

MANITOWOC CO INC  
Form 8-K  
July 23, 2002

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 23, 2002

THE MANITOWOC COMPANY, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Wisconsin  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

1-11978  
(Commission File Number)

39-0448110  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

500 S. 16th Street,  
Manitowoc, Wisconsin  
(Address of principal executive offices including zip  
code)

54221-0066  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 920-684-4410

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Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure

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On July 23, 2002, The Manitowoc Company, Inc. announced its intention to commence private placement of senior subordinated notes pursuant to the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Exhibit
99.1	Press Release, dated July 23, 2002

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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.

Date: July 23, 2002

THE MANITOWOC COMPANY, INC.

/s/ Carl J. Laurino

Carl J. Laurino

Treasurer and Interim Chief Financial Officer

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THE MANITOWOC COMPANY, INC.  
(THE "REGISTRANT")  
(COMMISSION FILE NO. 1-11978)

EXHIBIT INDEX  
TO  
FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT  
DATED JULY 22, 2002

<u>EXHIBIT NUMBER</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE TO</u>	<u>FILED HEREWITH</u>
99.1	Press Release dated July 23, 2002		X

