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 earliest event

reported: January 22, 2003

AMR CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-8400 (State of Incorporation) (Commission File Number)

75-1825172 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

4333 Amon Carter Blvd. Fort Worth, Texas (Address of principal executive offices)

76155 (Zip Code)

(817) 963-1234 (Registrant's telephone number)

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Item 5. Other Events

AMR Corporation (the Company) is filing herewith a press release issued on January 22, 2003 by the Company as Exhibit 99.1 which is included herein. This press release was issued to report the Company's fourth quarter and full year 2002 earnings.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

The following exhibits are included herein:

99.1 Press Release

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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.

AMR CORPORATION

/s/ Charles D. MarLett Charles D. MarLett Corporate Secretary

Dated: January 22, 2003

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release

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Exhibit 99.1

Contact: Corporate Communications Fort Worth, Texas 817-967-1577 corp.comm@aa.com

FOR RELEASE: Wednesday, Jan. 22, 2003

Editor's Note: A live Webcast reporting fourth-quarter results will be broadcast on the Internet on Jan. 22 at 2 p.m. EST. (Windows Media player required for viewing.)

AMR REPORTS FOURTH QUARTER LOSS OF \$529 MILLION

FORT WORTH, Texas - Consistent with expectations, AMR Corporation, the parent company of American Airlines, Inc., today reported a fourth quarter net loss of \$529 million, or \$3.39 per share. This compares with last year's fourth quarter net loss of \$734 million before special items, and \$798 million -- \$5.17 per share -- after special items.

For full year 2002, AMR reported a net loss of \$2.0 billion before special items, and \$3.5 billion -- \$22.57 per share -- after special items. For 2001, the Company reported a net loss of \$1.4 billion before special items, and \$1.8 billion -- or \$11.43 per share -- after special items.

"Clearly, results such as the ones we reported today are unsustainable," said Don Carty, AMR's chairman and chief executive officer. "While there are many factors that impacted our results during 2002, including a sluggish economy, high fuel prices, lingering concerns over terrorism and the possibility of a war in the Middle East, the core issue for our Company remains a cost structure that is out of step with the revenue environment facing domestic

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airlines. As we've been discussing with our employees, we believe that a permanent shift has occurred in the airline revenue environment which will require us to reduce our annual costs by at least four billion dollars."

Carty continued, "The people of American have made tremendous strides to reduce our operating costs by de-peaking our Chicago and Dallas/Ft. Worth hubs, simplifying our fleet, automating customer ticketing and check-in functions, as well as a host of other programs designed to reduce our long-term structural costs. These incredibly significant efforts have resulted in a permanent annual savings of two billion dollars. Nonetheless, we still have a very big challenge in front of us to achieve our four billion cost-reduction target."

While American continues to modify its operations to be more competitive with low-fare carriers, Carty acknowledged that the future of the Company cannot be assured until ways are found to lower significantly its labor and other costs.

Carty noted that American started talks with all of its labor unions in October and that those discussions continue with both the unions and their respective financial advisors. Carty stressed that, to put the Company on a sustainable footing and for its continued survival, American must move quickly to reduce its labor costs significantly in conjunction with its broader cost-reduction program.

Citing the tremendous challenges that the people of American have overcome during its 75-year history, Carty remains optimistic that solutions can be found to the problems confronting American.

However, he acknowledges that, "it remains a treacherous time for our Company."

As the Company faces its challenges, Carty said, it draws strength from its operational performance and the quality of its customer service. He noted that American's on-time dependability and the percentage of flights completed each day are at or near the top of the industry. At the same time, customer

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satisfaction ratings are among the best in years as employees on the ground and in the air continue to focus on the needs of passengers and shippers. "Our people remain our greatest asset," Carty said.

Lastly, the Company will record a significant minimum pension liability at year end, driving an approximate \$1.1 billion charge to equity. This minimum pension liability will reflect the amount that the Company's pension plans' accumulated benefit obligation at Dec. 31, 2002 exceeded the plans' assets at that date.

