IEC ELECTRONICS CORP Form SC 13G/A April 23, 2003

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G/A 4/22/2003

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No.5)

IEC ELECTRONICS CORP.
 (Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK, \$.01 par value (Title of Class of Securities)

44949L105 (CUSIP Number)

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section of the \mbox{Act} but shall be subject to all other provisions of the \mbox{Act} (however, see the \mbox{Notes}).

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NAME OF REPOR 1 S.S. or I.R.S		ERSON FIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON
GRACE & WHITE	, INC.	
#13-2884675		
CHECK THE APP 2 (a) [_]		E BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*
(b) [_]		
SEC USE ONLY		
CITIZENSHIP O	 R PLACE	OF ORGANIZATION
NEW YORK, U.S	.A.	
NUMBER OF	 5	SOLE VOTING POWER
		68,500
SHARES BENEFICIALLY	6	SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY		NONE
EACH REPORTING	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		251,900
PERSON WITH	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

NONE AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING 9 251,900 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES* 10 [_] PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 11 2.35% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON* 12 IA. - - -----CUSIP NUMBER -----44949L105 Page 3 Of 5 Pages Item 1. (a) Name of Issuer: IEC ELECTRONICS CORP. _____ (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: 105 NORTON STREET NEWARK, NY 14513 Item 2. (a) Name of Person Filing: GRACE & WHITE, INC. _____ (b) Address of Principal Business Office: Grace & White, Inc. 515 Madison Ave. Suite 1700 New York, New York 10022 (c) Citizenship: New York Corporation (d) Title of Class of Securities: Common Stock, \$.01 par value -----

(e) CUSIP Number: 44949L105

Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-_____ or 13d-2(b), check whether the person filing is a: (e) X Investment adviser registered under Section 203 of --- the Investment Advisers Act of 1940. Item 4. Ownership. (a) Amount beneficially owned: ______ The shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Grace & White, Inc. by this Schedule amount to 251,900 shares. (b) Percent of Class: 2.35% (c) For information on voting and dispositive power with respect to the above listed shares, see Items 5-8 of the Cover Page. Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class. This statement is being filed to report the fact that as of April 22, 2003, Grace & White, Inc. has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the common stock. Item 6. Ownership of more than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person. N/A Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company. ______ N/A. Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group. _____ N/A Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group. N/A. Item 10. Certification.

By signing below, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purposes or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

DATE: April 23, 2003

Grace & White, Inc.

By: s/MARC RAVITZ

Marc Ravitz Vice President