

**UNITED STATES
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): **January 17, 2003**

USA INTERACTIVE

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

0-20570
(Commission
File Number)

59-2712887
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

152 West 57th Street, New York, NY 10019
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(212) 314-7300**

ITEM 2. ACQUISITION OR DISPOSITION OF ASSETS

On January 17, 2003, USA Interactive ("USA" or the "Company") completed its acquisition of the outstanding shares of Ticketmaster that it did not already own through the merger of a wholly owned subsidiary of USA with Ticketmaster, with Ticketmaster surviving as a wholly owned subsidiary of USA. In the merger, each outstanding share of Ticketmaster Class A common stock and Ticketmaster Class B common stock (other than shares held by USA, Ticketmaster and their subsidiaries) was converted into the right to receive 0.935 of a share of USA common stock. Please see the full text of the Company's press release, filed as exhibit 99.1 hereto, which is incorporated herein by reference.

USA filed a registration statement on Form S-4 (file no. 333-101199), as amended, registering under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the shares of USA common stock issued in the Ticketmaster transaction. The registration statement contains additional information about the transaction.

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

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated January 17, 2003.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

USA INTERACTIVE

By: /s/ DARA KHOSROWSHAHI

Name: Dara Khosrowshahi
Title: Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release dated January 17, 2003.

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USA INTERACTIVE COMPLETES ACQUISITION OF TICKETMASTER

New York, New York—January 17, 2003—USA Interactive (Nasdaq: USAI) announced today the successful completion of its acquisition of the outstanding shares of Ticketmaster that it did not already own. The acquisition, which was accomplished by the merger of a wholly owned subsidiary of USA with Ticketmaster, with Ticketmaster surviving as a wholly owned subsidiary of USA, became effective after the close of the market today.

In the merger, each outstanding share of Ticketmaster Class A common stock and Ticketmaster Class B common stock (other than shares held by USA, Ticketmaster and their subsidiaries) was converted into the right to receive 0.935 of a share of USA common stock. USA issued an aggregate of approximately 45.4 million shares of USA common stock in the merger. Shares of Ticketmaster Class B common stock, which prior to the merger traded on the Nasdaq National Market under the symbol "TMCS," were delisted from trading as of the close of the market today.

Concurrent with the completion of the Ticketmaster acquisition, John Pleasants, formerly President and CEO of Ticketmaster, has assumed his new position as President, USA's Information & Services group; and Thomas J. McNerney, formerly Ticketmaster's Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, has assumed his new position as President, USA's Electronic Retailing group. Additionally, Anne Busquet has begun serving as President, USA's new Travel Services group. At Ticketmaster, Terry Barnes has reassumed the CEO position, in addition to his role as Chairman.

About USA Interactive

USA Interactive (Nasdaq: USAI) engages worldwide in the business of interactivity via the Internet, the television and the telephone. USA's multiple brands are organized across three areas: Electronic Retailing, Information & Services and Travel Services. Electronic Retailing is comprised of HSN, America's Store, HSN.com, and Home Shopping Europe and Euvía in Germany. Information & Services includes Ticketmaster, Match.com, uDate (transaction pending), Citysearch, Evite, Entertainment Publications (transaction pending) and Precision Response Corporation. Travel Services consists of Expedia (Nasdaq: EXPE), Hotels.com (Nasdaq: ROOM), Interval International, TV Travel Group and USA's forthcoming U.S. cable travel network.

About Ticketmaster

Ticketmaster, the world's leading ticketing company, sells more than 90 million tickets valued at more than \$4 billion annually, through www.ticketmaster.com, one of the largest e-commerce sites on the Internet, more than 3,500 retail Ticket Center outlets and 19 worldwide telephone call centers. Ticketmaster serves more than 7,000 clients worldwide and acts as the exclusive ticketing service for hundreds of leading arenas, stadiums, performing arts venues, and theaters and is the official ticketing provider and supporter of the Athens 2004 Olympic Games. Ticketmaster is headquartered in Los Angeles, California and is a division of USA Interactive (NASDAQ: USAI).

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