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August 15, 2002

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): August 13, 2002

OCTEL CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-13879

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(State or other jurisdictions of
Incorporation)

Commission
File Number

(I.R.S.
identific

Octel Corp., Global House, Bailey Lane, Manchester, UK

M90 4AA

(Address of principal executive offices)

(zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 011-44-161-498-8889

Item 5. Other Events

On August 13, 2002, the Board of Directors of Octel Corp., a Delaware corporation, adopted a semi-annual dividend policy. Under the policy, regular dividends will be declared semi-annually at the Board's discretion.

The Board also declared a semi-annual dividend of 5 cents per share on common stock. The cash dividend will be payable on September 30, 2002 to common stockholders of record at the close of business on August 26, 2002.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

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(c) Exhibits:

| Item ---- | Exhibit Index ----- |
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| 99.1 | Press Release, dated August 13, 2002 |

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.

OCTEL CORP.

By: /s/ Alan G. Jarvis

Name: Alan G. Jarvis
Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: August 15, 2002

EXHIBIT INDEX

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