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Form SC 13D  
June 13, 2003

United States  
Securities and Exchange Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No. 1)

John Hancock Patriot Premium Dividend Fund I  
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock  
(Title of Class of Securities)

41013Q-10-1  
(CUSIP Number)

The Commerce Group, Inc.  
211 Main Street  
Webster, MA 01570  
(508) 943-9000  
(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person  
Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

June 3, 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(e), 13d-1(f) or 13d-1(g), check the following box:

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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

The Commerce Group Inc.  
ID# 04-2599931

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP

(a)

(b)

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. SOURCE OF FUNDS  [WC]

5. CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL  [ ]  
PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Massachusetts

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH

SOLE VOTING POWER	4,450,000
SHARED VOTING POWER	0
SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	4,450,000
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	0

11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

4,450,000

12. CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES  [ ]

13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)  
29.5%

14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON  
 [HC]

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ITEM 1. SECURITY AND ISSUER

This Schedule 13D relates to the shares of beneficial interest (the "Shares"), of John Hancock Patriot Premium Dividend Fund I (the "Fund"), a Massachusetts business trust registered as an investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "Investment Company Act"). The principal executive offices of the Fund are located at 101 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA, 02119-7603.

ITEM 2. IDENTITY AND BACKGROUND

(a) - (f) This Schedule 13D is being filed by The Commerce Group Inc. (the "Reporting Person"), a corporation formed under the laws of Massachusetts. The Reporting Person is a corporation whose principal offices are located at 211 Main Street Webster, MA 01570. No material changes have taken place with respect to director or officer information of the Reporting Person.

ITEM 3. SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDS OR OTHER CONSIDERATION

The source of the funds used by the Reporting Person to purchase Shares listed in Item 5(a) was working capital. The amount of the funds used to purchase such shares reported in Annex A aggregated approximately \$1,052,427.

ITEM 4. PURPOSE OF TRANSACTION

No material change has taken place since the previous filing.

ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

(a) The Fund's reports with the Securities and Exchange Commission report that 15,061,235 Shares are outstanding. Based upon such number, the Reporting Person beneficially owns 29.5% of the Fund's outstanding Shares.

(b) The Reporting Person is the beneficial owner (through its insurance subsidiaries as listed below) of 4,450,000 Shares, over which it has sole power of disposition and voting. Such number of Shares represents approximately 29.5% of the outstanding Shares.

	Shares	Cost
The Commerce Insurance Company	4,130,900	\$37,403,700
American Commerce Insurance Company	95,400	784,979
Commerce West Insurance Company	223,700	2,073,620

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Totals 4,450,000 \$40,262,299

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(c) During the period from December 2, 2000 through June 3, 2003, the Reporting Person has effected the following purchases and sales of Common Stock, all of which were made on the New York Stock Exchange (see attached Annex A). All transactions prior to December 2, 2000 were reported on previous Schedule 13 D filings

(d) No person other than the Reporting Person has the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, the shares of Common Stock owned by the Reporting Person.

(e) It is inapplicable to state the date on which the Reporting Person ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the Common Stock.

ITEM 6. CONTRACTS, ARRANGEMENTS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

The Reporting Person does not have any contract, arrangement, understanding or relationship (legal or otherwise) with any person with respect to any securities of the Fund, including, but not limited to, the transfer or voting of any such securities, finders' fees, joint ventures, loan or option arrangements, puts or calls, guarantees of profits, division of profits or loss, or the giving or withholding of proxies.

ITEM 7. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS

Annex A Item 5(c) Information

SIGNATURE

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.

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THE COMMERCE GROUP INC.

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Gerald Fels  
Executive Vice President &  
Chief Financial Officer

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ANNEX A  
Item 5 (c) - Information

PDF - JOHN HANCOCK PATRIOT PREMIUM DIVIDEND FUND I

FROM 12/01/00 - 6/03/03

COMMERCE INSURANCE COMPANY  
SALES

TRADE DATE	SETTLEMENT DATE	SHARES SOLD	SALE PRICE PER SHARE	CONSIDERATION
04/28/03	05/01/03	3,600	\$9.1325	\$ 32,731.46
04/30/03	05/05/03	5,800	9.0164	52,060.67
05/01/03	05/06/03	7,400	9.0151	66,412.61
05/02/03	05/07/03	5,500	8.9998	49,276.58
05/06/03	05/09/03	2,900	8.9030	25,701.49
05/06/03	05/09/03	6,500	8.9030	57,606.79
05/06/03	05/09/03	500	8.9030	4,431.29
05/07/03	05/12/03	7,200	8.8997	63,786.84
05/08/03	05/13/03	2,100	8.9062	\$ 18,618.14
COMMERCE SALE TOTALS:		41,500		\$370,625.87

