

WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/  
Form 8-K  
March 20, 2001

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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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) March 14, 2001

WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	1-3932 (Commission File Number)	38-1490038 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
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2000 M63 North, Benton Harbor, Michigan ----- (Address of principal executive officers)	49022-2692 ----- (Zip Code)
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(616)-923-5000

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Item 5. Other Events  
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On March 14, 2001, the registrant issued a press release announcing the promotion of Michael A. Todman to Executive Vice President, North American Region. On March 16, 2001, the registrant received the resignation of Bengt G. Engstrom, Executive Vice President, Whirlpool Europe, as an officer of the Company effective immediately.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits  
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Copy of press release dated March 14, 2001.

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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.

WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION  
Registrant

Date: March 20, 2001

By: /s/ Robert T. Kenagy

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Name: Robert T. Kenagy  
Title: Corporate Secretary