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As filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 20, 2003 Registration No. 333-59870

> UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Post-Effective Amendment No. 1

t.o

Form S-3

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

El Paso Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer Incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

76-0568816

El Paso Corporation

El Paso Building

Fl Paso Corporation

1001 Louisiana Street

Houston, Texas 77002

(713) 420-2600

(Address, including zip code, and telephone

number, including area code, of registrant's

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(Name, address, including zip code, and telephone

number, including area code, of agent for service)

registrant's
principal executive offices)

agent for service)

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A registration fee was previously calculated and paid in connection with the filing of this Registration Statement.

The Registrant hereby requests that this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 become effective as soon as practicable pursuant to Section 8(c) of the Securities Act of 1933.

DE-REGISTRATION

The purpose of this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to our Registration Statement on Form S-3 initially filed on May 1, 2001 and subsequently declared effective by the Securities and Exchange Commission (No. 333-59870),

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is to de-register all of the shares of our Common Stock that were registered but not sold pursuant to the Registration Statement as of August 20, 2003.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Registrant has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Houston, State of Texas, on August 20, 2003.

EL PASO CORPORATION

By: /s/ Ronald L. Kuehn, Jr.

Ronald L. Kuehn, Jr.

Chief Executive Officer

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Each person whose individual signature appears below hereby authorizes D. Dwight Scott and Peggy A. Heeg, and each of them as attorneys-in-fact with full power of substitution, to execute in the name and on behalf of such person, individually and in each capacity stated below, and to file any and all amendments to this Registration Statement, including any and all post-effective amendments.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ Ronald L. Kuehn, Jr Ronald L. Kuehn, Jr.	Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	August 20, 2003
/s/ D. Dwight Scott D. Dwight Scott	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	August 20, 2003
Jeffrey I. Beason Jeffrey I. Beason	Senior Vice President and Controller (Principal Accounting Officer)	August 20, 2003
/s/ John M. Bissell	Director	August 20, 2003
John M. Bissell		
/s/ Juan Carlos Braniff	Director	August 20, 2003
Juan Carlos Braniff		

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/s/ James L. Dunlap	Director	August 20, 2003
James L. Dunlap		
/s/ Robert W. Goldman	Director	August 20, 2003
Robert W. Goldman		
/s/ Anthony W. Hall, Jr.	Director	August 20, 2003
Anthony W. Hall, Jr.		
/s/ J. Carleton MacNeil, Jr.	Director	August 20, 2003
J. Carleton MacNeil, Jr.		
/s/ Thomas R. McDade	Director	August 20, 2003
Thomas R. McDade		
/s/ J. Michael Talbert	Director	August 20, 2003
J. Michael Talbert		
/s/ Malcolm Wallop	Director	August 20, 2003
Malcolm Wallop		
/s/ John L. Whitmire	Director	August 20, 2003
John L. Whitmire		
/s/ Joe B. Wyatt	Director	August 20, 2003
Joe B. Wyatt		