COMMERCE INSURANCE COMPANY  
PURCHASES

TRADE DATE	SETTLEMENT DATE	SHARES PURCHASED	PRICE PER SHARE	ACQUISITION COST
12/15/00	12/20/00	29,900	\$8.2500	\$ 247,871.00
12/18/00	12/21/00	4,200	8.3125	35,080.50
12/20/00	12/26/00	1,600	8.6875	13,964.00
12/21/00	12/27/00	200	8.6875	1,745.50
12/26/00	12/29/00	9,800	8.6875	85,529.50
12/27/00	01/02/01	10,700	8.6250	92,715.50
12/28/00	01/03/01	6,000	8.6250	51,990.00
09/21/01	09/26/01	11,500	8.5000	98,210.00
10/22/01	10/25/01	1,500	9.4300	14,205.00
10/24/01	10/29/01	3,700	9.4800	35,224.00
10/25/01	10/30/01	8,800	9.5500	84,392.00

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TRADE DATE	SETTLEMENT DATE	SHARES PURCHASED	PRICE PER SHARE	ACQUISITION COST
12/12/01	12/17/01	21,200	9.4900	202,036.00
07/12/02	07/17/02	100	8.4000	844.00
07/16/02	07/19/02	10,500	8.4000	88,620.00
COMMERCE PURCHASE TOTALS:		119,700		\$1,052,427.00
NET COMMERCE SALE TOTAL:		(78,200)		(\$681,801.13)

AMERICAN COMMERCE INSURANCE CO  
SALES

TRADE DATE	SETTLEMENT DATE	SHARES SOLD	SALE PRICE PER SHARE	CONSIDERATION
04/21/03	04/24/03	4,500	\$9.0340	\$ 40,471.09
04/22/03	04/25/03	7,800	9.0003	69,887.05
04/23/03	04/28/03	2,900	8.8925	25,671.04
04/23/03	04/28/03	1,100	8.8925	9,737.29
04/29/03	05/02/03	300	9.0204	2,693.99
04/29/03	05/02/03	200	9.0204	1,796.00
04/29/03	05/02/03	3,200	9.0204	28,735.93
04/29/03	05/02/03	3,200	9.0204	28,735.93
05/08/03	05/13/03	2,300	8.9000	20,377.04
05/09/03	05/14/03	13,500	8.8882	119,445.08
05/12/03	05/15/03	16,900	8.8805	149,397.42
05/13/03	05/16/03	1,000	8.8700	8,829.58
05/14/03	05/19/03	3,300	8.8000	28,906.64
05/16/03	05/21/03	3,200	8.9003	28,351.62

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TRADE	SETTLEMENT	SHARES	SALE PRICE
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DATE	DATE	SOLD	PER SHARE	CONSIDERATION
05/19/03	05/22/03	6,600	\$8.7427	\$ 57,435.12
05/19/03	05/22/03	11,100	8.7427	96,595.43
05/19/03	05/22/03	9,500	8.7427	82,671.76
05/20/03	05/23/03	1,700	8.6658	14,663.17
05/20/03	05/23/03	4,100	8.6658	35,364.11
05/20/03	05/23/03	700	8.6658	6,037.78
05/22/03	05/28/03	4,300	8.7825	37,590.98
05/22/03	05/28/03	5,500	8.7825	48,081.49
05/22/03	05/28/03	4,400	8.7825	38,465.19
05/23/03	05/29/03	1,600	8.8455	14,088.14
05/23/03	05/29/03	2,200	8.8455	19,371.19
05/23/03	05/29/03	5,300	8.8455	46,666.95
05/27/03	05/30/03	8,200	9.0345	73,751.43
05/28/03	06/02/03	11,800	9.1383	107,354.89
05/29/03	06/03/03	14,600	9.2690	134,737.07
05/30/03	06/04/03	8,100	9.1986	74,181.17
06/02/03	06/05/03	7,400	9.1485	67,399.73
06/03/03	06/06/03	34,100	9.0438	\$ 307,015.15
AMERICAN COMMERCE SALE TOTALS:		204,600		\$1,824,506.45
NO PURCHASES DURING PERIOD				
NET CONSOLIDATED SALE TOTAL:		126,400		\$1,142,705.32