

SAFETY COMPONENTS INTERNATIONAL INC  
Form SC TO-C  
November 14, 2003

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549  
SCHEDULE TO  
(Amendment No. \_\_)  
(RULE 14d-100)  
TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(d) (1)  
OR SECTION 13(e) (1) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE  
ACT OF 1934  
SAFETY COMPONENTS INTERNATIONAL INC.  
(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))  
ZAPATA CORPORATION  
(Name of Filing Person (Offeror))  
COMMON STOCK, \$0.01 PAR VALUE PER SHARE  
(Title of Class of Securities)  
786474205  
(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)  
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behalf of filing person)  
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- amendment to Schedule 13D under Rule 13d-2.

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\* Pursuant to General Instruction D to Schedule TO, no filing fee is required for pre-commencement communications.

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## INTRODUCTORY STATEMENT

This Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO (the "Schedule TO") relates to the pre-commencement communications by Zapata Corporation., a Nevada corporation ("Zapata" or the "Company"), in connection with a proposal submitted to Safety Components International Inc. regarding the purchase of its outstanding shares of common stock, par value \$.01 per share.

Zapata has not commenced the offer that is referred to in this communication. Upon commencement of such offer, Zapata will file with the Securities and Exchange Commission a Schedule TO and related exhibits, including an Offer to Purchase or Offer to Exchange (as applicable), the Letter of Transmittal and other related documents. Stockholders are strongly encouraged to read the Schedule TO and related exhibits, including the Offer to Purchase or Offer to Exchange (as applicable), the Letter of Transmittal and other related documents, when these become available because they will contain important information about the offer. The Schedule TO and related exhibits will be available without charge at the Securities and Exchange Commission web site at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov) and will be delivered without charge to all stockholders of Zapata.

### ITEM 12. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS AN EXHIBIT.

Exhibit 99.1 Amendment No. 4 to Schedule 13D filed by Zapata Corporation in connection with its holdings in Safety Components International, Inc. (Incorporated by reference to Amendment No. 4 to Schedule 13D filed by Zapata Corporation November 14, 2003)

Pursuant to General Instruction D to Schedule TO, no signature is required for the filing of pre-commencement communications.

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