

UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORP

Form 8-K

March 03, 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):

February 27, 2003

United Therapeutics Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other  
Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation)

000-26301

(Commission  
File Number)

52-1984749

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

1110 Spring Street  
Silver Spring, MD

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

20910

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(301) 608-9292

**Item 5. Other Events.**

On March 3, 2003, United Therapeutics Corporation (the Company ) issued a press release announcing the appointment of R. Paul Gray to the Company s Board of Directors and as Chairman of the Audit Committee, and also announcing the resignation of Michael P. Joseph from the Company s Board of Directors. A copy of the press release is attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

**Item 7. Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description of Exhibit</u>     |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 99.1               | Press release dated March 3, 2003 |

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORPORATION

Dated: March 3, 2003

By: /s/ Paul Mahon

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Name: Paul A. Mahon  
Title: SVP and General Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

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