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)

JULY 18, 1996

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. 73-0271280

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 July 18, 1996, registrant issued a press release entitled Halliburton 1996 Third Quarter Dividend pertaining, among other things, to an announcement that registrant's Board of Directors declared a third quarter dividend of 25 cents per share payable September 25, 1996 to shareholders of record at the close of business on September 4, 1996.

The foregoing summary is subject to the full text of the press release with respect thereto, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 20, which exhibit is incorporated herein by reference.

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 July 18, 1996

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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: July 18, 1996 By: _____

By:
Susan S. Keith
Vice President, Secretary
and Corporate Counsel

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Contact - Guy T. Marcus Vice President-Inv. Rel. (214) 978-2691

HALLIBURTON 1996 THIRD QUARTER DIVIDEND

DALLAS, Texas -- Halliburton Company's board of directors today declared a third quarter dividend of 25 cents a share on the company's common stock, payable September 25, 1996 to shareholders of record at the close of business on September 4, 1996.

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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