

EL PASO ELECTRIC CO /TX/  
Form 8-K  
September 25, 2003

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**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):**

**September 24, 2003**

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**El Paso Electric Company**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**0-296**  
(Commission File Number)

**74-0607870**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**Stanton Tower, 100 North Stanton, El Paso, Texas**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**79901**  
(Zip Code)

**(915) 543-5711**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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**Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure**

El Paso Electric Company (the Company ) issued a news release stating that it has received a proposed decision in its Texas fuel reconciliation case before the Public Utility Commission of Texas. A copy of the news release as issued by the Company is attached hereto as an Exhibit.

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

<b><u>Exhibit Number</u></b>	<b><u>Title</u></b>
99.01	News Release dated as of September 24, 2003, issued by El Paso Electric Company, disclosing proposed decision in Texas fuel reconciliation case before the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

