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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 11-K

ANNUAL REPORT

Pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2002

Commission File Number 1-8610

SBC SAVINGS PLAN

SBC COMMUNICATIONS INC.

175 E. Houston, San Antonio, Texas 78205

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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

SBC Communications Inc., Plan Administrator for the SBC Savings Plan

We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits of SBC Savings P 2001, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year endefinancial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management. Our responsibility is to estatements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United St we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant esti evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a re-

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respect benefits at December 31, 2002 and 2001, and the changes in its net assets available for benefits 2002, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

Our audits were performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken supplemental schedules of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2002 and nonexempt transpresented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statement information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosurion Income Security Act of 1974. These supplemental schedules are the responsibility of the Plan's material schedules have been subjected to auditing procedures applied in our audits of the financial statements taken as a whole.

/s/ ERNST & YOUNG LLP

San Antonio, Texas June 23, 2003

SBC SAVINGS PLAN STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS (Dollars in Thousands)

December 31,		
 2002		2001
 	_	
\$ 5,390,967	\$	6 , 979 , 5
_		
7		
71		1
489		9
 382	_	1,3
5,391,916		6 , 982 , 0
\$	\$ 5,390,967 - 7 71 489 382	\$ 5,390,967 \$ - 7 71 489 382

LIABILITIES

Administrative expenses payable Interest payable	494		1,5
Long-term debt - SBC Communications Inc. Payable for investments purchased Other	3,608 2		78,3
Total Liabilities	4,104	-	80 , 3
Net Assets Available for Benefits	\$ 5,387,812	\$	6,901,7 ======

See Notes to Financial Statements.

SBC SAVINGS PLAN STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2002 (Dollars in Thousands)

Net Assets Available for Benefits, December 31, 2001 \$	6,901,748
Additions to Net Assets: Contributions:	
Participant contributions Employer contributions	283,990 137,870
	421,860
Investment Income:	
Dividends on SBC common shares Interest	90,875 69,771
	160,646
Total Net Additions	582 , 506
Deductions from Net Assets:	
Net depreciation in value of investments	1,438,317
Administrative expenses Interest expense	5,584 4,924
Distributions	574,476
Transfer to other plan (See Note 1)	73,141
Total Deductions	2,096,442
Net Assets Available for Benefits, December 31, 2002 \$	5,387,812

See Notes to Financial Statements.

SBC SAVINGS PLAN
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(Dollars in Thousands)

1. Plan Description - The Plan was established by SBC Communications Inc. (SBC or the Company)

eligible employees to save for retirement on a regular and long-term basis. The following digeneral information. The SBC Savings Plan (Plan) has detailed provisions covering participal allotments from pay, participant withdrawals, participant loans, employer contributions and Plan expenses. The Plan text and prospectus include complete descriptions of these and other subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

In 2000, SBC entered into the Cingular Wireless (Cingular) joint venture agreement with Bell this agreement, certain SBC employees were leased to Cingular. In December 2001 these employering 2002 the Plan transferred approximately \$73,141 to State Street Bank and Trust relate became employees of Cingular.

Participants can invest their contributions in one or more of the following funds in 1% incr Fund, the Large Cap Stock Fund, the Interest Income Fund, the Asset Allocation Fund, the Glo Cap Stock Fund and the International Stock Fund.

Company matching contributions are made solely in the form of shares of SBC's common stock he Plan (ESOP) which is a separate investment account of this Plan.

The Plan prefunded the ESOP by borrowing Guaranteed Salaried Employees' ESOP Notes, the repart SBC. These notes were paid in full during 2002. Funds borrowed by the Plan were used to pure held in the open market (Financed Shares), which acted as collateral for reimbursement to SB guarantee of the ESOP Notes. Dividends on Financed Shares and employer cash contributions we required principal and interest payments on the ESOP Notes. As the ESOP Notes were paid down from the collateral. The Financed Shares were allocated to participants' accounts in the force contribution. In lieu of dividends on Financed Shares previously allocated to participants, allocated to participants' accounts.

In 1994 and 1996, the Plan entered into separate agreements with the Company to lend the Plan (Refinancing Notes), respectively. The Refinancing notes were paid in full during 2002. The December 31, 2001 ranged from 5.56% to 8.44%.