Looking forward, the Company said it had specific loan covenants related to more than \$800 million of its debt that it would seek to renegotiate in order to remain in compliance with the terms of the borrowing beyond June 30, 2003. American cannot be certain, but it believes it will be successful in obtaining a modification or waiver of these covenants on acceptable terms.

AMR will host a conference call with the financial community from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. EST today. During this call, AMR will review details of its fourth quarter and full-year 2002 results, revenue and cost performance, balance sheet and liquidity positions, capital market financings and related contingencies, tax status, labor update (including the status of labor discussion), impacts from industry restructurings and provide an outlook for the first quarter and full-year 2003.

A live webcast of this call will be available on the AMR Web site (www.amrcorp.com) under the Investor information page. A replay of the webcast will also be available for several days following the call.

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Note: Reconciliation of Losses Before and After Special Items Impact of Special Items (in millions, after tax) Fourth Quarter 2002 2001 Amount Amount (net of tax) (net of tax) Net loss before special items (\$529) (\$734) **Special** charges: **Aircraft** charges (35) Facility exit costs -(34)**Employee** charges (10) Ōther (14) Total **special** charges (93) Special credit: U.S. Govn't grant - 29 Net loss after

special items

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Impact of
Special Items
(in millions,
 after tax)
 Full Year
  2002 2001
Amount Amount
(net of tax)
(net of tax)
  Net loss
   <del>before</del>
special items
  ($2,018)
  (\$1,407)
   Special
charges: Cum.
  effect of
   accting
change (988)
    Aircraft
charges (416)
(777) Foreign
 tax credit
  (57)
  Employee
charges (36)
(45) Facility
 exit costs
  (2) (72)
Other
Total special
   charges
(1,499) (893)
   Special
credit: U.S.
Govn't grant
  6 538 Net
 loss after
special items
  (\$3,511)
  ($1,762)
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(\$529) (\$798)

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Editor's note: AMR's Chief Financial Officer, Jeffrey C. Campbell, will be available to answer questions during a telephone news conference on Wednesday, Jan. 22, from 3 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. EST. Reporters interested in joining the conference should call 817-967-1577 for details.

Statements in this report contain various forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, which represent the Company's expectations or beliefs concerning future events. When used in this document and in documents incorporated herein by reference, the words "expects," "plans," "anticipates," "believes," and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Other forward-looking statements include statements which do not relate solely to historical facts, such as, without limitation, statements which discuss the possible future effects of current known trends or uncertainties, or which indicate that the future effects of known trends or uncertainties cannot be predicted, guaranteed or assured. All forward-looking

statements in this report are based upon information available to the Company on the date of this report. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. Forward-looking statements are subject to a number of factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from our expectations. Additional information concerning these and other factors is contained in the Company's Securities and Exchange Commission filings, including but not limited to the Form 10-K for the year ended Dec. 31, 2001.

Detailed financial information follows:

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Three Months Ended December 31, Percent 2002 2001 Change Revenues **Passenger American Airlines** \$3,455 \$ 3,169 9.0 **AMR** Eagle 341 277 23.1 Cargo 146 138 5.8 Other revenues 248 220 12.7 Total operating revenues 4,190 3,804 10.1 **Expenses** Wages, salaries and **benefits** 2,065 2,027 1.9 Aircraft fuel 682 563 21.1 **Depreciation** and **amortization** 347 371 (6.5) Other rentals and landing fees 290 297 (2.4)Maintenance, **materials** and repairs 268 255 5.1 **Aircraft** rentals 190 225 (15.6) Food service 159 167 (4.8) **Commissions** to agents 109 144 (24.3) Other operating expenses 759 801 (5.2) **Special** charges 149 (100.0) U.S. Government grant - (47) (100.0) Total operating expenses 4,869 4,952 (1.7)

Operating Loss (679) (1,148)

