

CENTERPULSE LTD  
Form 6-K  
July 10, 2003

## **FORM 6-K**

# **SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## **Special Report of Foreign Issuer**

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of  
the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of July, 2003

**Centerpulse Ltd.**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**Andreasstrasse 15**

**CH-8050 Zurich**

**Switzerland**

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(Address of principal executive office)

(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                            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  \_\_\_\_\_

(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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Centerpulse Ltd. is filing this Report on Form 6-K to furnish its 2002 Annual Report, which Annual Report is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1

99.1            2002 Annual Report

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**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 authorised.

**CENTERPULSE LTD.**

By: /s/ David S. Wise  
David S. Wise  
Authorized Representative

**Date: July 10, 2003**

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<u>Exhibit</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	2002 Annual Report