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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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): June 5, 2003

NATIONAL SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State of Incorporation) Number)	1-6453 (Commission File Number)	95-2095071 (I.R.S. Employer Identification
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2900 SEMICONDUCTOR DRIVE, P.O. BOX 58090  
SANTA CLARA, CALIFORNIA 95052-8090  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(408) 721-5000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No. -----	Description of Exhibit -----
99.1 issued	News release dated June 5, 2003 by National Semiconductor Corporation. *

\* This exhibit is intended to be furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Item 9. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

This information, furnished under this "Item 9. Regulation FD disclosure," is intended to be furnished under "Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition" in accordance with SEC Release No. 33-8216 and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

On June 5, 2003, National Semiconductor Corporation issued a news release announcing earnings for the quarter ended May 25, 2003. The earnings news release, which has been attached as Exhibit 99.1, contains Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations, Balance Sheets, and Statements of Cash Flows that are presented in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles, or GAAP. The news release also contains certain reconciliations of net loss as reported to net income (loss) excluding license writedowns and special items in 2003 and a tax refund in 2002 that are not presented in accordance with GAAP. These reconciliations are presented as supplemental information because we believe it provides investors with additional information on the components of special items and provides a better understanding of the underlying performance of our business. These non-GAAP reconciliations should be considered supplemental to, and not a substitute for or superior to, the financial statements prepared in accordance the GAAP that are contained in the news release.

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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.

CORPORATION

NATIONAL SEMICONDUCTOR

Dated: June 5, 2003

\S\ Robert E. DeBarr  
Robert E. DeBarr  
Controller  
(Principal Accounting

Officer)

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