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<del>(40.9) Other</del>
    Income
  (Expense)
   Interest
income 17 30
    (43.3)
   Interest
   expense
 (184) (165)
     <del>11.5</del>
   Interest
 capitalized
<del>19 28 (32.1)</del>
Miscellaneous
  - net (1)
 (15) (93.3)
(149) (122)
22.1 Loss
    Before
Income Taxes
    (828)
   (1,270)
    <del>(34.8)</del>
 Income tax
   benefit
 <del>(299) (472)</del>
<del>(36.7) Net</del>
Loss $ (529)
   $ (798)
 (33.7) Loss
  Per Śhare
  Basic and
  Diluted $
   (3.39) $
    (5.17)
  Number of
 Shares Used
      in
 Computation
  Basic and
 Diluted 156
      <del>154</del>
Note: Certain amounts have been reclassified to conform with 2002
presentation
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                                 AMR CORPORATION
                             OPERATING STATISTICS
                                   (Unaudited)
   Three
   Months
   Ended
 December
    31,
  Percent
 2002 2001
   Change
 American
 Airlines
  Revenue
 passenger
   miles
(millions)
  <del>29,471</del>
   25,423
    <del>15.9</del>
 Available
seat miles
(millions)
   42,232
39,757 6.2
 Cargo ton
   miles
(millions)
  <del>528 445</del>
    <del>18.7</del>
 Passenger
    <del>load</del>
   factor
   69.8%
 64.0% 5.8
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pts.
 Breakeven
    <del>load</del>
factor (*)
    <del>87.7%</del>
    89.3%
 (1.6)pts.
 Passenger
  revenue
 <del>yield per</del>
 passenger
    mile
  (cents)
    11.72
    <del>12.47</del>
    <del>(6.0)</del>
 Passenger
  revenue
     per
 available
 seat mile
  (cents)
 8.18 7.97
 2.6 Cargo
  revenue
 <del>yield per</del>
  ton mile
  (cents)
    <del>27.49</del>
    30.80
   (10.7)
 Operating
 expenses
     per
 <del>available</del>
 seat mile
  (cents)
 (*) 10.73
   <del>11.33</del>
(5.3) Fuel
consumption
(gallons, in
 millions)
  771 735
  4.9 Fuel
 price per
   gallon
  (cents)
 82.7 72.1
 14.7 Fuel
 <del>price per</del>
  <del>gallon,</del>
 excluding
fuel taxes
  (cents)
 77.1 67.2
    <del>14.7</del>
 Operating
 aircraft
at period-
  end 819
 <del>881 (7.0)</del>
 AMR Eagle
  Revenue
 passenger
    miles
(millions)
 1,086 873
    <del>24.4</del>
 Available
seat miles
(millions)
   1,767
1,539 14.8
 Passenger
    <del>load</del>
   factor
    61.4%
 <del>56.7% 4.7</del>
    <del>pts.</del>
 Operating
```

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aircraft
at period-
 end 286
  276 3.6
    AMR
Corporation
  Average
Equivalent
Number of
Employees
 American
 Airlines
  93,500
  97,900
  <del>Other</del>
  <del>12,000</del>
  11,400
  <del>Total</del>
  <del>105,500</del>
  109,300
    Excludes the impact of special charges and U.S. Government grant
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                            AMR CORPORATION
                 CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS
                (in millions, except per share amounts)
                                (Unaudited)
   Twelve
Months Ended
December 31,
Percent 2002
2001 Change
  Revenues
 Passenger -
  American
  Airlines
  <del>$14,440 $</del>
15,780 (8.5)
  AMR Eagle
1,332 1,378
 (3.3) Cargo
   <del>561 662</del>
(15.3) Other
revenues 966
1,143 (15.5)
    <del>Total</del>
  <del>operating</del>
  revenues
   <del>17,299</del>
<del>18,963 (8.8)</del>
  Expenses
   Wages,
salaries and
  benefits
8,392 8,032
4.5 Aircraft
 fuel 2,562
2,888 (11.3)
Depreciation
     and
amortization
1,366 1,404
(2.7) Other
rentals and
landing fees
1,198 1,197
     9.1
Maintenance,
 materials
and repairs
1,108 1,165
    (4.9)
  Aircráft
rentals 840
829 1.3 Food
service 698
 778 (10.3)
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Commissions
  to agents
   532 835
(36.3) Other
  operating
  expenses
 3,225 3,695
    <del>(12.7)</del>
   Special
 <del>charges 718</del>
