

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):
May 5, 2003

THE PITTSTON COMPANY
(Exact Name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Virginia
(State or other
jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

1-9148
(Commission
File Number)

54-1317776
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

1801 Bayberry Court
P. O. Box 18100
Richmond, VA
(Address of principal
executive offices)

23226-8100
(Zip Code)

(804)289-9600
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 5. Other Events

The Registrant announced today that, effective immediately, it has changed its name to "The Brink's Company." The Registrant's press release, dated May 5, 2003, is attached as an exhibit to this report and incorporated herein by reference.

EXHIBITS

99.1 Registrant's press release dated May 5, 2003.

SIGNATURE

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.

THE PITTSTON COMPANY
(Registrant)

By /s/Austin F. Reed

Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Dated: May 5, 2003

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Exhibit	Description
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

PITTSTON BECOMES "THE BRINK'S COMPANY"

New Corporate Name Better Reflects Global Leadership
in Business and Security Services

Stock Symbol Changes to "BCO" - New Logo Introduced

RICHMOND, VA. (MAY 5, 2003) - The Pittston Company announced that effective immediately it has changed its corporate name to "The Brink's Company" to better reflect the Company's current businesses, its global focus, and the strength of its security and business services offerings. The Brink's Company owns three major subsidiary groups: Brink's, Incorporated, Brink's Home Security and BAX Global, and will maintain its headquarters in Richmond, Virginia. The Company's stock symbol on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) has been changed to "BCO."

"The Brink's name is one of the best known and most highly regarded brands in the world," said Michael T. Dan, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer. "The Brink's Company is a powerful combination of dedicated people and global assets. The Company is built on trust, integrity, security and service - time-honored attributes that our customers around the world have come to expect from us. Our mission remains providing world-class service to our customers while creating value for our shareholders."

To celebrate the corporate name and stock symbol change, Mr. Dan and other members of the Brink's organization will ring the opening bell at the NYSE today.

ABOUT THE BRINK'S COMPANY

The Brink's Company (NYSE: BCO) is a global leader in business and security services. The Company's three main businesses are Brink's, Incorporated, the world's premier provider of secure transportation and cash management services; Brink's Home Security, one of the largest and most successful residential alarm companies in North America; and BAX Global, an industry leader in global supply chain management. For more information, please visit The Brink's Company website at www.BrinksCompany.com, or call toll free 877-275-7488.

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