

FLOWERS FOODS INC  
Form 8-K  
October 02, 2007

**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): October 2, 2007 (October 1, 2007)**

**FLOWERS FOODS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Georgia

1-16247

58-2582379

(State or other  
jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

1919 Flowers Circle, Thomasville, GA

31757

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(229) 226-9110

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - 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-4(c))
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**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On October 1, 2007, Flowers Foods, Inc. (the company ) issued a press release announcing the appointment of Karyl H. Lauder as vice president and chief accounting officer. Lauder, age 51, joined the company in 1978. During her career with the company she has served as controller for the company s New Orleans, Baton Rouge and Opelika bakeries, regional controller, assistant controller, and controller for the company s Bakeries Group. Since 2003, she has served as vice president and operations controller. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are furnished as part of this Report:

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release of Flowers Foods, Inc. dated October 1, 2007

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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.

**FLOWERS FOODS, INC.**

By: /s/ Stephen R. Avera

Name: Stephen R. Avera

Title: Sr. Vice-President, Secretary &  
General Counsel

Date: October 2, 2007

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