Dividends on shares in the SBC Shares Fund and the ESOP can either be reinvested in the SBC paid into a separate fund known as a Dividend Fund Account (DFA) for distribution at the end dividends held in the DFA will be paid into the SBC Shares Fund. During 2002, Plan particip dividend distributions. This amount is included in distributions on the statement of change

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, SBC has the right under the Plan to discound to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event that the Plan is conditions set forth by ERISA, the account balances of all participants shall be 100% vested

2. Accounting Policies - The values of investments are determined as follows: SBC common shares

price as reported on the New York Stock Exchange; contracts with insurance companies and other principal plus reinvested interest which approximates fair value; common collective trust further managers; and temporary cash investments at cost which approximates fair value. Purchases as of the trade date. Dividend income is recognized on the ex-dividend date. Interest earn the accrual basis.

The accompanying financial statements were prepared in conformity with accounting principles States, which require management to make estimates that affect the amounts reported in the finances. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

3. Investments - Investments representing 5% or more of Plan net assets at either December 31,

		2002	
Employee Stock Ownership Plan*	-		
SBC common shares: Allocated Unallocated	\$ \$	1,032,358 -	\$ \$
SBC Shares Fund			
SBC common shares	\$	1,159,629	\$
Large Cap Stock Fund			
Barclays Global Investors Equity Index Fund F	\$	1,002,402	\$
Bond Fund			
Barclays Global Investors Intermediate Government/Credit Bond Index Fund F	\$	276,900	\$
Asset Allocation Fund			
Barclays Global Investors U.S. Tactical Asset Allocation Fund F	\$	357,615	\$

^{*}Nonparticipant-directed

During 2002, the Plan's investments (including gains and losses on investments bought and so depreciated in value as follows:

Common Stock	\$ (1,048,594)
Common Collective Trusts	(389 , 723)
Total	\$ (1,438,317)

The Interest Income Fund consists of contracts with various financial institutions and insurprincipal plus accrued income at contract maturity, subject to the creditworthiness of the ingenerally established when the contract is purchased and are not reset. For the years ended average interest rates earned on these contracts were 5.59% and 6.41%. At December 31, 2002 on these contracts ranged from 2.83% to 7.65%. At December 31, 2001, the fixed crediting in ranged from 3.76% to 7.65%. No valuation reserves were recorded to adjust contract amounts

The Interest Income Fund invests in both guaranteed investment contracts (GICs) and synthetic differ from GICs in that the assets supporting the SICs are owned by the Plan. A bank or interest that allows participant directed transactions to be made at contract value. Wrapped difference between the fair value of the supporting assets and the contract value. The asset generally consist of high quality fixed income securities with a fair value of \$1,169,543 and 2001.

The Plan provides for investments in various investment securities, which in general, are ex interest rate, credit, and overall market volatility risks. Due to the level of risk associ securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities wi such change could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available account balances.

4. Nonparticipant-Directed Investments - Information about the net assets and the significant of the signifi

assets relating to the nonparticipant-directed investments as of December 31 is as follows:

	2002		2001
\$	1,032,358	\$	1,453,47 175,53
	4,531 3		1,44
	2	-	1,73
-	1,037,383	_	1,633,16
	17 -		28 44
-	3,608 	-	78 , 36
-	3,625	-	79,09
\$ =			1,554,07
		-	2002
		\$	1,554,07
			137 , 87
			2,89 (481,68 (87 (4,92 (149,49 (24,15
		-	(520 , 31
		\$	1,033,75
	- - - - - -	\$ 1,032,358 - 4,531 3 489 2 1,037,383 3,608 3,625	\$ 1,032,358 \$ 4,531 3 489 2 2

^{5.} Long-Term Debt - Long-term debt consists of the ESOP Notes issued in connection with the ESO

discussed in Note 2). The remaining balance due on the notes was paid off in 2002. The car value of the ESOP and refinancing notes as of December 31, 2001 was:

	2001	
Carrying Amount	\$ 78 , 365	
Fair Value	82,042	

The fair values of the ESOP Notes were estimated based on quoted prices. The fair value of based on discounted future cash flows using current interest rates.

