

VODAFONE GROUP PUBLIC LTD CO

Form 6-K

September 17, 2003

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

**Pursuant to Rules 13a-16 or 15d-16 of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Dated September 17, 2003

VODAFONE GROUP PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

VODAFONE HOUSE, THE CONNECTION, NEWBURY, BERKSHIRE, RG14 2FN, ENGLAND

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes

No

If Yes is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82

This Report on Form 6-K contains a news release issued by Vodafone Group Plc on September 16, 2003, entitled "Singlepoint (4U) Limited - EU Merger Clearance Received".

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SINGLEPOINT (4U) LIMITED - EU MERGER CLEARANCE RECEIVED

Further to the announcement on 11 August 2003, Vodafone Group Plc (Vodafone Group) announces that Vodafone UK Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Vodafone Group, has received EU merger clearance in respect of its acquisition of Singlepoint (4U) Limited. The transaction is expected to complete on Monday 22 September 2003.

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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 authorised.

VODAFONE GROUP
PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY
(Registrant)

Dated: September 17, 2003

By: /s/ S R SCOTT
Name: Stephen R. Scott
Title: Company Secretary
