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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

March 4, 2003 (Earliest Event Reported)

Total System Services, Inc.
----(Exact Name of Registrant as
Specified in its Charter)

Georgia
----(State of
Incorporation)

1-10254 ------(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification Number)

58-1493818

(706) 649-2267
-----(Registrant's Telephone Number)

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

Item 5. Other Events.

On March 4, 2003, Total System Services, Inc. ("Registrant") issued a press release with respect to the projected earnings per share impact of its recently announced processing services and software agreement with Bank One

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Corporation and with respect to its reaffirmation of its net income projection for 2003.

A copy of Registrant's press release regarding the announcement referenced above is attached hereto as Exhibit 99 and by this reference is hereby incorporated by reference into this Form 8-K and made a part hereof.

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.

- (a) Financial Statements None.
- (b) Pro Forma Financial Information None.
- (c) Exhibits

99 - Registrant's press release, March 4, 2003.

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Signature

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, Registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES, INC. ("Registrant")

Dated: March 5, 2003 By:/s/ Kathleen Moates

Kathleen Moates

Senior Deputy General Counsel