

UNIVERSAL CORP /VA/  
Form 8-K  
November 07, 2002

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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): November 7, 2002

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**UNIVERSAL CORPORATION**

**Virginia**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of organization)

**1-652**  
(Commission File Number)

**54-0414210**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification  
Number)

1501 North Hamilton Street  
Richmond, Virginia  
(804) 359-9311

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**Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

On September 6, 2000, Universal Corporation commenced a continuous medium term note offering under a prospectus dated August 28, 2000 and a prospectus supplement dated September 6, 2000. This Current Report on Form 8-K is filed for the purpose of filing the Fixed Rate Note that was issued November 7, 2002 pursuant to a Pricing Supplement dated November 4, 2002 previously filed in connection with that medium term note program.

The following exhibits are filed herewith.

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
4	\$5,000,000 6.0% Fixed Rate Note due September 15, 2009

**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.

UNIVERSAL CORPORATION

By:           /s/ George C.  
                  Freeman, III                  

**George C. Freeman,  
III  
General Counsel and  
Secretary**

Date: November 7, 2002