# 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): August 11, 2003

# **HOST MARRIOTT CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Maryland 001-14625 53-0085950

(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer

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6903 Rockledge Drive, Suite 1500 20817

Bethesda, Maryland (Zip Code)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (240) 744-1000

Identification No.)

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#### Item 5. Other Events.

Host Marriott Corporation is filing as an exhibit hereto (which is incorporated by reference herein) a description of the material U.S. federal income tax considerations relating to the taxation of Host Marriott as a real estate investment trust and the ownership and disposition of Host Marriott equity securities. This description replaces and supersedes prior descriptions of the federal income tax treatment of Host Marriott and its shareholders to the extent that they are inconsistent with the description contained in this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item	17. F	inancial Statements, <i>Pro Forma</i> Financial Information and Exhibits.
(a)	Financ	rial statements of business acquired.
Not a	applica	ble.
(b)	Pro fo	rma financial information.
Not a	applica	ble.
(c)	Exhibi	ts.
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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.

#### HOST MARRIOTT CORPORATION

By: /s/ Larry K. Harvey

Date: August 11, 2003 Name: Larry K. Harvey

Title: Senior Vice President and Corporate

Controller

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No. Description

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