

CAMPBELL SOUP CO  
Form 8-K  
September 24, 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 23, 2004**

**New Jersey  
State of  
Incorporation**

**Commission File  
Number  
1-3822**

**21-0419870  
I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.**

**One Campbell Place  
Camden, New Jersey 08103-1799  
Principal Executive Offices**

**Telephone Number: (856) 342-4800**

**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:**

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)**
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)**
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))**
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-(c))**
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.**

5.02(b) On September 23, 2004, Campbell Soup Company announced, among other things, that George M. Sherman, the Chairman of the company's Board of Directors, was retiring from the Board, effective November 18, 2004. Harvey Golub, a current member of the Board of Directors, was elected as Mr. Sherman's successor as Chairman, effective November 19, 2004.

**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.

**CAMPBELL SOUP COMPANY**  
(Registrant)

Date: September 23, 2004

By: /s/ Robert A. Schiffner  
Robert A. Schiffner  
Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer