

SIPEX CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 10, 2003

**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): July 10, 2003

**SIPEX CORPORATION**

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Massachusetts

000-27892

95-4249153

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(State of incorporation)

(Commission file number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

233 South Hillview, Milpitas California

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (408) 934-7500

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**Item 4. Changes in Registrant's Certifying Accountant.**

As previously reported in the Form 8-K of Sipex Corporation (the Company) filed on June 13, 2003, KPMG LLP resigned as the Company's independent auditors on June 6, 2003. On July 10, 2003, Deloitte & Touche LLP was engaged as the Company's new independent auditors.

During each of our two most recent fiscal years and through the date of this report, the Company did not consult Deloitte & Touche LLP with respect to the application of accounting principles to a specified transaction, either completed or proposed, or the type of audit opinion that might be rendered on our financial statements, or any other matters or reportable events as set forth in Items 304(a)(i) and (ii) of Regulation S-K.

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