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GOLDEN TELECOM INC Form 8-K December 01, 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

DECEMBER 1, 2003

DATE OF REPORT (DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED)

GOLDEN TELECOM, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE 0-27423 51-0391303 (State of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

REPRESENTATION OFFICE GOLDEN TELESERVICES, INC.

1 KOZHEVNICHESKY PROEZD

MOSCOW, RUSSIA 115114

(Address of principal executive office)

(011-7-501) 797-9300 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 5. Other Events.

On December 1, 2003, Golden Telecom, Inc. (the "Company" "GTI") finalized the acquisition of 100% of the ownership interest in OAO Comincom ("Comincom") previously held by Nye Telenor East Invest AS ("Telenor"). Pursuant to the Share Exchange Agreement, GTI issued 7,007,794 shares of GTI's common stock to Telenor and Telenor will appoint two representatives to GTI's Board of Directors. A special meeting of GTI's stockholders held on November 28, 2003 approved the issuance of the 7,007,794 shares of GTI's common stock to Telenor. GTI will begin to consolidate the financial position and results of operations of Comincom as of December 1, 2003. The Company intends to file an initial Item 2, Form 8-K by December 15, 2003. The Company's press release announcing such matter is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

DESIGNATION DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBIT

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99.1 Press release announcing the acquisition of 100% of Comincom from Telenor.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

GOLDEN TELECOM, INC. (Registrant)

By: /s/ DAVID STEWART

Name: David Stewart

Title: Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

(Principal Financial Officer)

Date: December 1, 2003

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