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**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 (Date of earliest event reported): July 28, 2003

Commission File Number 1-8097

ENSCO International Incorporated

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

76-0232579
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

**500 North Akard Street
Suite 4300
Dallas, Texas**
(Address of principal executive offices)

75201-3331
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(214) 397-3000**

Item 5. Other Events

Attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the press release dated July 28, 2003 of ENSCO International Incorporated.

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Document</u>
99.1	Press release issued by ENSCO International Incorporated dated July 28, 2003.

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.

ENSCO International Incorporated

Date: July 28, 2003

/s/ H. E. MALONE, JR.

H. E. Malone, Jr.
Vice President

/s/ DAVID A. ARMOUR

David A. Armour
Controller

NEWS RELEASE
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ENSCO Announces New Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Dallas, Texas, July 28, 2003.... ENSCO International Incorporated (NYSE: ESV) announced that James "Jay" W. Swent has been named by the Company's Board of Directors to serve as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, effective immediately. Mr. Swent previously held various financial executive positions at Memorex Corporation and Nortel Networks, and served as Chief Financial Officer and Chief Executive Officer of both Cyrix Corporation and American Pad and Paper Corporation. He is a graduate of the University of California at Berkeley, where he received a B.S. in Finance and a Masters Degree in Business Administration.

Carl F. Thorne, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of ENSCO, commented "We are pleased that Jay is joining our management team, and look forward to his contribution. Jay's international and financial experience, coupled with his strong leadership and management skills, are the qualities that we were seeking to augment our financial management team."

ENSCO, headquartered in Dallas, Texas, provides contract drilling services to the global petroleum industry.

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