

CALAVO GROWERS INC  
Form 8-K/A  
January 10, 2012

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K/A**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE**  
**SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): May 25, 2011**

**CALAVO GROWERS, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**California**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
  
Incorporation)

**000-33385**  
(Commission  
  
File Number)

**33-0945304**  
(IRS Employer  
  
Identification No.)

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**1141-A Cummings Road, Santa Paula, California 93060**  
**(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)**  
**(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (805) 525-1245**

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

**Explanatory Note**

This Amendment No. 1 amends the Current Report on Form 8-K of Calavo Growers, Inc. filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on June 1, 2011 (the Report ). The Report included the Agreement and Plan of Merger (the Acquisition Agreement ), dated May 25, 2011, among Calavo Growers, Inc., CG Mergersub LLC, Renaissance Food Group, LLC and Liberty Fresh Foods, LLC, Kenneth Catchot, Cut Fruit, LLC, James Catchot, James Gibson, Jose O. Castillo, Donald L. Johnson and RFG Nominee Trust. Portions of the filed Acquisition Agreement were omitted based upon a request for confidential treatment filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The application for confidential treatment has been amended, and the attached Acquisition Agreement has been redacted to be consistent with the amended confidential treatment request. The information previously reported in the Report is incorporated by reference into this amendment.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

2.1 Agreement and Plan of Merger dated May 25, 2011 among Calavo Growers, Inc., CG Mergersub LLC, Renaissance Food Group, LLC and Liberty Fresh Foods, LLC, Kenneth Catchot, Cut Fruit, LLC, James Catchot, James Gibson, Jose O. Castillo, Donald L. Johnson and RFG Nominee Trust<sup>1</sup> (Certain portions of the exhibit have been omitted based upon a request for confidential treatment filed by the Registrant with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The omitted portions of the exhibit have been separately filed by the Registrant with the Securities and Exchange Commission.)

1 Exhibits and schedules to this exhibit have been omitted pursuant to Item 601(b)(2) of Regulation S-K. Calavo will furnish copies of the omitted exhibits and schedules to the Securities and Exchange Commission upon its request.

**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.

January 10, 2012

Calavo Growers, Inc.

By: /s/ Lecil E. Cole  
Lecil E. Cole  
Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chief Executive Officer and

President  
(Principal Executive Officer)