

COCA COLA BOTTLING CO CONSOLIDATED /DE/

Form 8-K

July 25, 2003

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):

July 23, 2003

COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO. CONSOLIDATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

0-9286

56-0950585

(State or other jurisdiction

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

of incorporation)

4100 Coca-Cola Plaza, Charlotte, North Carolina 28211

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(704) 557-4400

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.

- (a) Financial Statements. Not applicable.
- (b) Pro Forma Financial Information. Not applicable.
- (c) Exhibits. The following exhibit is filed herewith:

99.1 Press release issued on July 23, 2003.

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

The following information is being furnished pursuant to Item 12 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

The Registrant issued a press release on July 23, 2003 covering the results of the second quarter of 2003.

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 thereunto duly authorized:

COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO. CONSOLIDATED

(REGISTRANT)

Date: July 25, 2003

BY:

/s/ David V. Singer

David V. Singer

Principal Financial Officer of the Registrant

and

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBITS

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