IMA EXPLORATION INC Form 6-K October 30, 2002

FORM 6-K SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of OCTOBER , 2002

IMA Exploration Inc.
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

0-30464 (SEC File Number)

#709 - 837 West Hastings Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6C 3N6 (Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F X Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes No X

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

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.

IMA Exploration Inc.
(Registrant)

Date October 18, 2002

By /s/ William Lee

(Signature)*

Name: William Lee

Title: Director

 ${}^{\star}\text{Print}$ the name and title of the signing officer under his signature.

BC FORM 45-902F (Formerly Form 20)

Securities Act

Report Of Exempt Distribution

1.	State the full	name,	address	and	telephone	number	of	the	issuer	of	the
	security distri	buted.									

State whether the issuer is or is not an exchange issuer and, if reporting, the jurisdictions in which it is reporting.

British Columbia, Alberta and Ontario

 State whether the issuer is listed or quoted on any stock exchange or trading or quotation system and, if so, which stock exchange or trading or quotation system.

The Issuer is listed and trading on the TSX Venture Exchange.

4. Describe the type of security and the aggregate number distributed. If the security is convertible or exchangeable, describe the type of underlying security, the terms of exercise or conversion and any expiry date.

Incentive stock options for the purchase of up to 540,000 common shares of the Issuer, at a price of \$0.50 per share, until September 23, 2007.

5. Provide the following information for each type of security distributed. Consult Multilateral Instrument 45-102 Resale of Securities to determine what restricted or seasoning period applies to the security.

			Exercise
			price per
Full name of purchaser and			security/total
municipality and jurisdiction of	Number of	Date of	purchase price
residence	options granted	distribution	(Cdn \$)
Keith Patterson	50,000	Oct.18/02*	\$0.50/
Vancouver, BC			n/a

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Allan Montgomery Burnaby, BC	20,000	Oct.18/02*	\$0.50/ n/a	Sec.74 of the Sec Act (B Colum
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Nikolaos Cacos Vancouver, BC	100,000	Oct.18/02*	\$0.50/ n/a	Sec.74 of the Sec Act (Br Colum
Robert Brown W. Vancouver, BC	50,000	Oct.18/02*	\$0.50/ n/a	Sec.74 of the Sec Act (Br Columb
Nick DeMare Burnaby, BC	50,000	Oct.18/02*	\$0.50/ n/a	Sec.74 of the Sec Act (Br Columb
Jack Caplan W. Vancouver, BC	2,500	Oct.18/02*	\$0.50/ n/a	Sec.74 of the Sec Act (Br Columb
Evelyn Grosso Burnaby, BC	67,500	Oct.18/02*	\$0.50/ n/a	Sec.74 of the Sec Act (Br Columb
Joseph Grosso Burnaby, BC	200,000	Oct.18/02*	\$0.50/ n/a	Sec.74 of the Sec Act (Br

^{*}October 18, 2002 is the date regulatory approval was received by the Issuer.

6. Disclose the following information in a schedule to the Form 45-902F. The information in the schedule is not available to the public.

Full name and residential address of	Telephone number and e-mail	Type of security and
purchaser	address of purchaser	number purchased

See attached Schedule "A".

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7.	State the	total	dollar	value	(Cdn\$)	of	the sec	uriti	ies d	listrib	uted b	y the
	issuer to	purcha	asers re	esident	in Br	itis	n Columb	ia.	This	total	dollar	value
	must be us	sed for	calcu	ulating	the	fee	payable	for	filir	ng this	report	with
	the Britis	sh Coli	umbia Se	ecuriti	es Com	miss	ion.					

Nil, grant of incentive stock options.

Provide the following information for each person who is being compensated in connection with the distribution(s) of the security. When disclosing compensation paid or to be paid, include discounts, commissions or other fees or payments of a similar nature directly related to the distribution. Do not include payments for services incidental to the trade, such as clerical, printing, legal or accounting services.

If the compensation is in the form of a security, include the exemption under which the security is being distributed. If the security is being distributed on a later date, the issuer must file a separate Report of Distribution with the applicable filing fee.

Name and Address of person being compensated	Compensation paid (number and type of security and/or cash amount (CDN\$)	Exemption relied

Not applicable.

Not applicable.

Not applicable.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the statements made in this report are true and correct.

DATED at Vancouver, BC, this 25th day of October, 2002.

IMA EXPLORATION INC. Name of issuer (please print) /s/ William Lee _____ Signature of authorized signatory William Lee, Director

Name and office of authorized signatory (please print)

SCHEDULE A

(OMITTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS FILING AS IT CONTAINS INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC.)