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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 9, 2002

Penton Media, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware 1-14337 36-2875386
-----(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (216) 696-7000

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS.

On August 9, 2002, Penton Media, Inc. ("Penton") sent a letter to Mario Gabelli in response to a letter Mr. Gabelli had sent to Penton on August 7, 2002, regarding the elimination of the Penton's "poison pill." A copy of Penton's letter to Mr. Gabelli is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, PRO FORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND EXHIBITS.

Exhibits Description

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99.1 Letter from Penton Media, Inc. to Mario Gabelli, dated August 9, 2002.

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.

Penton Media, Inc.

By: /s/ Preston L. Vice

Name: Preston L. Vice

Title: Senior Vice President and Secretary

Date: August 12, 2002

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