telocity were converted into the right to receive \$2.15 per share in cash as a result of the merger (subject to certain shareholders' appraisal rights under Delaware law).

The purchase price consisted of approximately \$177.8 million in cash, and an additional \$20 million of interim financing provided by Hughes. The parties determined the purchase price through arms-length negotiations. There was no material relationship between Telocity or the Telocity shareholders, on one hand, and Hughes or any of its directors, officers, or affiliates (or any of the affiliates or associates of any of Hughes directors or officers), on the other hand.

DIRECTV Broadband, Inc. will operate the Telocity DSL service, and plans to integrate it with Hughes' DIRECTV digital multi-channel entertainment service to create a "whole house" entertainment and information solution to complement Hughes' existing DIRECTV/DirecPC satellite based broadband offering.

See Item 7 for the pro forma effect of this acquisition on Hughes' consolidated financial statements. This Report may contain certain statements that Hughes believes are, or may be considered to be, "forward-looking statements," within the meaning of various provisions of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended and of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. These forward-looking statements are based largely on Hughes' current expectations and are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond Hughes' control. Actual results could differ materially from those anticipated by these forward-looking statements as a result of factors described in Hughes' reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), including its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000 filed on March 6, 2001, its Current Reports on Form 8-K filed through the date of this report and as a result of other factors.

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Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired.

Telocity's audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2000 are incorporated herein by reference to Telocity's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000, filed with the SEC on April 2, 2001.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements: Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Balance Sheet as of December 31, 2000 Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Statement of Continuing Operations for the Year Ended December 31, 2000 Notes to Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements

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Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements

The following unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements have been derived from the audited historical consolidated financial statements of each of Hughes and Telocity to give effect to Hughes' acquisition of Telocity.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of continuing operations reflects adjustments as if the acquisition had taken place on January 1, 2000. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet reflects adjustments as if the acquisition had occurred on December 31, 2000. The pro forma adjustments described in the accompanying notes are based on various assumptions that Hughes management believes are reasonable in the circumstances. The adjustments do not reflect an allocation of purchase price to the relative fair value of net assets acquired. Such allocation will be completed during the next few months pending the results of an independent appraisal and management analysis of the Telocity net assets acquired. The purchase price presented here does not include expenses associated with the transaction.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of continuing operations does not give effect to any cost savings that may be realized from the acquisition, which savings relate primarily to the reduction of duplicative operating, general and administrative expenses.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements, including the notes thereto, should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements of Hughes included in its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000 and the audited consolidated financial statements of Telocity included in its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000, filed with the SEC on March 6, 2001 and April 2, 2001, respectively.

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UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED STATEMENT OF CONTINUING OPERATIONS For the Year Ended December 31, 2000

	Historical Hughes	Historical Telocity	Pro Forma Adjustments	Pro Forma Combined
Revenues		(Dollars	in Millions)	
Direct broadcast, leasing and other services	\$6,262.2	\$9.4		\$6,271.6
Product sales	1,025.4	\$9.4 		1,025.4

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Total Revenues	7,287.6	9.4			7,297.0
Operating Costs and Expenses					
Broadcast programming and other					
costs	2,812.8				2,812.8
Cost of products sold	815.1	29.1	\$18.1	(a)	862.3
Selling, general and					
administrative expenses	3,065.7	140.9	(18.1)	(a)	3,188.5
Depreciation and amortization	948.1	15.6	17.8	(b)	981.5
Total Operating Costs and					
Expenses	7,641.7	185.6	17.8		7,845.1
Operating Loss	(354.1)	(176.2)	(17.8)		(548.1)
Interest income			(3.1)		
Interest expense			(11.9)		
Other, net	(292.6)	· · ·			(292.6)
Loss From Continuing Operations					
Before Income Taxes and					
Minority Interests	(815.6)	(173.4)	(32.8)		(1, 021, 8)
Income tax benefit	(406.1)				(475.6)
Minority interests in net losses of	(,		(/	(-)	(- · · · · ·)
subsidiaries	54.1				54.1
Loss from continuing operations	\$(355.4)		\$36.7		
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements.

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UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED BALANCE SHEET As of December 31, 2000

	Historical Hughes	Historical Telocity 	Pro Forma Adjustments	Pro Forma Combined
ASSETS Current Assets		(Dollars	in Millions)	
Cash and cash equivalents Accounts and notes receivable Contracts in process Inventories Deferred income taxes Prepaid expenses and other	\$1,508.1 1,253.0 186.0 338.0 89.9 778.7	0.5	\$(197.8) (f)	\$1,348.7 1,253.5 186.0 338.0 89.9 790.5
Total Current Assets Satellites, net Property, net Net Investment in Sales-type Leases Intangible Assets, net	4,153.7 4,230.0 1,707.8 221.1 7,151.3	50.7 45.3 0.3	(197.8)	4,006.6 4,230.0 1,753.1 221.1 7,151.6

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value of net assets acquired Investments and Other Assets	1,815.4	36.0	,	f) 124.8 1,851.4
Total Assets	\$19,279.3	\$132.3	\$(73.0)	\$19,338.6
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$1,224.2	\$23.8		\$1,248.0
Deferred revenues	137.6	1.0		138.6
Short-term borrowings and current				
portion of long-term Debt	24.6			24.6
Accrued liabilities and other	1,304.5	27.4		1,331.9
Total Current Liabilities	2,690.9	52.2		2,743.1
Long-Term Debt	1,292.0	7.1		1,299.1
Other Liabilities and Deferred Credits	1,647.3			1,647.3
Deferred Income Taxes	769.3			769.3
Minority Interests	553.7			553.7
Stockholder's Equity	12,326.1	73.0	(73.0) (f) 12,326.1
Total Liabilities and Stockholder's				
Equity	\$19,279.3	\$132.3	\$(73.0)	\$19,338.6

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements.

