SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14D-1/A

TENDER OFFER STATEMENT
(AMENDMENT NO. 2)
PURSUANT TO SECTION 14(D)(1)
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
AND
SCHEDULE 13D/A
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
(AMENDMENT NO. 2)

SCS/COMPUTE, INC.
(NAME OF SUBJECT COMPANY)

SCS SUBSIDIARY, INC.,
THOMSON U.S. HOLDINGS INC.
AND
THE THOMSON CORPORATION
(BIDDERS)

COMMON STOCK, $.10 PAR VALUE
(TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES)

784030 10 8
(CUSIP NUMBER OF CLASS OF SECURITIES)

MICHAEL S. HARRIS, ESQ.
THE THOMSON CORPORATION
METRO CENTER AT ONE STATION PLACE
STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT 06902
(NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF
PERSON AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE NOTICES
AND COMMUNICATIONS ON BEHALF OF BIDDERS)

COPY TO:
DAVID W. HELENIAK, ESQ.
SHEARMAN & STERLING
599 LEXINGTON AVENUE
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10022
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January 12, 1996

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CUSIP No. 784030 10 8

1. Name of Reporting Persons
   S.S. or I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Person
   SCS SUBSIDIARY, INC.

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of Group
   (a) / /
   (b) / /

3. SEC Use only

4. Sources of Funds
   WC

5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings is Required Pursuant to Item 2(d) or 2(f)
   / /

6. Citizen or Place of Organization
   Delaware

7. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
   1,082,570 Shares which may be deemed beneficially owned pursuant to the Stock Purchase Agreement described herein.

8. Check if the Aggregate Amount if Row (7) Excludes Certain Shares / /

9. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (7)
   40.1%

10. Type of Reporting Person
    CO
CUSIP No. 784030 10 8

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   S.S. or I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Person
   THOMSON U.S. HOLDINGS INC.

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of Group
   (a) / / 
   (b) / / 

3. SEC Use Only

4. Sources of Funds
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   THE THOMSON CORPORATION

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of Group
   (a) / /
   (b) / /

3. SEC Use only

4. Sources of Funds
   WC

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   Ontario, Canada

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This Amendment No. 2 to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule 14D-1 (the "Schedule 14D-1") and Amendment No. 2 to Schedule 13D relates to the offer by SCS Subsidiary, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Purchaser") and a direct wholly owned subsidiary of Thomson U.S. Holdings Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Parent") and an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of The Thomson Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of Ontario, Canada ("TTC"), to purchase all outstanding shares of Common Stock, par value $.10 per share (the "Shares"), of SCS/Compute, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), at a price of $6.75 per Share, net to the seller in cash, upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in Purchaser's Offer to Purchase dated December 27, 1995 (the "Offer to Purchase") and in the related Letter of Transmittal, copies of which were attached to the Schedule 14D-1 as Exhibits (a)(1) and (a)(2) thereto, respectively. The Schedule 14D-1 was initially filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 27, 1995.

Capitalized terms used but not defined herein have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Offer to Purchase and the Schedule 14D-1.

ITEM 10. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

Item 10(b) is hereby amended and supplemented by adding to the end thereof the following:

On January 12, 1996, the Company filed a Form 8-K (the "8-K") with the Commission. The 8-K contained certain unaudited financial information of the Company as of January 8, 1996. A copy of such financial information contained in the 8-K and relating to the foregoing is filed as Exhibit (a)(11) to the Schedule 14D-1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 11. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS.

Item 11 is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following Exhibit:

(a)(11) Financial information released by the Company on January 12, 1996.
After due 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.

SCS SUBSIDIARY, INC.

Dated: January 12, 1996

By /s/ NIGEL R. HARRISON

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Name: Nigel R. Harrison
Title: Treasurer
After due 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.

THOMSON U.S. HOLDINGS INC.

Dated: January 12, 1996

By /s/ NIGEL R. HARRISON

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Name: Nigel R. Harrison
Title: Executive Vice President

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After due 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.

THE THOMSON CORPORATION

Dated: January 12, 1996

By /s/ NIGEL R. HARRISON
Name: Nigel R. Harrison
Title: Executive Vice President
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## SCS/COMPUTE, INC.
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### JANUARY 8, 1996
### UNAUDITED

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