ACUITY BRANDS INC Form 8-K June 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) _____ June 24, 2003

ACUITY BRANDS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	001-16583	No. 58-2632672
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
1170 Peachtree Street, N.E.		
Suite 2400, Atlanta, GA		30309
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone	number, including area cod <u>e</u>	(404) 853-1400
	None	

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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(a)	Financial Statements of	of Businesses Acquired.
None	e.	
(b)	Pro Forma Financial I	nformation.
None	e.	
(c)	Exhibits.	
The following exhibit is filed herewith:		
EXH	IBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION
	99.1	Press Release, issued by Registrant on June 24, 2003.

ITEM 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

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ITEM 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

Attached hereto is a press release issued by Acuity Brands, Inc. (the Registrant) on June 24, 2003. A copy of the press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

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.

Date: June 25, 2003

ACUITY BRANDS, INC.

BY: /S/ VERNON J. NAGEL

Vernon J. Nagel

Executive Vice President

and Chief Financial Officer