

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
September 4, 2002

THE HAIN CELESTIAL GROUP, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	0-22818 (Commission File Number)	22-3240619 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
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58 South Service Road Melville, New York	11747
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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (631) 730-2200

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Item 5. Other Events

In a presentation to investors on September 4, 2002, The Hain Celestial Group, Inc. (the "Company") reaffirmed its full year guidance for earnings of \$0.78-0.84 per share and revenues of \$450-\$470 million in fiscal 2003. In addition, the Company detailed its expectations by quarter for earnings and revenues as follows:

Fiscal Quarter Ending	Earnings per Share	Revenues
September 30, 2002	\$0.14-0.17	\$103-108 million
December 31, 2002	\$0.27-0.28	\$125-130 million
March 31, 2003	\$0.22-0.23	\$117-122 million
June 30, 2003	\$0.15-0.16	\$105-110 million

A copy of the press release issued by the Company on September 4, 2002 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release dated September 4, 2002

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

THE HAIN CELESTIAL GROUP, INC.

Dated: September 4, 2002

By: /s/ Ira J. Lamel

Name: Ira J. Lamel
Title: Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

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THE HAIN CELESTIAL GROUP PROVIDES FURTHER DETAILS ON FISCAL YEAR 2003 GUIDANCE

MELVILLE, NY, September 4, 2002 - In a presentation to investors today, The Hain Celestial Group (NASDAQ:HAIN), the leading natural and organic food company, reaffirmed its full year guidance for earnings of \$0.78-0.84 per share and revenues of \$450-\$470 million in fiscal 2003. In addition, the Company detailed its expectations by quarter for earnings and revenues as follows:

Fiscal Year 2003	Earnings per Share	Revenues
Q1	\$0.14-0.17	\$103-108 million
Q2	\$0.27-0.28	\$125-130 million
Q3	\$0.22-0.23	\$117-122 million
Q4	\$0.15-0.16	\$105-110 million

About The Hain Celestial Group

The Hain Celestial Group, headquartered in Melville, NY, is a natural, specialty and snack food company. The Company is a leader in 13 of the top 15 natural food categories, with such well-known natural food brands as Celestial Seasonings(R) teas, Hain Pure Foods(R), Westbrae(R), Westsoy(R), Arrowhead Mills(R), Health Valley(R), Breadshop's(R), Casbah(R), Garden of Eatin(R), Terra Chips(R), Yves Veggie Cuisine(R), The Good Dog(R), The Good Slice(R), DeBoles(R), Earth's Best(R), Nile Spice, and Lima & Biomarche(R) in Europe. The Company's principal specialty product lines include Hollywood(R) cooking oils, Estee(R) sugar-free products, Kineret(R) kosher foods, Boston Better Snacks(R), and Alba Foods(R). The Hain Celestial Group's website can be found at www.hain-celestial.com.

Statements made in this Press Release that are estimates of past or future performance are based on a number of factors, some of which are outside of the Company's control. Statements made in this Press Release that state the intentions, beliefs, expectations or predictions of The Hain Celestial Group and its management for the future are forward-looking statements. It is important to note that actual results could differ materially from those projected in such forward-looking statements. Information concerning factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those in forward-looking statements is contained from time to time in filings of The Hain Celestial Group with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. Copies of these filings may be obtained by contacting The Hain Celestial Group or the SEC.