6. Tax Status - The Plan has received a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service

that the Plan is qualified under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) and, ther from taxation. Once qualified, the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to plan sponsor has indicated that it will take the necessary steps, if any, to maintain the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to plan sponsor has indicated that it will take the necessary steps, if any, to maintain the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to plan sponsor has indicated that it will take the necessary steps, if any, to maintain the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to plan sponsor has indicated that it will take the necessary steps, if any, to maintain the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to plan sponsor has indicated that it will take the necessary steps, if any, to maintain the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to plan sponsor has indicated that it will take the necessary steps, if any, to maintain the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to plan sponsor has indicated that it will take the necessary steps, if any, to maintain the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to plan sponsor has indicated that it will be plan in the IRC to plan it is to plan the IRC to plan it is to plan the IRC t

On February 28, 2002, the Plan filed for, but has not yet received, a new tax determination legally required changes and other changes made to the Plan since the previous determination

7. Reconciliation of Financial Statements to Form 5500 - The following is a reconciliation of N

the financial statements to the Form 5500 as of December 31:

5,387,812	\$	
(4,636)		
5,383,176 ========	\$	==
	(4,636)	5,387,812 \$

The following is a reconciliation of benefits paid to participants per the financial stateme ended December 31, 2002:

Distributions to participants per the financial statements

Add: Distributions payable to participants at December 31, 2002

Less: Distributions payable to participants at December 31, 2001

Distributions to participants per the Form 5500

Distributions payable to participants are recorded on the Form 5500 for benefit claims that payment prior to December 31, but not yet paid as of that date.

SBC SAVINGS PLAN EIN 43-1301883, PLAN NO. 002

SCHEDULE G, PART III - SCHEDULE OF NONEXEMPT TRANSACTIONS

2002

December 31, 2002

(b)
Relationship to Plan,
(a) Employer, or Other
Identity of Party Involved Party-In-Interest Description of Transactions

SBC Communications Inc. Employer/Plan Sponsor Failure to timely remit participant defor the pay period(s) ended:
December 29, 2001
February 20, 2002
November 23, 2002
December 7, 2002
December 21, 2002
December 28, 2002

 * The earnings will be repaid to the Plan during 2003.

Note: Columns (d) - (g) are not shown as they are not applicable.

SBC SAVINGS PLAN EIN 43-1301883, PLAN NO. 002

SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR December 31, 2002 (Dollars in Thousands)

Description of C Identity of Issue Investment Employee Stock Ownership Plan 38,085,527 shares \$ 583 SBC common shares Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company Temporary cash investment 587 Total Employee Stock Ownership Plan SBC Shares Fund SBC common shares 42,774,969 shares Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company Temporary cash investment

Bond Fund

Total SBC Shares Fund

* Barclays Global Investors Intermediate

Government/Credit Bond Index Fund F 17,887,612 units

Large Cap Stock Fund

* Barclays Global Investors Equity Index

Fund F 83,953,228 units

Interest Income Fund

Allstate Life Insurance Company

#77078, 6.65%, ***

INVESCO Group Trust for Retirement Savings Group Trust: Lambda I

Allstate Life Insurance Company 7.06% - 7.10%,

11/14/03 - 11/22/04

Synthetic contract wrapper

Bank of America National Association

Delta Funding Home Equity Loan Trust
AmeriCredit Automobile Receivables Trust
Nordstrom Private Label Credit Care Master Trust
TIAA Retail Commercial Trust
Onyx Acceptance Grantor Trust
CIT Equipment Collateral
Credit Suisse First Boston Mortgage Securities
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company
WFS Financial Owners Trust
WFS Financial Owners Trust
Providian Master Trust
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company

Synthetic contract wrapper
#99-058, 5.01%, ***
Home Equity Monoline
Sub Prime Auto
Retail Credit Card
Conduit
Sub Prim Auto
Small Equipment Lease
Conduit
Agency Debenture
Sub Prime Auto
Sub Prime Auto
Monoline Credit Card
Home Equity Monoline

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SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR) - (co December 31, 2002 (Dollars in Thousands)

Description of

Identity of Issue Investment Cos

AVIS AESOP Leasing L.P.
Bank of America National Association
Capital Auto Rec Asset Trust
Capital Auto Rec Asset Trust
COAFT