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NOTES TO UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements have been derived from the historical consolidated financial statements of each of Hughes and Telocity to give effect to Hughes' acquisition of Telocity.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of continuing operations reflects adjustments as if the acquisition had taken place on January 1, 2000. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet reflects adjustments as if the acquisition had occurred on December 31, 2000. The pro forma adjustments described in the accompanying notes are based on preliminary estimates and various assumptions that Hughes management believes are reasonable in the circumstances.

The pro forma adjustments reflected in the unaudited condensed combined financial statements were prepared using the purchase method of accounting. The allocation of purchase price to net assets acquired will be made pending the completion of an independent appraisal currently in process. Also, management is currently performing an analysis to determine whether or not to make an election under Internal Revenue Code Section 338(g) to treat this as an asset acquisition for income tax purposes. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements assume that management will make this election. In the event this election is not made, Hughes will record a deferred tax asset related to Telocity's historical net operating losses, and goodwill amortization will not be deductible for income tax purposes. The purchase price allocation will be

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completed pending the appraisal and analysis that are expected to be completed by December 31, 2001.

The unaudited condensed combined financial statements do not purport to present the financial position or results of operations of Hughes had the transaction and events assumed therein occurred on the dates specified, nor are they necessarily indicative of the results of operations that may be achieved in the future. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of continuing operations does not give effect to any cost savings that may be realized from the acquisition, which savings relate primarily to the reduction of duplicative operating, general and administrative expenses.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements, including the notes thereto, should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements of Hughes included in its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000 and the audited consolidated financial statements of Telocity included in its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000, filed with the SEC on March 6, 2001 and April 2, 2001, respectively, and Current Reports on Form 8-K filed by Hughes and Telocity through the date of this report.

Certain historical Telocity amounts have been combined to conform to the Hughes presentation.

Pro Forma Adjustments

The following adjustments, which are set forth in millions, give pro forma effect to the Telocity acquisition:

- a. To reclassify certain amounts in the historical financial statements of Telocity to conform to the Hughes presentation.
- b. Hughes has not as yet completed an analysis of the relative fair market value of the net assets acquired from Telocity in order to determine a preliminary allocation of the purchase price. Accordingly, the excess of the purchase price over the book value of net assets acquired has been presented as a single caption in the accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet. For purposes of the accompanying unaudited condensed combined statement of continuing operations, such excess is being amortized using an estimated weighted-average composite life of seven years.
- c. To reduce interest income on cash required for the Telocity acquisition assuming Hughes' historical interest income rate of 6.7% for the period beginning October 7, 2000 and ending December 31, 2000, during which time Hughes had available cash balances.
- d. To increase interest expense on borrowings required for the Telocity acquisition assuming Hughes' historical interest expense rate of 7.84% for the period beginning January 1, 2000 and ending October 6, 2000, during which time Hughes would have required additional borrowings.
- e. Income taxes associated with the pro forma adjustments discussed above have been calculated at an assumed combined federal and state rate of 40%. This assumes that Hughes will make an election which will allow Hughes to deduct goodwill for income tax purposes, however an analysis is currently in process to determine whether to make this election.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of continuing operations have also been adjusted to recognize a tax benefit for federal and state income taxes of \$56.4 million for Telocity's historical losses from continuing operations for the year ended December 31, 2000. This adjustment recognizes that, if the Telocity acquisition had taken place on January 1, 2000, the tax benefit of Telocity's losses would have been realized in the consolidated federal tax return of General Motors Corporation.

f. To record the consideration paid for the acquisition. These unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements reflect the actual consideration paid to holders of Telocity common stock of \$2.15 per share, as well as a \$20 million interim financing loan provided to Telocity pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger dated December 21, 2000.

For purposes of these unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements, the excess of purchase price over the book value of net assets acquired has been estimated as follows (in millions, except per share amounts):

Outstanding Shares of Telocity Common Stock Cash paid per share	82.7 \$2.15
Cash consideration to shareholders Interim financing provided to Telocity	177.8 20.0
Purchase price	197.8
Less: Telocity net book value at December 31, 2000	73.0
Excess of purchase price over book value of	
net assets acquired	\$124.8

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(c) Exhibits.

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2	.1*	Agreement and Plan of Merger among Hughes Electronics Corporation, DIRECTV Broadband, Inc. and Telocity Delaware, Inc., dated as of December 21, 2000 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99 (d) (1) to the Tender Offer on Schedule TO of Hughes Electronics Corporation, filed February 1, 2001).	
2	3.1**	Consent of Independent Accountants.	11
9	9.1**	Press Release dated April 3, 2001.	12
9	9.2*	Telocity Delaware, Inc. Consolidated Financial Statements (incorporated by reference to Telocity's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000,	

filed with the SEC on April 2, 2001).

- * Incorporated by reference. ** Filed herewith.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

> HUGHES ELECTRONICS CORPORATION _____ (Registrant)

Date April 18, 2001 _____

Ву /s/Roxanne S. Austin _____

(Roxanne S. Austin, Chief Financial Officer)