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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

October 22, 2003 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

VISX, INCORPORATED (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware _____

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

 1-10694
 06-1161793

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 (Commission
 (IRS Employer

 File Number)
 Identification No.)

3400 Central Expressway, Santa Clara, California 95051-0703 _____ (Address of principal executive offices)

(408) 733-2020

_____ (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description _____

99.1 Press release of the Company dated October 22, 2003

Item 12. Disclosure of Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 22, 2003, VISX, Incorporated issued an earnings release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2003. A copy of the earnings release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

The information contained in this Current Report and the attached Exhibit 99.1 is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. Such information shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, unless expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

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.

VISX, INCORPORATED

Date: October 22, 2003

By: /s/ TIMOTHY R. MAIER

Timothy R. Maier Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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