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YORK WATER CO Form 8-K November 17, 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) November 17, 2003

THE YORK WATER COMPANY (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

Pennsylvania 0-690 23-1242500 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

130 East Market Street, York, Pennsylvania 17401 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number including Area Code 717-845-3601

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

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

THE YORK WATER COMPANY ANNOUNCES SEVENTH CONSECUTIVE ANNUAL DIVIDEND INCREASE

York, Pennsylvania, November 17, 2003: The York Water Company's (Nasdaq: YORW) President, Jeffrey S. Osman, announced today that the Board of Directors at their November 17th meeting increased the quarterly dividend from \$0.135 per share to \$0.145, a 7.4% increase per share.

This is the 532nd consecutive dividend paid by The York Water Company and is the seventh consecutive year the Company has increased its dividend. The dividend is payable January 15, 2004 to shareholders as of record date

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December 31, 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.

The York Water Company (Registrant)

Dated: November 17, 2003

By: /S/ Kathleen M. Miller (Kathleen M. Miller)

Chief Financial Officer