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)

OCTOBER 30, 1997

Halliburton Company (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

State or other jurisdiction of incorporation Commission File Number IRS Employer Identification Number

Delaware

1-3492

No. 75-2677995

3600 Lincoln Plaza 500 North Akard Street Dallas, Texas 75201-3391 (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code - 214/978-2600

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INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN REPORT

Item 5. Other Events

The registrant may, at its option, report under this item any events, with respect to which information is not otherwise called for by this form, that the registrant deems of importance to security holders.

On October 30, 1997 registrant issued a press release entitled Halliburton Fourth Quarter Dividend pertaining, among other things, to an announcement that registrant's board of directors has declared a 1997 fourth quarter dividend of 12.5 cents a share on registrant's common stock, payable December 23, 1997 to shareholders of record at the close of business on December 2, 1997.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

List below the financial statements, pro forma financial information and exhibits, if any, filed as part of this report.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 20 - Press release dated October 30, 1997.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

## HALLIBURTON COMPANY

Date: October 30, 1997

By: -----Susan S. Keith Vice President and Secretary

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Press Release of October 30, 1997 Incorporated by Reference

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## HALLIBURTON FOURTH QUARTER DIVIDEND

DALLAS, Texas -- Halliburton Company (NYSE: HAL) announced today that its board of directors has declared a 1997 fourth quarter dividend of 12.5 cents a share on the company's common stock, payable December 23, 1997 to share - holders of record at the close of business on December 2, 1997.

Halliburton Company is one of the world's largest diversified energy services, engineering, maintenance, and construction companies. Founded in 1919, Halliburton provides a broad range of energy services and products, industrial and marine engineering and construction services. # # #

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