

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: August 8, 2002  
(Date of earliest event reported)

**PAYCHEX, INC.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE  
(State of incorporation)

0-11330  
(Commission  
File Number)

16-1124166  
(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

911 PANORAMA TRAIL SOUTH, ROCHESTER, NEW YORK  
(Address of principal executive offices)

14625-0397  
(Zip Code)

(585) 385-6666  
(Registrant’s telephone number, including area code)

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**ITEM 9. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE**

On August 8, 2002, B. Thomas Golisano and John M. Morphy, the principal executive officer and principal financial officer, respectively, of Paychex, Inc., each filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “Commission”) the sworn written statements required by the Commission’s June 27, 2002 Order Requiring the Filing of Sworn Statements Pursuant to Section 21(a)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. A copy of the statements is furnished (not filed) as Exhibit 99.1.

**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.

**PAYCHEX, INC.**

Date: August 8, 2002

By: /s/ B. Thomas Golisano  
B. Thomas Golisano  
Chairman, President and  
Chief Executive Officer

Date: August 8, 2002

By: /s/ John M. Morphy  
John M. Morphy  
Vice President, Chief  
Financial Officer and  
Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit 99.1

Sworn statements of B. Thomas Golisano and John M. Morphy, the principal executive officer and principal financial officer, respectively, of Paychex, Inc., as filed on August 8, 2002 with the Commission pursuant to Section 21(a)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.