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## BEVERLY ENTERPRISES INC

Form 8-K December 22, 2003

UNITED STATES
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 (Date of earliest event reported) December 18, 2003

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#### BEVERLY ENTERPRISES, INC.

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(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

One Thousand Beverly Way
Fort Smith, Arkansas
72919
----(Address of Principal Executive Offices)
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number including area code (479) 201-2000

# INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On December 18, 2003, Beverly Enterprises, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that Larry Deans has joined the Company as Senior Vice President of Human Resources. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Exhibit 99.1\* - Press Release of Beverly Enterprises, Inc. dated December 18,

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2003.

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## 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 hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: December 19, 2003. BEVERLY ENTERPRISES, INC.

By: /s/ PAMELA H. DANIELS
-----Pamela H. Daniels
Senior Vice President, Controller and
Chief Accounting Office

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## EXHIBIT INDEX

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