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Form 8-K  
June 12, 2003

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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 12, 2003

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CNA FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

1-5823  
(Commission  
File Number)

36-6169860  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

CNA PLAZA, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

60685  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

(312) 822-5000

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Item 5. Other Events

The following information is filed pursuant to Item 5 Other Events.  
On June 11, 2003 CNA Financial Corporation issued a press release announcing the promotion of Robert L. McGinnis to President and Chief Executive Officer of CNA

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Life and Group Operations, CNA insurance companies. The press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits:

Exhibit No. -----	Description -----
99.1	CNA Financial Corporation press release, issued June 11, 2003 providing information on the promotion of Robert L. McGinnis to President and Chief Executive Officer of CNA Life and Group Operations, CNA insurance companies.

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.

CNA FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Dated: June 12, 2003

/s/ Robert V. Deutsch

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By: Robert V. Deutsch  
Its: Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer