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

July 19, 2001

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

PepsiCo, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

North Carolina

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-1183 (Commission File Number)

13-1584302 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

700 Anderson Hill Road, Purchase, New York 10577

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (914) 253-2000

Item 5. Other Information

The information in Exhibit 99.1 is incorporated herein by reference.

- Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.
 - (c) Exhibits
 - 99.1 Press Release issued by PepsiCo, Inc. dated July 19, 2001.

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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.

Date: July 19, 2001 PepsiCo, Inc.

By:

/S/ LAWRENCE F. DICKIE

Lawrence F. Dickie Vice President,

Associate General Counsel and Assistant Secretary

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PEPSICO Q2 EPS INCREASES 14%

COMPANY MARKS 7TH CONSECUTIVE QUARTER OF DOUBLE-DIGIT EARNINGS GROWTH

- Every division reports healthy volume gains
- Net income advances 16% to \$652 million
- EPS increases 14% to 44¢ per share
- Core business is strong despite Quaker integration planning

Purchase, New York (July 19, 2001) -- PepsiCo today reported another consecutive quarter of double-digit earnings growth, with earnings per share increasing 14% to \$0.44 for the second quarter of 2001.

Momentum in PepsiCo's base business continued to be strong, with every division reporting healthy volume gains. Net sales rose 7%, despite a one percentage point reduction as a result of the strong dollar. Division operating profits increased 12% for the quarter to \$986 million, while net income grew a robust 16% to \$652 million.

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Steve Reinemund said: "We are pleased with our performance this quarter. We believe our strategies are on target and we are clearly focused on execution in the marketplace. Our results were fueled by innovative new products such as Mountain Dew Code Red and Lay's Bistro, a new gourmet potato chip. Looking ahead, we expect to continue to drive growth with strong retail execution behind our product innovation agenda and exciting promotional news."

Reinemund added, "We are pleased that we achieved our seventh consecutive quarter of double digit earnings growth, reflecting our commitment to consistent financial performance. Our people have done a great job in maintaining momentum in our core business as we plan for the integration of Quaker."

The merger of PepsiCo with The Quaker Oats Company has been approved by the shareholders of both companies, as well as by antitrust authorities outside the United States. The transaction remains subject to approval by the Federal Trade Commission.

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Frito-Lay North America (FLNA)

(in millions)

	Twelve Weeks			Twenty-four Week		
	2001	2000	% Chng	2001	2000	% Chng
Net Sales	\$2,132	\$2,011	+6%	\$4,078	\$3,854	+6%
Operating Profit	\$ 477	\$ 433	+10%	\$ 894	\$ 812	+10%

FLNA delivered another excellent performance this quarter, reporting its tenth consecutive quarter of double-digit operating profit growth. Volume increased 3%, driven by Lay's (including incremental growth from the new Lay's Bistro gourmet potato chips), as well as Cheetos and Fritos. For its 14th consecutive quarter, FLNA gained market share in the U.S. salty snack market, as measured by IRI. FLNA's market share improved by one full point and was above 60%, as of the most recent measurement period.

The healthy volume growth and higher effective net pricing were the key drivers of FLNA's excellent revenue and operating profit results. Operating profits also benefited from decreases in the costs of key commodities such as potatoes, oil and packaging, which more than offset higher energy costs.

In the third quarter FLNA has an array of exciting news scheduled. For example, the new Tostitos "Scoops" are just beginning to be shipped and are available in about 50% of the country. The successful promotion tied to the new movie "Atlantis" is in stores now, and college football and back-to-school promotions begin at the end of the quarter.

Frito-Lay International (FLI) (in millions)

	Twelve Weeks			Twenty-four Week		
	2001	2000	% Chng	2001	2000	% Chng
Net Sales	\$1,071	\$1,025	+5%	\$2,051	\$1,943	+6%
Operating Profit	\$ 134	\$ 115	+16%	\$ 267	\$ 214	+25%

Frito-Lay's international snack operations also performed well, with total kilo volume up 7%, based on salty kilo growth of 7% and sweet kilo growth of 5%. In Europe, every market turned in outstanding volume gains, again driven by Pokemon promotions. Successful promotions, as well as new products such as Walker's "Squares" and "Hint of Garlic" potato chips, drove solid volume growth in the U.K., while the value strategy in Brazil yielded strong volume gains there. Volume at Sabritas declined, reflecting a difficult comparison with last year when volume surged almost 30%.

FLI's net sales growth of 5%, driven about equally by pricing and volume, would have been 8% but for the adverse impact of foreign currency exchange rates. Operating profits increased 16%, driven principally by pricing and mix.

For the balance of the year FLI also expects to benefit from product and promotional news. Third quarter promotions include the continuation of Pokemon in Europe and several other promotion events and in-the-bag offers in Latin America.