<del>1,466 (51.0)</del>
     U.S.
 Government
 grant (10)
(856) (98.8)
    <del>Total</del>
  operating
   expenses
    20,629
21,433 (3.8)
  Operating
Loss (3,330)
(2,470) 34.8
Other Income
  (Expense)
  Interest
  income 71
 <del>110 (35.5)</del>
  Interest
   expense
 <del>(685) (538)</del>
     \frac{27.3}{}
   Interest
 capitalized
    <del>86 144</del>
    (40.3)
Miscellaneous
  - net (2)
 (2) - (530)
 \frac{(286)}{85.3}
 Loss Before
Income Taxes
     and
 Cumulative
  Effect of
 Accounting
    Change
   (3,860)
(2,756) 40.1
 Income tax
   <del>benefit</del>
   (1,337)
 (994) 34.5
 Loss Before
 Cumulative
  Effect of
 Accounting
    Change
   (2,523)
(1,762) 43.2
 Cumulative
  Effect of
 Accounting
 Change, Net
    of Tax
   Benefit
  (988)
  Net Loss
 <del>$(3,511) $</del>
(1,762) 99.3
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Note: Certain amounts have been reclassified to conform with 2002 presentation
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                             AMR CORPORATION
          CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (CONTINUED)
                (in millions, except per share amounts)
                                 (Unaudited)
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Twelve Months Ended

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December 31,
                                               2002
                                                            2001
Basic and Diluted Loss Per Share
  Before Cumulative Effect of
  Accounting Change
                                            $(16.22)
                                                          $(11.43)
  Cumulative Effect of Accounting Change
                                              (6.35)
                                                          $(11.43)
                                            $(22.57)
  Net Loss
Number of Shares Used in Computation
  Basic and Diluted
                                                156
                                                              154
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Note 1: 2002 results include TWA whereas the 2001 amounts include TWA for the period
April 10, 2001 through December 31, 2001

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AMR CORPORATION
OPERATING STATISTICS
(Unaudited)

Twelve Months Ended December 31, Percent 2002 2001 Change **American Airlines** (*) Revenue passenger miles (millions) 121,747 120,606 0.9 **Available** seat miles (millions) 172,200 174,688 (1.4)Cargo ton miles (millions) 2,007 2,130 (5.8)**Passenger** load factor 70.7% 69.0% 1.7

pts. **Breakeven** load factor (**) 87.2% 79.2% 8.0 pts. Passenger revenue yield per passenger mile (cents) 11.86 13.08 (9.3)**Passenger** revenue per available seat mile (cents) 8.39 9.04

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(7.2)
   Cargo
  revenue
 yield per
 ton mile
  (cents)
   27.73
   30.80
  (10.0)
 Operating
 expenses
    per
 <del>available</del>
 seat mile
  (cents)
   *) 10.78
   11.07
(2.6) Fuel
consumption
 (gallons,
    in
 millions)
   3,163
   3,294
(4.0) Fuel
 <del>price per</del>
  gallon
  (cents)
 76.0 81.3
(6.5) Fuel
 <del>price per</del>
  gallon,
 excluding
fuel taxes
  (cents)
 <del>70.4 76.0</del>
   (7.4)
 Operating
 aircraft
at period-
  end 819
 881 (7.0)
 AMR Eagle
  Revenue
 passenger
   miles
(millions)
   4,134
3,725 11.0
 Available
seat miles
(millions)
   6,592
 6,471 1.9
 Passenger
    <del>load</del>
   factor
   62.7%
 <del>57.6% 5.1</del>
    pts.
 Operating
 aircraft
at period-
  end 286
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276 3.6

- (*) 2002 results include TWA whereas the 2001 amounts include TWA for the period April 10, 2001 through December 31, 2001
- (**) Excludes the impact of special charges and U.S. Government grant