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February 12, 2014

Mr. Brad Skinner  
United States Securities and Exchange Commission  
100 F Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20549

**Re: The Hain Celestial Group, Inc.**  
**Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2013**  
**Filed August 29, 2013**  
**File No. 0000-22818**

Dear Mr. Skinner:

In your letter dated January 30, 2014 (the "[Staff Comment Letter](#)"), you requested that we respond to your comments regarding our Form 10-K for Fiscal Year ended June 30, 2013 within ten business days or advise you when we would provide a response.

During our telephone conversation with Joseph Klinko on February 12, 2014, we advised him that due to timing constraints on our internal finance and legal personnel, we would like to request an extension of time to provide a response. Accordingly, we respectfully request an extension until Friday, March 7, 2014 to file our response to the Staff Comment Letter.

Thank you for your consideration of our request for an extension. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (516) 587-5010.

Very truly yours,  
The Hain Celestial Group, Inc.

/s/ Denise M. Faltischek

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Denise M. Faltischek  
Executive Vice President and General Counsel,  
Chief Compliance Officer

cc: Joseph Klinko, Securities and Exchange Commission

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