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## FORM 6-K

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

### Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of March 2004      Commission File No.: 0-29954

### THE THOMSON CORPORATION

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(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Metro Center, One Station Place, Stamford, Connecticut 06902, United States

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(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.

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### EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Management's Discussion and Analysis

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
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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