CALAVO GROWERS INC Form 8-K July 23, 2002

> SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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, 2002

CALAVO GROWERS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (949) 223-1111

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed since Last Report)

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

On July 19, 2002, we announced that Nasdaq had approved the Company's application for listing its common stock on the Nasdaq National Market. Accordingly, shares of Calavo common stock commenced trading on the Nasdaq National Market on July 22, 2002 under the symbol CVGW.

ITEM 7. EXHIBITS

- (a) Not Applicable.
- (b) Not Applicable.
- (c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated July 19, 2002, of the Registrant.

ITEM 9. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On March 5, 2002, Calavo Growers, Inc. issued a press release, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

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SIGNATURE

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.

Calavo Growers, Inc.,

July 23, 2002

By:/s/ LECIL E. COLE

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Lecil E. Cole Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chief Executive Officer and President (Principal Executive Officer)

/s/ WOLFGANG P. HOMBRECHER

Wolfgang P. Hombrecher Vice President Finance and Corporate Secretary (Principal Financial Officer)

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