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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: March 26, 2003

HEALTHSOUTH Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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| Delaware ----- State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) | 1-10315 ----- (Commission File Number) | 63-0860407 ----- (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |
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One HEALTHSOUTH Parkway
Birmingham, Alabama

(Address of Principal
Executive Offices)

35243

(Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number,
Including Area Code: (205) 967-7116

Item 5. OTHER EVENTS AND REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On March 24 and 25, 2003, HEALTHSOUTH Corporation issued three press releases dealing with, among other things, (a) the resignation of a director (who did not indicate, in connection with such resignation, any disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to the Company's operations, policies or practices); (b) the engagement of forensic auditors to assist the Company in investigating allegations asserted in a civil complaint filed by the Securities and Exchange Commission asserting fraud in connection with the Company's financial statements and related disclosures, (c) the Company's statement that, in view of such allegations and related activity, the Company's previously filed financial statements should not be relied upon, (d) the engagement of other outside advisors to assist the Company, and (e) the Company's statement that it had been notified that the New York Stock Exchange had suspended trading in the Company's common stock and was applying to the SEC to delist the Company's common stock. Such press releases are attached as exhibits to this Report and are incorporated herein by reference.

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ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release of HEALTHSOUTH Corporation, dated March 24, 2003.

Exhibit 99.2 Press Release of HEALTHSOUTH Corporation, dated March 24, 2003.

Exhibit 99.3 Press Release of HEALTHSOUTH Corporation, dated March 25, 2003.

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: March 26, 2003.

HEALTHSOUTH CORPORATION

By /s/ WILLIAM W. HORTON

William W. Horton
Executive Vice President
and Corporate Counsel