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): May 17, 2002

United States Steel Corporation

Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-16811 25-1897152

(State or other (Commission File (IRS Employer jurisdiction of Number) Identification No.)

600 Grant Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15219-2800

(Address of principal executive (Zip Code) offices)

(412) 433-1121

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 5. Other Events

United States Steel Corporation is filing the May 17, 2002 press release titled "Underwriters Exercise Over-allotment Option on U. S. Steel Common Stock Offering". Attached is a copy of the press release in substantially the form released.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1. Press Release - "Underwriters Exercise Over-allotment Option on U. S. Steel Common Stock Offering"

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.

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION

By /s/ Gretchen R. Haggerty
-----Gretchen R. Haggerty
Senior Vice President and Controller

Dated: May 20, 2002

UNDERWRITERS EXERCISE OVER-ALLOTMENT OPTION ON U. S. STEEL COMMON STOCK OFFERING

PITTSBURGH, May 17, 2002 - United States Steel Corporation (NYSE:X) announced today that, in connection with the previously announced sale of 9,500,000 shares of common stock, the underwriters have exercised their overallotment option and will purchase from United States Steel Corporation an analogonal Hele 205,090 shares as the original offering price. With the exercise of the over-allotment option, total proceeds to U. S. Steel from the offering are apme0, ffx\$e thouceshevomio8n sxng