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FORM 8-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

DATE OF REPORT: DECEMBER 11, 2002 (Date of earliest event reported)

KIMBERLY-CLARK CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE 1-225 39-0394230

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File (IRS Employer of incorporation) Number) Identification No.)

P.O. BOX 619100, DALLAS, TEXAS 75261-9100 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(972) 281-1200 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

Attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 is a press release issued by Kimberly-Clark Corporation on December 11, 2002 regarding fourth quarter 2002 guidance and the 2003 business outlook.

Attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2 is the text of a conference call webcasted on December 11, 2002 regarding Kimberly-Clark Corporation's business outlook for 2003.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the

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registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

KIMBERLY-CLARK CORPORATION

Date: December 11, 2002 By: /s/ John W. Donehower

John W. Donehower Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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