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Form 424B3
April 03, 2001

PRICING SUPPLEMENT NO. 33
DATED: April 2, 2001
(To Prospectus dated January 11, 2001,
and Prospectus Supplement dated January 11, 2001)

Rule 424(b)(3)
File No. 333-52902

\$9,015,893,162
THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC.
MEDIUM-TERM NOTES, SERIES B

Principal Amount: \$8,000,000 Floating Rate Notes [] Book Entry Notes [x]
Original Issue Date: 4/3/2001 Fixed Rate Notes [x] Certificated Notes []
Maturity Date: 4/1/2002 CUSIP#: 073928TQ6
Option to Extend Maturity: No [x]
Yes [] Final Maturity Date:

Redeemable On	Redemption Price(s)	Optional Repayment Date(s)	Optional Repayment Price(s)
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N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Applicable Only to Fixed Rate Notes:

Interest Rate: 4.60%

Interest Payment Dates: *

Applicable Only to Floating Rate Notes:

Interest Rate Basis:	Maximum Interest Rate: N/A
[] Commercial Paper Rate	Minimum Interest Rate: N/A
[] Federal Funds Rate	Interest Reset Date(s):
[] Treasury Rate	Interest Reset Period:
[] LIBOR Reuters	Interest Payment Date(s):
[] LIBOR Telerate	
[] Prime Rate	
[] CMT Rate	

Initial Interest Rate:

Interest Payment Period:

Index Maturity:

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Spread (plus or minus):

* On October 1, 2001 and at Maturity.

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