Operating Assets
Cash on Hand
Prime Auto
Prime Auto
Sub Prime Auto

Fannie Mae Whole Loan Fannie Mae Whole Loan Fannie Mae Whole Loan	Agency Debenture Multi Family Balloon ABS - Home Equity Agency
Business Men's Assurance Company of America	5.41% - 7.44%,
	1/2/02 - 7/15/04
CDC Financial Products Inc.	5.38% - 7.01%,
	10/15/03 - 10/17/05
JP Morgan Chase Bank	Synthetic contract wrapper #401740-L2, 6.21%, ***
INVESCO Group Trust for Retirement Savings	Group Trust: Lambda II
JP Morgan Chase Bank Citibank Credit Card Discover Card Trust Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company Fannie Mae Whole Loan Fannie Mae Whole Loan Fannie Mae Whole Loan Fleet Credit Card MT Ford Auto Owners Trust Harley-Davidson Eaglemark MBNA Master Trust Residential Asset Security Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company Capital One Master Trust Ford Auto Owners Trust Prime Credit Card Master Trust Cash on Hand	Synthetic contract wrapper #426423-T, 4.89%, *** Bank Credit Card Bank Credit Card Agency Debenture FHA/VA Reperforming ABS-Home Equity Agency ABS- Home Equity Agency Bank Credit Card Prime Auto Prime Auto Monoline Credit Card Home Equity Monoline Agency Debentures Monoline Credit Card Prime Auto Retail Credit Card Cash
Continental Assurance Company	Synthetic contract wrapper #630-05630, 6.17%,***
INVESCO Group Trust for Retirement Savings	Group Trust Beta
GE Life and Annuity Assurance Company	6.87% - 7.47%,
	6/20/02 - 12/1/03
Jackson National Life Insurance Company	6.96% - 7.42%,
	1/29/04 - 8/18/04
John Hancock Life Insurance Company	2.83% - 5.28%,
	2/1/02 - 3/3/03
Metropolitan Life Insurance Company	Synthetic contract wrapper

#28456, 4.90%, ***

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Identity of Issue Investment

Capital Auto Rec Asset Trust Capital One Master Trust Federal National Mortgage Association Fannie Mae Whole Loan FSPC Honda Auto Receivables Honda Auto Receivables Honda Auto Receivables Carmax Auto Owners Trust Nissan Auto Owners Trust Fleet Credit Card MT Prime Credit Card Master Trust Sears Credit Account Trust United States Treasury Citibank Credit Card Fleet Credit Card MT Chase Manhattan Auto Owners Trust Toyota Auto Receivables Owner Trust Union Acceptance Corporation Resid Asset Mgmt Production Inc. Metropolitan Life Insurance Company

Monumental Life Insurance Company

Monumental Life Insurance Company

Carmax Auto Owner Trust

Chase Manhattan Credit Card MT First USA Credit Card Master Trust American Express Credit Account Master Trust Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company Capital One Master Trust Credit Suisse First Bostn Fannie Mae Whole Loan Mortgage Pinnacle CBO Ltd. Fannie Mae Whole Loan Mortgage Home Ownership Funding Corporation Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company Citibank Credit Card Home Ownership Funding Corporation Credit Suisse First Boston Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company Ford Auto Owners Trust Structured Asset Sec Corporation Toyota Auto Receivable Owner Trust Vanderbilt Mortgage Finance Conti Finance Monumental Life Insurance Company

Prime Auto Monoline Credit Card Agency Debentures FHA/VA Reperforming ABS- Home Equity Agency Prime Auto Prime Auto Prime Auto Non Prime Auto Prime Auto Bank Credit Card Retail Credit Card Retail Credit Card Treasury Note Bank Credit Card Bank Credit Card Prime Auto Prime Auto Sub Prime Auto ABS- Home Equity Agency Cash on Hand

6.87% - 7.12%,

10/1/03 - 12/1/03

Synthetic contract wrapper #75TR, 4.97%, *** Non Prime Auto Bank Credit Card Bank Credit Card Monoline Credit Card Agency Debentures Bank Credit Card Conduit Agency Multifamily MBS Cash Flow CBO ABS- Home Equity Agency Step Down Preferred Agency Debenture Bank Credit Card Step Down Preferred Conduit Agency Debentures Prime Auto AB SBA Loan PT Prime Auto Manufactured Housing Seni Home Equity Monoline Cash on Hand