Pepsi-Cola North America (PCNA) (in millions)

	Twelve Weeks			Twer	nty-four	Weeks
	2001	2000	% Chng	2001	2000	% Chng
Net Sales	\$962	\$798	+20%	\$1,733	\$1,437	+21%
Operating Profit	\$249	\$224	+11%	\$ 431	\$ 382	+13%

PCNA's strong performance was principally driven by its non-carbonated beverage portfolio and by new products. Bottler case sales (BCS) grew 3%, while concentrate shipments and equivalents (CSE) increased 6%. The volume growth was driven primarily by:

- The acquisition of SoBe brand beverages (which added about 1 point of growth to BCS and CSE);
- The successful introduction of Code Red, the new flavor of Mountain Dew;
- Continued gains from products introduced at the end of last year, such as the popular single-serve Dole juices and juice
 drinks, and Sierra Mist, which has proved a successful entry into the lemon-lime category; and
- Continued strong double-digit growth of Aquafina, the number one single-serve bottled water brand in the country.

PCNA's 20% net sales growth reflects the volume gains--particularly of the new, full-revenue SoBe and Dole products--as well as higher concentrate pricing. Operating profit growth of 11% also reflected the volume and pricing gains, net of the higher costs associated with the full revenue products.

In the third quarter PCNA expects new products to continue to drive growth, aided by the regional-roll out of Pepsi Lemon Twist, which is sold in both regular and diet versions. The Pepsi Challenge is appearing in high traffic sites and this summer the Challenge is linked with Major League Baseball, including the successful All Star game. As the quarter ends, Mountain Dew will be featured in a back-to-school promotion.

Pepsi-Cola International (PCI)

(in millions)

	Twelve Weeks			Twen	ty-four	Weeks
	2001	2000	% Chng	2001	2000	% Chng
Net Sales	\$532	\$541	- 2%	\$807	\$800	+1%
Operating Profit	\$ 73	\$ 61	+21%	\$ 98	\$ 82	+21%

PCI posted a solid performance in the second quarter with bottler case sales growing 4%. While ahead year-to-date, net sales decreased this quarter, reflecting a 4 percentage point impact from adverse foreign currency exchange rates. Operating profits grew 21%, driven by scale improvements in key countries. The impact of unfavorable foreign currency exchange rates was partially offset by gains from the sale of land associated with the Japanese concentrate plant, which was closed last year.

Tropicana

(in millions)

	Twelve Weeks			Twe	nty-foui	r Weeks
	2001	2000	% Chng	2001	2000	% Chng
Net Sales	\$584	\$553	+6%	\$1,151	\$1,085	+6%
Operating Profit	\$ 53	\$ 51	+5%	\$ 113	\$ 111	+2%

The Tropicana growth story continued in the second quarter with equivalent case volume up a solid 7%. The gains were led by consistently strong growth in Tropicana Pure Premium nutritionals as well as in Twister, Tropicana's ambient juice drink.

Tropicana continued to gain market share across all regions, even amid continued competitive activity that stepped up in the third quarter of last year. Year-to-date, Tropicana's market share of the refrigerated juice category rose 1.3 points to 26.4%, as measured by IRI.

Tropicana's operating profits grew 5%, reflecting the volume gains, net of the adverse impact of higher energy costs and lower fruit yields, which collectively reduced operating profits by more than 10 percentage points.

In the third quarter, Tropicana expects to benefit from the introduction of Low Acid Orange Juice. Acidity is the number one barrier to orange juice consumption and this new product has received very strong consumer scores. Because Low Acid Orange Juice appeals to adults and kids who may not otherwise drink orange juice, Tropicana expects sales of the product to be incremental.

Corporate

Corporate Unallocated Expense. Corporate unallocated expense increased slightly in the second quarter.

Equity Income. Equity income from bottling interests grew 16%, principally driven by the continuing outstanding performance delivered by The Pepsi Bottling Group. Impairment charges relating to bottling equity investments, principally our bottling investment in Turkey, exceeded the gain from the sale of PBG stock.

<u>Net Interest</u>. Net interest expense for the quarter declined 21% from the prior year to \$27 million, reflecting significantly lower average debt levels, higher investment balances, and the reclassification last quarter of the contracts used to hedge a portion of the Company's deferred compensation liability.

<u>Shares Outstanding.</u> The weighted average diluted number of shares outstanding during the quarter increased to 1.491 billion. In April, 2001, the Company issued 13.2 million shares in order for the transaction with The Quaker Oats Company to satisfy "pooling-of-interests" accounting requirements.

<u>Cash EPS</u>. Cash earnings per share, computed using net income before amortization of intangibles and shares outstanding assuming dilution, grew 14% in the second quarter to \$0.46, compared to \$0.41 in the year-earlier quarter.

Quaker. The Company continues to have active and productive conversations with the FTC regarding its proposed merger with The Quaker Oats Company. On the conference call scheduled for later this morning, the Company will not give any additional guidance as to the timing of the transaction or the status of the conversations with the FTC.

