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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

### FORM 6-K

#### Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

October 13, 2003

### BUHRMANN NV

(Translation of Registrant's Name into English)

Hoogoorddreef 62  
1101 BE Amsterdam ZO  
The Netherlands  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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