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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) January 22, 2003

THE PROGRESSIVE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio 1-9518 34-0963169 (State or other (Commission File (IRS Employer jurisdiction of Number) Identification incorporation) No.) 6300 Wilson Mills Road, Mayfield Village, Ohio 44143 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s telephone number, including area code 440-461-5000 Not Applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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On January 22, 2003, The Progressive Corporation (the Company) issued a News Release containing financial results of the Company for the three months and twelve months ended December 31, 2002 (the News Release). A copy of the News Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

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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.

Dated: January 22, 2003

THE PROGRESSIVE CORPORATION

By: /s/ W. Thomas Forrester

Name: W. Thomas Forrester Title: Vice President and Chief

Financial Officer

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Exhibit No. Under Reg. S-K Item 601	Form 8-K Exhibit No.	Description
99	99	News Release dated January 22, 2003, containing financial results of The Progressive Corporation for the three months and twelve months ended December 31, 2002.