

CENTEX CORP  
Form 8-K  
September 23, 2002

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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 23, 2002**

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**Centex Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Nevada**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**1-6776**

(Commission File Number)

**2728 N. Harwood, Dallas, Texas**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**75-0778259**

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**75201**

(Zip code)

**(214) 981-5000**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address if changed from last report)

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| 99.1                      | Press Release dated September 23, 2002. |

**Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On September 23, 2002, Centex Corporation, a Nevada corporation (the Corporation), announced Centex Homes Sales for Quarter Increase 36% and Company Expects Second Quarter Earnings to Rise 15% Over a Year Ago. A copy of the Corporation's press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference, and is being furnished under this Item 9 in accordance with the provisions of Regulation FD (17 CFR §§ 243.100 et seq.).

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**SIGNATURES**

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.

CENTEX CORPORATION

By: /s/ Raymond G. Smerge

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Name: Raymond G. Smerge  
Title: Executive Vice President,  
Chief Legal Officer and Secretary

Date: September 23, 2002

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