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99.2	Audited Financial Statements for the Year Ended December 31, 2003

**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.

**THE THOMSON CORPORATION**

By:           /s/ DEIRDRE STANLEY          

Name: Deirdre Stanley  
Title: Senior Vice President and General Counsel

Date: March 5, 2004

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