MEDTRONIC INC Form 8-K August 12, 2003

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 12, 2003

Medtronic, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Minnesota

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-7707 (Commission File Number) **41-0793183** (IRS Employer Identification No.)

710 Medtronic Parkway

Minneapolis, Minnesota 55432

(Address of Principal Executive Offices and Zip Code)

(763) 514-4000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure.

On August 11, 2003, Medtronic, Inc. issued a press release announcing the execution of an agreement to purchase substantially all of the assets of TransVascular, Inc., a privately held, Palo Alto, Calif.-based company. The full text of the press release is set forth in Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto and is incorporated in this Report as if fully set forth herein.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Financial statements: None.
- (b) Pro forma financial information: None.
- (c) Exhibits:

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated August 11, 2003. Exhibit 99.2 Press release dated August 12, 2003.

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 12, 2003, Medtronic, Inc. issued a press release announcing its first quarter financial results for fiscal 2004. The full text of the press release is hereby to be considered filed under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, is set forth in Exhibit 99.2 attached hereto and is incorporated in this Report as if fully set forth herein.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

MEDTRONIC, INC.

By /s/ David J. Scott
Date: August 12, 2003
David J. Scott
Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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