

VERTICALNET INC  
Form 8-K  
November 14, 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**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 13, 2003**

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**Verticalnet, Inc.**

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Pennsylvania**  
(State or Other

**Jurisdiction of Incorporation)**

**000-25269**  
(Commission File Number)

**400 Chester Field Parkway, Malvern, PA**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**23-2815834**  
(IRS Employer

**Identification No.)**

**19355**  
Zip Code

**Registrant's telephone, including area code: (610) 240-0600**

**Not Applicable**

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(Former name and former address, if changed since last report)

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**ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.**

(c) Exhibits.

The following press release is included as an exhibit to this report furnished under Item 12:

99.1 Press Release dated November 13, 2003 issued by Verticalnet, Inc.

**ITEM 9. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE AND ITEM 12. DISCLOSURE OF RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITIONS**

The following information is furnished under Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure and Item 12. Disclosure of Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 13, 2003, Verticalnet, Inc. ( Verticalnet ) issued a press release setting forth Verticalnet s financial information for the quarter ended September 30, 2003. A copy of Verticalnet s press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and hereby incorporated by reference.

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SIGNATURE

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.

**VERTICALNET, INC.**

Date: November 14, 2003

By: \_\_\_\_\_ /s/ GENE S. GODICK

Name: Gene S. Godick

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description of Exhibit</u>                                      |
|--------------------|--|
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