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December 04, 2003

UNITED STATES SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
(Amendment No. 3)*

Medstone International, Inc.
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock
(Title of Class of Securities)

58505C101
(CUSIP Number)

Bruce Lev
c/o Loeb Partners Corporation
61 Broadway, N.Y., N.Y., 10006 (212) 483-7017
(Name, address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices
and Communications)

December 03, 2003
(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition which is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(b)(3) or (4), check the following box [].

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*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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CUSIP NO. 58505C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

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S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

Loeb Partners Corporation

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [X]

(b) []

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS*

WC, O

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED []
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

NUMBER OF 7 SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES 17,010 Shares of Common stock

BENEFICIALLY 8 SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY 11,058 Shares of Common stock

EACH 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
REPORTING 17,010 Shares of Common stock

PERSON WITH 10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
11,058 Shares of Common stock

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

28,068 Shares of Common stock

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
0.74%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*

PN, BD, IA

SCHEDULE 13D

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

Loeb Arbitrage Fund

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [X]

(b) []

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

WC, O

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New York

| | | |
|--------------|----|--------------------------------|
| NUMBER OF | 7 | SOLE VOTING POWER |
| SHARES | | 288,318 Shares of Common stock |
| BENEFICIALLY | 8 | SHARED VOTING POWER |
| OWNED BY | | ----- |
| EACH | 9 | SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER |
| REPORTING | | 288,318 Shares of Common stock |
| PERSON WITH | 10 | SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER |
| | | ----- |

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
288,318 Shares of Common stock

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
7.67%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*
PN, BD

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

Loeb Offshore Fund, Ltd.

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [X]
(b) []

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS*

WC, O

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED []
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Cayman Islands

| | | |
|--------------|----|-------------------------------|
| NUMBER OF | 7 | SOLE VOTING POWER |
| SHARES | | 23,814 Shares of Common stock |
| BENEFICIALLY | 8 | SHARED VOTING POWER |
| OWNED BY | | ----- |
| EACH | 9 | SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER |
| REPORTING | | 23,814 Shares of Common stock |
| PERSON WITH | 10 | SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER |
| | | ----- |

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
23,814 Shares of Common stock

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*

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13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
0.63%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*
CO

Item 1. Security and Issuer.

This statement refers to the Common Stock of Medstone International, Inc., 100 Columbia, Suite 100, Aliso Viejo, CA., 92656.

Item 2. Identity and Background.

No change.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Compensation.

No change.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction.

No change.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

(a) The persons reporting hereby owned the following shares of Common Stock as of December 03, 2003.

| | Shares of Common Stock |
|----------------------------|------------------------|
| Loeb Arbitrage Fund | 288,318 |
| Loeb Partners Corporation* | 28,068 |
| Loeb Offshore Fund | 23,814 |
| | ----- |
| | 340,200 |

The total shares of Common Stock constitute 9.05% the 3,758,000 outstanding shares of Common Stock as reported by the issuer.

*Including 11,058 shares of Common Stock purchased for the account of one customer of Loeb Partners Corporation as to which it has investment discretion.

(b) See paragraph (a) above.

(c) The following purchases of Common Stock have been made in the last sixty (60) days by the following:

Purchases of Common Stock

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| Holder | Date | Shares | Average Price |
|----------------------|----------|--------|---------------|
| Loeb Partners Corp.* | 11-12-03 | 6188 | \$4.78 |
| | 11-13-03 | 4125 | 4.63 |
| | 11-14-03 | 6188 | 4.62 |
| | 11-17-03 | 2063 | 4.64 |
| | 11-18-03 | 2888 | 4.65 |
| | 11-19-03 | 1650 | 4.62 |
| | 11-25-03 | 1650 | 4.75 |
| | 11-26-03 | 16 | 4.75 |
| | 12-1-03 | 1650 | 4.76 |
| | 12-2-03 | 825 | 4.76 |
| | 12-3-03 | 825 | 4.79 |

| Holder | Date | Shares | Average Price |
|---------------------|----------|--------|---------------|
| Loeb Arbitrage Fund | 11-12-03 | 63562 | \$4.781 |
| | 11-13-03 | 42375 | 4.633 |
| | 11-14-03 | 62562 | 4.618 |
| | 11-17-03 | 21187 | 4.641 |
| | 11-18-03 | 29662 | 4.655 |
| | 11-19-03 | 16950 | 4.618 |
| | 11-25-03 | 16950 | 4.745 |
| | 11-26-03 | 170 | 4.748 |
| | 12-1-03 | 16950 | 4.763 |
| | 12-2-03 | 8475 | 4.757 |
| | 12-3-03 | 8475 | 4.787 |

| Holder | Date | Shares | Average Price |
|--------------------|----------|--------|---------------|
| Loeb Offshore Fund | 11-12-03 | 5250 | \$4.78 |
| | 11-13-03 | 3500 | 4.63 |
| | 11-14-03 | 5250 | 4.62 |
| | 11-17-03 | 1750 | 4.64 |
| | 11-18-03 | 2450 | 4.65 |
| | 11-19-03 | 1400 | 4.62 |
| | 11-25-03 | 1400 | 4.75 |
| | 11-26-03 | 14 | 4.75 |
| | 12-1-03 | 1400 | 4.76 |
| | 12-2-03 | 700 | 4.76 |
| | 12-3-03 | 700 | 4.79 |

 *Including 11,058 shares of Common Stock purchased for the account of one customer of Loeb Partners Corporation as to which it has investment discretion.

All reported transactions were effected on Nasdaq.

(d) Not applicable.

(e). Not applicable.

Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to the Issuer.

None.

Item 7. Materials to be Filed as Exhibits.

None.

Signature

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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.

December 04, 2003

Loeb Partners Corporation

By: /s/ Gideon J. King
Executive Vice President

December 04, 2003

Loeb Arbitrage Fund
By: Loeb Arbitrage Management
, Inc.

By: /s/ Gideon J. King
President

December 04, 2003

Loeb Offshore Fund

By: /s/ Gideon J. King
Director