

PERINI CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 19, 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):  
December 19, 2003

PERINI CORPORATION  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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

**1-6314**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**04-1717070**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

73 Mt. Wayte Avenue, Framingham, Massachusetts 01701  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices and Zip Code)

(508) 628-2000  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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The statements contained in this Form 8-K that are not purely historical are forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, including without limitation, statements regarding Perini Corporation (the Company) or its management's expectations, hopes, beliefs, intentions or strategies regarding the future. These forward-looking statements are based on the Company's current expectations and beliefs concerning future developments and their potential effects on the Company. There can be no assurance that future developments affecting the Company will be those anticipated by the Company. These forward-looking statements involve a number of risks, uncertainties (some of which are beyond the control of the Company) or other assumptions that may cause actual results or performance to be materially different from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. These risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, the continuing validity of the underlying assumptions and estimates of total forecasted project revenues, costs and profits and project schedules; the outcomes of pending or future litigation, arbitration or other dispute resolution proceedings; the availability of borrowed funds on terms acceptable to the Company; the ability to retain certain members of management; the ability to obtain surety bonds to secure its performance under construction contracts; possible labor disputes or work stoppages within the construction industry; changes in federal and state appropriations for infrastructure projects; possible changes or developments in worldwide or domestic political, social, economic, business, industry, market and regulatory conditions or circumstances; and actions taken or not taken by third parties including the Company's customers, suppliers, business partners and competitors and legislative, regulatory, judicial and other governmental authorities and officials. Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize, or should any of the Company's assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary in material respects from those projected in the forward-looking statements. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update or

revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure

On December 19, 2003, Perini Corporation issued a press release announcing the proposed sale by certain of its existing stockholders of 5.9 million shares of its common stock. A copy of Perini Corporation's press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

| <u>EXHIBIT NO.</u> | <u>DESCRIPTION</u>  |
|--------------------|---|
| 99.1               | Press release issued by Perini Corporation on December 19, 2003 |

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

PERINI CORPORATION

Dated: December 19, 2003

By: /s/Robert Band  
Robert Band  
President & Chief Operating Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 Press Release issued by Perini Corporation on December 19, 2003.

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