

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):
September 2, 2003

MUELLER INDUSTRIES, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-6770	25-0790410
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

8285 Tournament Drive, Suite 150, Memphis, Tennessee	38125
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

(901) 753-3200
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

-1-

Item 7. Financial Statement and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits:

The following exhibit is filed herewith:

99.1 Press Release issued September 2, 2003.

-2-

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 thereunto duly authorized.

MUELLER INDUSTRIES, INC.

By: /s/Kent A. McKee
Name: Kent A. McKee
Title: Vice President and Chief
Financial Officer

Date: September 2, 2003

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit -----	Description -----
99.1	Press Release issued September 2, 2003.

EUROPEAN COMMISSION'S STATEMENT REGARDING
COPPER TUBE MANUFACTURERS IN EUROPE

Mueller Industries, Inc. (NYSE: MLI), reported that the European Commission yesterday released a statement alleging infringements in Europe of competition rules by manufacturers of copper tubes including Mueller Industries, Inc. and businesses in France and England, which it acquired in 1997. Mueller took the lead in bringing these issues to the attention of the European Commission and has fully cooperated in the resulting investigation from its inception. Mueller does not anticipate any material adverse effect on its business or financial position as a result of the European Commission's action.

Statements in this release that are not strictly historical may be "forward-looking" statements, which involve risks and uncertainties. These include economic and currency conditions, market demand, pricing, and competitive and technological factors, among others, as set forth in the company's SEC filings.

Mueller Industries, Inc. is a leading manufacturer of copper tube and fittings; brass and copper alloy rod, bar and shapes; aluminum and brass forgings; aluminum and copper impact extrusions; plastic fittings and valves; refrigeration valves and fittings; and fabricated tubular products. Mueller's operations are located throughout the United States and in Canada, Mexico, and Great Britain.