

3M CO  
Form 8-K  
December 15, 2003

**UNITED STATES  
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: December 15, 2003  
(Date of earliest event reported)

**3M COMPANY**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

File No. 1-3285  
(Commission File Number)

Delaware  
(State of incorporation)

41-0417775  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

3M Center  
St. Paul, Minnesota

(Address of principal executive offices)

55144-1000  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone, including area code:  
(651) 733-1110

**ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS.**

The exhibits filed herewith are exhibits to the Registration Statement on Form S-3 (file no. 333-109211) of 3M Company (the "Company"), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 29, 2003, covering \$1,500,000,000 of Debt Securities of the Company. On December 12, 2003, the Company entered into a Distribution Agreement with Goldman Sachs & Co., Citigroup Global Markets Inc., J.P. Morgan Securities Inc., Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated and UBS Securities LLC relating to the Company's Medium-Term Notes, Series D.

**ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.**

(c) Exhibits

EXHIBIT NO.  
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DESCRIPTION  
Distribution Agreement

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4.1	Form of Fixed Rate Medium-Term Note
4.2	Form of Floating Rate Medium-Term Note
23	Consent of Bobac Barjesteh

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

3M COMPANY

By: /s/ Gregg M. Larson  
Gregg M. Larson,  
Secretary

Dated: December 15, 2003

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