

MANITOWOC CO INC  
Form 8-K  
November 19, 2003

**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: October 30, 2003**  
(Date of earliest event reported)

**The Manitowoc Company, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Wisconsin**  
(State or other  
jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-11978**  
(Commission File  
Number)

**39-0448110**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification  
Number)

**2400 S. 44<sup>th</sup> Street, Manitowoc, Wisconsin 54221-0066**  
(Address of principal executive offices including zip code)

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**(920) 684-4410**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item 5. Other Events

On October 30, 2003, The Manitowoc Company, Inc. (the company ) received an amendment from its lending institutions to its credit agreement dated May 9, 2001, as amended on April 29, 2002, February 4, 2003 and July 23, 2003. This amendment was obtained in connection with the \$150.0 million 7 1/8% Senior Notes due 2013 issued by the company on November 6, 2003. A copy of the amendment is attached as Exhibit 4 to this filing.

On November 18, 2003, the company issued a press release announcing that certain union employees at the company s subsidiary Manitowoc Cranes, Inc. walked off their jobs after rejecting a five-year labor agreement proposed by Manitowoc Cranes and announcing the status of negotiations with the union. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

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**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 MANITOWOC COMPANY, INC.  
(Registrant)

DATE: November 19, 2003

/s/ Timothy M. Wood  
Timothy M. Wood  
Vice President & Chief Financial Officer

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**THE MANITOWOC COMPANY, INC.**

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

**TO**

**FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT**

**Dated as of October 30, 2003**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Filed Herewith</b>
4	Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of October 30, 2003, among The Manitowoc Company, Inc., as borrower, several lenders, and Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, as Administrative Agent.	ý
99.1	Press Release dated November 17, 2003, regarding certain union employees at Manitowoc Cranes, Inc. voting to reject a five-year labor agreement and walking-off their jobs.	ý

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