FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* SIMON IRWIN D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HAIN CELESTIAL GROUP INC [HAIN]							(Chec	S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify)						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O HAIN CELESTIAL GROUP INC. 58 SOUTH SERVICE ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2008								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Pres., CEO & Chairman of Bd						
(Street) MELVIL	LE N	ΙΥ	11747		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/					Month/Day/Y	⁄ear)		Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. T Dat				Deriva 2. Transac Date Month/Da	Saction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		(A) or	5. Amount of		Form: Direct		7. Nature of Indirect					
			iwonande	(Month/Day/Year)		Code (1	v	Amount	unt (A) or Pri				(I) (Insi	tr. 4)	Ownership Instr. 4)				
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date Ex (Month/Day/Year) if	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	Transaction [Code (Instr. S		Derivative		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following		10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)					
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$26.63	02/27/2008		D			600,000	07/31/2	:000	07/31/2010	Common Stock	600,000	\$0	0) D				
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$21.4	02/27/2008		D			300,000	07/11/2	001	07/11/2011	Common Stock	300,000	\$0	0		D			
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$36.8	02/27/2008		A		600,000		07/31/2	2000	07/31/2010	Common Stock	600,000	\$0	600,00	00	D			
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$25.51	02/27/2008		A		300,000		07/11/2	:001	07/11/2011	Common Stock	300,000	\$0	300,00	00	D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The reporting person agreed to an amendment to the exercise price of the outstanding option to reflect a higher exercise price, in connection with the completion of a review of the issuer's stock option practices by certain independant directors of the issuer.

Irwin D. Simon

02/28/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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