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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): August 1, 2001

SYSCO CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-06544 (Commission File Number) 74-1648137 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1390 Enclave Parkway, Houston, Texas 77077-2099 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(281) 584-1390 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

Item 5. Other Events.

On August 1, 2001, Sysco Corporation ("SYSCO") issued two press releases announcing its results of operations for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2001 and expectations with respect to earnings per share for the first quarter of fiscal 2002. SYSCO hereby incorporates by reference herein the information set forth in its Press Releases dated August 1, 2001, copies of which are attached hereto as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2.

Except for the historical information contained in this report, the statements made by SYSCO are forward looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. All such statements are subject to the safe harbor created by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. SYSCO's future financial performance could differ significantly from the expectations of management and from results expressed or implied in the Press Releases. For further information on other risk factors, please refer to the "Risk Factors" contained in SYSCO's

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Annual Report on Form 10-K, as amended by Form 10-K/A, for the fiscal year ended July 1, 2000 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements.

Not applicable.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

Not applicable.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description						
99.1	Press Release dated August 1, 20	01					
99.2	Press Release dated August 1, 20	01					

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, SYSCO has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

SYSCO CORPORATION

Date: August 1, 2001 By: /s/ John K. Stubblefield, Jr.

Name: John K. Stubblefield, Jr.
Title: Executive Vice President,
Finance and Administration

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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99.1	Press	Release	dated	August	1,	2001	
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