

SCOTTISH POWER PLC  
Form 6-K  
March 28, 2003

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15a-16 OF  
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**For the month of March 2003**

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**SCOTTISH POWER PLC**

(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)

**CORPORATE OFFICE, 1 ATLANTIC QUAY, GLASGOW, G2 8SP**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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(If  Yes is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82- \_\_\_\_\_.)

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1. Announcement of Scottish Power plc, dated March 27, 2003, regarding trading update.

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.

/s/ Scottish Power plc

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(Registrant)

Date March 27, 2003

By: /s/ Alan McCulloch

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Alan McCulloch  
Assistant Company Secretary

SCOTTISHPOWER - TRADING UPDATE.

ScottishPower will shortly be meeting analysts ahead of its close period for the full-year ending 31 March 2003. At the meetings, ScottishPower will update analysts on performance against the previously stated strategic priorities for each of its four businesses, confirming that it continues to trade in line with expectations.

ScottishPower's full-year results will be announced on 7 May 2003.

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