SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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) September 9, 2002

GenCorp Inc. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Ohio	1-1520	34-0244000	
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	IRS Employer Identification No.)	
Highway 50 and Aerojet Road, Rancho Cordova, California			95670
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)			(Zip Code)
P.O. Box 537012, Sacramento, California			95853-7012
(Mailing Address)			(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (916) 355-4000

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Attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by this reference is the text of the registrant's press release which was issued on September 9, 2002.

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

GENCORP INC.

By: /s/ Margaret Hastings

Name: Margaret Hastings Title: Assistant Secretary

Dated: September 10, 2002