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GECC SERIES A FIXED RATE PRICING SUPPLEMENT

PROSPECTUS

Dated November 21, 2002

PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT
Dated November 22, 2002

Pricing Supplement No. 3961
Dated November 25, 2003
Rule 424(b)(3)-Registration Statement
No. 333-100527

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION
GLOBAL MEDIUM-TERM NOTES, SERIES A
(Fixed Rate Notes)

Trade Date: November 25, 2003

Settlement Date (Original Issue Date): December 1, 2003
Maturity Date: December 1, 2010
Principal Amount (in Specified Currency): US\$ 1,000,000,000
Price to Public (Issue Price): $99.497 \%$

Agent's Discount or Commission:H.375\%

Net Proceeds to Issuer: US\$ 991,220,000

Interest Rate Per Annum: 4.250\%

Interest Payment Date(s)

X June $1^{\text {st }}$ and December $1^{\text {st }}$ of each year commencing June 1, 2004 and ending on the Maturity Date.

## Clearance and Settlement

__ DTC only
x

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DTC global (including through its indirect participants Euroclear and Clearstream, Luxembourg as described under "Global Clearance and Settlement Procedures" in the accompanying Prospectus Supplement)

DTC and Euroclear/Clearstream, Luxembourg (as described under "Description of Notes General - Special Provisions Relating to Certain Foreign Currency Notes" in the accompanying Prospectus Supplement).
__ Euroclear and Clearstream, Luxembourg only

CAPITALIZED TERMS USED IN THIS PRICING SUPPLEMENT WHICH ARE DEFINED IN THE PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS ASSIGNED TO THEM IN THE PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT.

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CUSIP No.: K6962GE75

ISIN: US 36962 GE750

Common Code: 018168898

Repayment, Redemption and Acceleration
Optional Repayment Date(s): N/A

Initial Redemption Date: N/A

Initial Redemption Percentage: N/A

Annual Redemption Percentage Reduction: N/A
Modified Payment Upon Acceleration: N/A

Original Issue Discount
Amount of OID: N/A
Yield to Maturity: N/A
Interest Accrual Date: N/A
Initial Accrual Period OID: N/A
Amortizing Notes
:
Amortization Schedule: N/A
Dual Currency Notes
Face Amount Currency: N/A
Optional Payment Currency: N/A
Designated Exchange Rate: N/A
Option Value Calculation Agent: N/A
Option Election Date(s): N/A
Indexed Notes
:
Currency Base Rate: N/A
Determination Agent: N/A
Listing:
___ Listed on the Luxembourg Exchange
X Not listed on the Luxembourg Exchange
__ Other listing: (specify)
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## General

At September 30, 2003 the Company had outstanding indebtedness totaling $\$ 272.262$ billion, consisting of notes payable within one year, senior notes payable after one year and subordinated notes payable after one year. The total amount of outstanding indebtedness at September 30, 2003 excluding subordinated notes payable after one year was equal to $\$ 271.179$ billion.

## Consolidated Ratio of Earning to Fixed Charges

The information contained in the Prospectus under the caption "Consolidated Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges" is hereby amended in its entirety, as follows:

|  |  | Year Ended <br> December 31. |  |  | Nine Months ended <br> September 30, 2003 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| $\underline{1998}$ | $\underline{1999}$ | $\underline{2000}$ | $\underline{2001}$ | $\underline{2002}$ |  |
| 1.50 | 1.60 | 1.52 | 1.72 | 1.65 | 1.82 |

For purposes of computing the consolidated ratio of earnings to fixed charges, earnings consist of net earnings adjusted for the provision for income taxes, minority interest and fixed charges. Fixed charges consist of interest and discount on all indebtedness and one-third of rentals, which the Company believes is a reasonable approximation of the interest factor of such rentals.

## Plan of Distribution

The Notes are being purchased by the following financial institutions in their respective amounts (collectively, the "Underwriters"), as principal, at $99.497 \%$ of the aggregate principal amount less an underwriting discount equal to $0.375 \%$ of the principal amount of the Notes.

| Institution | $\underline{\text { Commitment }}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Banc One Capital Markets, Inc. | $\$ 350,000,000$ |
| Lehman Brothers Inc. | $350,000,000$ |
| BNP Securities Corp. | $270,000,000$ |

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| Loop Capital Markets LLC | $10,000,000$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Guzman \& Company | $10,000,000$ |
| Muriel Siebert \& Co. | $10,000,000$ |
| Total | $\$ 1,000,000,000$ |

The Company has agreed to indemnify the Underwriters against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

