

VEOLIA ENVIRONNEMENT
Form 6-K
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULES 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

September 9, 2003

VEOLIA ENVIRONNEMENT
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

36-38, avenue Kléber
75116 Paris, France
(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.)

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Yes ____ No X

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Press release

Veolia Environnement joins the Dow Jones Sustainability Index

Paris, September 8, 2003

Veolia Environnement is set to become a component of the Dow Jones Sustainability World Indexes (DJSI World) and of the Dow Jones Sustainability Stoxx Indexes (Europe) on September 22.

These indexes incorporate the world's leading companies in terms of sustainable development. These independent benchmarking tools take into account economic, environmental and social criteria. The DJSI World indexes are notably used as a benchmark by 45 socially responsible funds with assets worth 2.2 billion.

The addition of Veolia Environnement reflects the quality of the Group's commitment to sustainable development and rewards its efforts to put sustainable development at the heart of its strategy and businesses.

Veolia Environnement: Let's make sure that progress protects life

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SIGNATURES

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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.

Dated: September 9, 2003

VEOLIA ENVIRONNEMENT

By: /s/ Jérôme Contamine

Name: Jérôme Contamine

Title: Chief Financial Officer