Conference Call

At 11:00 a.m. (Eastern time) today, management will host a conference call with investors to discuss second quarter results. For details, visit our site on the internet at www.pepsico.com.

Cautionary Statement

This release may discuss expectations regarding PepsiCo's future performance. Any forward-looking statements based on current expectations and projections about future events are subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions. As a result, forward-looking statements discussed in this release could turn out to be significantly different from expectations or may not occur.

PepsiCo, Inc. and SubsidiariesConsolidated Statement of Income (\$ in millions except per share amounts, unaudited)

	12 Weeks	Ended	24 Weeks	
	6/16/01	6/10/00		
Net Sales	\$5,281	\$4,928	\$9,820	\$9,119
Cost and Expenses Cost of sales Selling, general and	2,031	1,891	3,822	3,568
administrative expenses Amortization	2,305	2,196	4,277	4,023
of intangible assets	36	32	71	64
Operating Profit	909	809	1,650	1,464
Bottling equity income, net. Interest expense Interest income	(38)	54 (56) 21	68 (81) 30	59 (103) 28
Income Before Income Taxes	. 945	828	1,667	1,448
Provision for Income Taxes	. 293	265 	517 	463
Net Income	\$ 652 ======	\$ 563 =======	\$1,150 ======	\$ 985 ======
Net Income Per Share-Basic.	\$ 0.45	\$ 0.39	\$ 0.79	\$ 0.68
Average Shares Outstanding - Basic	1,462	1,443	1,455	1,446
Net Income Per Share - Assum Dilution		\$ 0.38	\$ 0.77	\$ 0.67
Average Shares Outstanding Assuming Dilution	- 1,491	1,468	1,486	1,470

Percentage changes in text are based on unrounded amounts.

		eks Ended	24 Weeks Ended		
	6/16/01		6/16/01	6/10/00	
Net Sales					
Frito-LayNorth AmericaInternational		\$2,011 1,025	\$4,078 2,051	\$3,854 1,943	
	3,203		6,129	5,797	
Pepsi-Cola North America International	962 532	798 541	1,733 807	1,437 800	
	1,494	1,339	2,540	2,237	
Tropicana	584 	553 	1,151 	1,085 	
Total Net Sales	\$5,281 ======	\$4,928 ======		\$9,119 =======	
Operating Profit					
Frito-Lay North America International	134	\$ 433 115	\$ 894 267	\$ 812 214	
611 548		, 161	1,026		
Pepsi-Cola North America International		224 61	431 98	382 82	
	322	285	529	464	
Tropicana	53 	51 	113 	111 	
Combined Segments	986	884	1,803	1,601	
Corporate Unallocated	d (77)	(75) 	(153)	(137)	
Total Operating Prof	it.\$909 ======	\$809 ======	\$1,650 ======	\$1,464 ======	

Percentage changes in text are based on unrounded amounts.

PepsiCo, Inc. and Subsidiaries Condensed Consolidated Statement Of Cash Flows (in millions, unaudited)

	24 Weeks Ended		
	6/16/01	6/10/00	
Cash Flows - Operating Activities Net income Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 1,150	\$985	
Bottling equity income, net Depreciation and amortization Deferred income taxes Other noncash charges and credits, net Net change in operating working capital	(68) 425 (3) 65 (997)	(59) 418 79 118 (445)	
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	572 	1,096	
Cash Flows - Investing Activities Capital spending Acquisitions and investments in unconsolidated	(399)	(376)	

affiliatesSales of PP&EShort-term investmentsOther, net	(415) 41 (547) 196	
Net Cash Used for Investing Activities	(1,124)	
Cash Flows - Financing Activities Proceeds from issuances of long-term debt Payments of long-term debt Short-term borrowings Cash dividends paid Share repurchases Proceeds from issuance of shares in connection with proposed Quaker merger Proceeds from exercises of stock options Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Financing Activities.	11 (243) (13) (405) - 524 160	`559 [°] (391) (814) - 251
Effect of Exchange Rate Changes on Cash and Cash Equivalents		(3)
Net Decrease in Cash and Cash Equivalents Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of year	(520) 864	
Cash and Cash Equivalents - End of period	\$ 344 ======	\$528 ======

PepsiCo, Inc. and Subsidiaries Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet (in millions)

	(Unaudited) 6/16/01	12/30/00
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 344	\$ 864
Short-term investments, at cost	1,013	466
Other current assets	4,067	3,274
Total Current Assets	5,424	4,604
Property, plant and equipment, net.	5,550	5,438
Intangible assets, net	4,778	4,485
Investments in unconsolidated affiliates	2,869	2,978
Other assets	882	834
Total Assets	\$19,503	\$18,339
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	======	======
Short-term borrowings	\$ 198	\$ 72
Current liabilities	3,787	3,863
Long-term debt	1,933	2,346
Other liabilities		
Deferred income taxes	1,344	1,361
Total Liabilities	10,865	11,090
Shareholders' Equity	8,638 	7,249

Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity

\$19,503 ====== \$18,339