HAUSER INC Form 8-K September 23, 2004

UNITED STATES

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 16, 2004

HAUSER, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	0-17174	84-0926801
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

c/o Hauser, Inc. 10990 Wilshire Blvd. 16th Floor Los Angeles, CA (Address of principal executive offices)

_____ Zip Code

90024

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(310) 456-9395

Registrant's Former Address:

840 Apollo Street, Suite 209 El Segundo, California 90245

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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 $|_|$ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On September 16, 2004, Hauser, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), and its wholly owned subsidiaries filed the monthly operating report for the month ended August 31, 2004 with the Office of the United States Trustee (the "Trustee") pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2015 and the Trustee's Financial Reporting Requirements for Chapter 11 Cases (the "August Trustee's Report"). Pursuant to Rule 202 of Regulation S-T and the Company's continuing hardship exemption, the Company has manually filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission a copy of the August Trustee's Report under cover of Form SE.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

99.1 Monthly Operating Report for the month ended August 31, 2004, filed pursuant to Rule 202 of Regulation S-T and a continuing hardship exemption dated May 24, 2004.

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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.

HAUSER, INC.

Dated: September 21, 2004

By: /s/ Kenneth C. Cleveland _____ Name: Kenneth C. Cleveland Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

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Exhibit No. Description _____

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