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SHAW COMMUNICATIONS INC Form 6-K September 30, 2003

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

Form 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of September, 2003

Shaw Communications Inc.

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

Suite 900, 630 3rd Avenue S.W., Calgary, Alberta T2P 4L4 (403) 750-4500

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

Form 20-F o Form 40-F b

Indicate by check mark whether by furnishing the information contained in this Form, the registrant is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes o No b

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant, Shaw Communications Inc., has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

By: /s/ R.D. Rogers

R.D. Rogers Sr. V.P., Chief Financial Officer Shaw Communications Inc.

NEWS RELEASE

PURCHASE OF ADDITIONAL SHARES OF SHAW COMMUNICATIONS INC. BY THE SHAW FAMILY

CALGARY, ALBERTA, September 30, 2003 Shaw Communications Inc. (the Company) has been advised that the Shaw Family, and entities owned or controlled by them, completed the purchase of an additional 300,000 Class B Non-Voting Shares of the Company during the week ended September 26, 2003.

According to information provided to the Company, the Shaw Family, and entities owned or controlled by them, holds 18,188,803 shares of the Company. The family also advised the Company it would continue its practice of purchasing shares on a regular basis.

Shaw Communications Inc. is a diversified Canadian communications company whose core business is providing broadband cable television, Internet and satellite direct-to-home (DTH) services to approximately 2.9 million customers. Shaw is traded on the Toronto and New York stock exchanges (symbol: TSX SJR.B, NYSE SJR).

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Jim Shaw Chief Executive Officer Shaw Communications Inc. 403-750-4500