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Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

On April 29, 2003, Meredith Corporation issued a

news release reporting earnings for the third fiscal quarter and nine-months ended March 31, 2003. The related conference call script is attached as an exhibit.

SIGNATURE

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.

MEREDITH CORPORATION

Registrant

/s/ Suku V. Radia

Suku V. Radia

Vice President - Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

Date: April 29, 2003

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