

RITA MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC  
Form 8-K  
September 10, 2003

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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## FORM 8-K

Current Report

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

September 10, 2003

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

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## RITA Medical Systems, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State or other

jurisdiction of incorporation)

000-30959  
(Commission File Number)

94-3199149  
(I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

967 N. Shoreline Blvd.

Mountain View, CA 94043

(Address of principal executive offices, with zip code)

**(650) 314-3400**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

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**Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On September 9, 2003, RITA Medical Systems, Inc., a Delaware corporation (RITA), announced it had appointed John J. Soto as its Vice President, International Sales. A copy of RITA's press release announcing this addition to the Company's management is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

**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.

**RITA MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC.**

Date: September 10, 2003

By:

/s/ DONALD STEWART

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Donald Stewart, Chief Financial Officer and  
Vice President Finance and Administration

**RITA MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC.**

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release of RITA Medical Systems, Inc. dated September 9, 2003.