Identity of Issue	Description of Investment
New York Life Insurance Company	3.65% - 6.10%,
	10/15/02 - 9/1/03
Pruco Life Insurance Company	6.03% - 7.48%,
	8/11/03 - 11/30/05
Security Life of Denver Insurance Company	7.35% - 7.65%,
	2/11/03 - 11/12/03
State Street Bank and Trust Company	Synthetic contract wrapper
INVESCO Group Trust for Retirement Savings	#98246-LB1, 6.13%, *** Group Trust: Lambda I
State Street Bank and Trust Company	Synthetic contract wrapper
MBNA Master Credit Card Trust USA	#99038, 5.40%, *** Monoline Credit Card
MBNA Master Credit Card Trust USA	Monoline Credit Card
	Sub Prime Auto
Americredit Auto Receivable	
Chase Manhattan Auto Owner Trust	Prime Auto
Commercial Mortgage Asset Trust	Conduit
Sears Credit Account Master Trust Sears Credit Account Master Trust	Retail Credit Card Retail Credit Card
Sovereign Bank Home Equity Loan Trust	Home Equity Monoline
Household Auto Trust	Sub Prime Auto
Citibank Credit Card Master Trust I	Bank Credit Card
United States Treasury	Treasury Note
Fannie Mae Whole Loan	FHA/VA Reperforming
Fannie Mae Whole Loan	Agency Debenture Conduit
LB Commercial Conduit Mortgage Trust	Monoline Credit Card
American Express Credit Account Master Trust Premier Auto Trust	Prime Auto
Pru Sec Secured Financing	Conduit
State Street Bank and Trust Company	Cash on Hand
Sun America Life Insurance Company	7.02% - 7.63%,
	1/2/04 - 11/4/05
Union Bank of Switzerland AG	Synthetic contract wrapper #5030, 5.30%, ***
BOIT	Bank Credit Card
Househole Private Lab MT 2	Retail Credit Card
Fannie Mae Whole Loan Mortgage Company	PAC
Union Acceptance Corporation	Sub Prime Auto
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Nissan Auto Owners Trust
Salomon Brothers Mortgage Securities VII
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company
AmeriCredit Automobile Receivables Trust
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Company
Fannie Mae Whole Loan
Fannie Mae Whole Loan
Caterpillar Financial Assets Trust

Prime Auto
Conduit
Agency Hybrid ARM
Agency Debenture
Sub Prime Auto
ABS- Home Equity Agency
FHA/VA Perperforming Pas
Agency Debenture
Large Equipment Loan

Identity of Issue	Description of Investment
COAFT Union Bank of Switzerland AG	Sub Prime Auto Cash on Hand
* Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company Total Interest Income Fund	Temporary cash investment
Asset Allocation Fund	
* Barclays Global Investors U.S. Tactical Asset Allocation Fund F	25,166,447 units
Global Equity Fund	
 * Barclays Global Investors U.S. Equity Market Fund F * Barclays Global Investors EAFE Equity Index Fund F 	2,919,264 units 1,398,128 units
Total Global Equity Fund	
Mid and Small Cap Stock Fund	
Extended Equity Market Fund F	10,188,821 units
International Stock Fund	
International Stock	2,061,310 units

Loan Fund

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* Loans to Plan Participants

5.25% - 5.75%

TOTAL

- * Party-in-Interest.
- ** Participant-directed investment, cost not required.
- *** Synthetic Insurance Contracts, no stated maturity.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Plan Administrator for treport to be signed by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

SBC SAVINGS PLAN

By SBC Communications Inc., Pl for the Foregoing Plan

By /s/ Karen E. Jennings

Karen E. Jennings Senior Executive Vice Pr Human Resources and Comm

Date: June 25, 2003

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibits identified below, Exhibit 23 is filed herein as an exhibit hereto and Exhibit 99

Exhibit Number

Consent of Independent Auditors Ernst & Young LLP

99 Certification of Periodic Financial Reports