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BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC  
 Form 424B3  
 January 16, 2002

PRICING SUPPLEMENT NO. 93  
 DATED: January 14, 2002  
 (To Prospectus dated January 11, 2001,  
 and Prospectus Supplement dated January 11, 2001)

Rule 424(b)(3)  
 File No. 333-52902

\$9,015,893,162  
 THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC.  
 MEDIUM-TERM NOTES, SERIES B

Principal Amount: Floating Rate Notes  Book Entry Notes   
 \$100,000,000

Original Issue Date: Fixed Rate Notes  Certificated Notes   
 1/16/2002

Maturity Date: 1/16/2003 CUSIP#: 073928WC3

Option to Extend Maturity: No   
 Yes  Final Maturity Date:

Redeemable On	Redemption Price(s)	Optional Repayment Date(s)	Optional Repayment Price(s)
----- N/A	----- N/A	----- N/A	----- N/A

Applicable Only to Fixed Rate Notes:  
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Interest Rate:

Interest Payment Dates:

Applicable Only to Floating Rate Notes:  
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Interest Rate Basis: Maximum Interest Rate: N/A  
 [ ] Commercial Paper Rate Minimum Interest Rate: N/A  
 [ ] Federal Funds Effective Rate  
 [ x ] Federal Funds Open Rate + Interest Reset Date(s): Daily ++  
 [ ] Treasury Rate Interest Reset Period: Daily  
 [ ] LIBOR Reuters Interest Payment Date(s): \*  
 [ ] LIBOR Telerate  
 [ ] Prime Rate  
 [ ] CMT Rate

Initial Interest Rate: 1.96% Interest Payment Period: Monthly

Index Maturity: N/A

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Spread (plus or minus): + 0.15%

+ Rate for Federal Funds as reported on Telerate Page 5 under the heading "Federal Funds/Open".

++ Interest Determination Dates are the same Business Day as the Interest Reset Dates.

\* On the 16th of each month and at Maturity.

The distribution of Notes will conform to the requirements set forth in Rule 2720 of the NASD Conduct Rules.