

HELEN OF TROY LTD

Form 8-K/A

July 29, 2004

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

**FORM 8-K/A**

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

**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 1, 2004**

**HELEN OF TROY LIMITED**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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

**001-14669**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**74-2692550**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**Clarendon House  
Church Street  
Hamilton, Bermuda**  
(Business Address of Registrant)

**One Helen of Troy Plaza  
El Paso, Texas 79912**  
(United States Mailing Address of Registrant)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(915) 225-8000**

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Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP

Historical Financial Statements for OXO International

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On June 3, 2004, the Registrant filed a current report on Form 8-K announcing that, indirectly through certain of its subsidiaries, it had completed the acquisition of certain assets and liabilities of OXO International from World Kitchen (GHC), LLC, WKI Holding Company, Inc. and World Kitchen, Inc. (collectively, WKI ) for approximately \$273.2 million plus the assumption of certain liabilities. This Amendment on Form 8-K/A is being filed to revise Item 7 in the Registrant's Form 8-K originally filed on June 3, 2004 to include the historical and pro forma financial information required by paragraphs (a) and (b) of Item 7 which were omitted from the report as initially filed in accordance with paragraph (a) (4) of Item 7 in the general instructions to Form 8-K. Because OXO International was not a separate legal entity, nor operated as a separate business of WKI, the information provided below in item 7(a) is a presentation of audited statements of net assets acquired and of revenues and direct expenses, instead of full financial statements as required by Rule 3-05 of Regulation S-X. The Company requested that the Securities and Exchange Commission confirm the proposed information and presentation would satisfy the requirements of Item 7(a) of Form 8-K. The Securities and Exchange Commission stated that they would not object to such presentation.

**Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits**

(a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired:

The following unaudited and audited financial statements and notes thereto of OXO International ( OXO ) are filed with this report as Exhibit 99.2:

Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm;

Statements of Revenues and Direct Expenses for the Quarters Ended March 28, 2004 (unaudited) and March 30, 2003 (unaudited) and for the Years Ended December 31, 2003, 2002 and 2001;

Statements of Net Assets To Be Acquired as of March 28, 2004 (unaudited), December 31, 2003 and 2002; and

Notes to the Statements of Revenues and Direct Expenses and Statements of Net Assets to Be Acquired

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information:

The following unaudited pro forma combined financial information of Helen of Troy Limited is filed with this report as Exhibit 99.3:

Basis of Presentation

Pro Forma Combined Condensed Balance Sheet as of May 31, 2004;

Pro forma Combined Condensed Statements of Income for the Quarter Ended May 31, 2004 and the Year Ended February 29, 2004; and

Notes to Pro Forma Combined Condensed Financial Statements

(c) Exhibits:

**Exhibit  
Number**

**Description**

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23.1	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP
99.2	Historical Financial Statements for OXO International
99.3	Pro Forma Combined Financial Information for Helen of Troy Limited

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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.

**HELEN OF TROY LIMITED**

Date: July 29, 2004

By: /s/ Thomas J. Benson  
Thomas J. Benson  
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial  
Officer