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Form 8-K
August 26, 2003

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UNITED STATES
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): August 22, 2003

EXXON MOBIL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey	1-2256	13-5409005
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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

5959 Las Colinas Boulevard Irving, Texas	75039-2298
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(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (972) 444-1000

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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ITEM 5. Other Events

On August 22, 2003, the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals once again ordered the U.S. District Court for the District of Alaska to reconsider the punitive damage award related to the Exxon Valdez grounding. On December 6, 2002, the District Court reduced the punitive damages award from \$5 billion to \$4 billion, after the Ninth Circuit vacated the original \$5 billion award. Both the plaintiffs and ExxonMobil appealed that decision to the Ninth Circuit. The Ninth Circuit panel has now vacated the District Court's \$4 billion punitive damage award and has sent the case back for the District Court to reconsider its decision in light of the recent U.S. Supreme Court decision in *Campbell v. State Farm*.

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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.

EXXON MOBIL CORPORATION

Date: August 26, 2003

By: /s/ Donald D. Humphreys

Name: Donald D. Humphreys
Title: Vice President, Controller and
Principal Accounting Officer

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