

FARMER BROTHERS CO  
Form 8-K/A  
December 11, 2007

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K/A**

**CURRENT REPORT**

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **August 23, 2007**

**Farmer Bros. Co.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

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

**0-1375**  
(Commission File Number)

**95-0725980**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**20333 South Normandie Avenue, Torrance, California**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**90502**  
(Zip Code)

**(310) 787-5200**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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**Not Applicable**

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

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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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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

Farmer Bros. Co., a Delaware corporation (the Company), is filing this Current Report on Form 8-K/A to amend Item 5.02 initially filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on a Current Report on Form 8-K on August 29, 2007 (the Form 8-K).

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

(c) Appointment of New Chief Executive Officer

In connection with the promotion of Roger M. Lavery III to Chief Executive Officer of the Company, the Company and Mr. Lavery entered into Amendment No. 1 to Employment Agreement ( Amendment No. 1 ) effective at the commencement of the Company's 2007 Annual Meeting of Stockholders held on December 6, 2007. A copy of Amendment No. 1 is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

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

(d) Exhibits.

10.1 Amendment No. 1 to Employment Agreement between Farmer Bros. Co. and Roger M. Lavery III

**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.

Dated: December 10, 2007

FARMER BROS. CO.

By: /S/ JOHN E. SIMMONS  
Name: John E. Simmons  
Title: Treasurer, Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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