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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULES 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

174, avenue de France, 75013 Paris, FRANCE (Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Yes No X

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registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-_____.

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~ Investor Relations

Paris, July 3rd, 2003

Dear Madam, Dear Sir,

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On the occasion of the 2003 half-year sales publication, a conference call for financial analysts, institutional investors and journalists will be held on Wednesday, July 23rd, 2003 at 9.30 a.m. (Paris time). This conference will be in English.

In order to participate in the conference call, the following numbers are to be dialed 10 minutes before it starts:

France: 00 33 (0) 1 70 70 81 98 code: 163469
United Kingdom: 00 44 (0) 207 984 75 82 code: 163469
USA: 00 1 719 457 26 79 code: 163469

A recorded version of the conference will be available the same day at 11:30 a.m. (Paris time) through Friday August 15th, 2003 by dialing:

France: 00 33 (0) 1 70 70 82 10 code: 163469#
United Kingdom: 00 44 (0) 207 784 10 24 code: 163469#
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A live audio webcast of this conference will be available at our internet site (www.sanofi-synthelabo.com) and a recorded version will be archived from July 23rd, 2003 at 11:30 a.m. (Paris time) through Friday, August 15th, 2003.

Yours sincerely,

Philippe Goupit

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SIGNATURES

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.

Dated: July 3, 2003

SANOFI-SYNTHELABO

By: /s/ Marie-Helene Laimay

Name: Marie-Helene Laimay Title: Senior Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer