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Form 6-K
September 30, 2003

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

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For September 30, 2003

Commission File Number: 001-14534

PRECISION DRILLING CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

4200, 150 - 6TH AVENUE S.W.
CALGARY, ALBERTA
CANADA T2P 3Y7
(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b) (1). _____

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes No

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If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82- N/A

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.

PRECISION DRILLING CORPORATION

Per: /s/ Jan M. Campbell

Jan M. Campbell
Corporate Secretary

Date: September 30, 2003

PRECISION DRILLING CORPORATION ANNOUNCES THE FORMATION OF PRECISION RENTALS LTD.

CALGARY, Alberta, Canada (September 30, 2003) - As part of an ongoing effort to increase customer convenience and streamline internal operations, Precision Drilling Corporation has combined its oilfield rental companies into one entity. Former business units Smoky Oilfield Rentals, Big D Rentals and Ducharme Oilfield Rentals joined together on September 8, 2003 to form Precision Rentals Ltd. (Precision Rentals), a wholly owned subsidiary of Precision Drilling Corporation.

"Ultimately, this consolidation is a response to our changing and growing customer needs," said Gene Stahl, Vice President of Precision Rentals. "We've simplified purchasing decisions by providing oil and gas operators one point of contact to access all of their rental needs. An added benefit is that customers can receive a single invoice and summary of services which will reduce costs in their billing function."

Precision Rentals provides a wide range of oilfield rental services, including surface drilling and production equipment, downhole tubulars and well control equipment, wellsite accommodations and camp and catering services. The group is headquartered in Calgary and maintains numerous convenient equipment warehouses, including Grande Prairie, Sylvan Lake, Nisku and Medicine Hat.

Precision Drilling Corporation, headquartered in Calgary, Alberta, Canada, is the largest Canadian integrated oilfield and industrial services contractor and a global provider of products and services to the energy industry. Precision Drilling Corporation is listed on The Toronto Stock Exchange under the trading symbol "PD" and on the New York Stock Exchange under the trading symbol "PDS".

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT DALE E. TREMBLAY, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT FINANCE AND CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER, 4200, 150 - 6TH AVENUE S.W., CALGARY, ALBERTA, T2P 3Y7, TELEPHONE 403-716-4500; FAX 403-264-0251; WEBSITE: www.precisiondrilling.com.

