

CONTINENTAL AIRLINES INC /DE/

Form 8-K

September 03, 2003

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):

September 2, 2003

CONTINENTAL AIRLINES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware | 1-10323 | 74-2099724 |
| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (IRS Employer Identification No.) |

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| 1600 Smith Street, Dept. HQSEO, Houston, Texas | 77002 |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | (Zip Code) |

(713) 324-2950

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 5. Other Events.

On September 2, 2003, we issued a press release announcing our August performance and our estimated consolidated breakeven load factor for September. On September 3, 2003, we provided a letter to investors and analysts presenting information relating to our financial and operational outlook for the remainder of 2003. The press release and letter are filed herewith as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2, respectively, and are incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

a. Exhibits

1. Press Release
2. Letter to Investors and Analysts

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Continental Airlines, Inc. has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CONTINENTAL AIRLINES, INC.

September 3, 2003

By /s/ Jennifer L. Vogel

Jennifer L. Vogel

Vice President, General Counsel

and Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

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