

BARRA INC /CA  
Form 8-K  
October 22, 2003

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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): **October 22, 2003**

**BARRA, INC.**

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**0-19690**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**94-2993326**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**2100 Milvia Street, Berkeley, California 94704-1113**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: **(510) 548-5442**

**Not Applicable**  
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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**Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated October 22, 2003 by Barra, Inc.

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

On October 22, 2003, Barra, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release relating to the Company's earnings for the quarter ended September 30, 2003, and including certain other information. A copy of the Company's press release dated October 22, 2003 is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein. Additionally, the Company will discuss its second quarter results during a webcast and conference call today at 11:30 Eastern Time. To access the webcast, please visit the CCBN website at [www.fulldisclosure.com](http://www.fulldisclosure.com). Alternatively, you may link to the webcast from the Investors section of the Company's website located at <http://www.barra.com>.

**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.

BARRA, INC

By:

/s/ Greg Stockett

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Greg Stockett  
*Chief Financial Officer*

Date: October 22, 2003

**Exhibit Index**

The following is a list of the Exhibits furnished herewith.

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Description of Exhibit</b>
99.1	Press Release issued by the Company on October 22, 2003.