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UNITED STATES 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): September 16, 2002

THE SEIBELS BRUCE GROUP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

South Carolina

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 1501 Lady Street (Post Office Box 1)

Columbia, South Carolina (Address of principal executive offices)

0-8804

(Commission File Number)

57-0672136

(IRS Employer Identification Number) 29201 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (803) 748-2000

Not applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

On September 16, 2002, The Seibels Bruce Group, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that it received notification from Demotech, Inc. that the Financial Stability Rating® for Consolidated American Insurance Company and South Carolina Insurance Company had been suspended. A copy of the Company's press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(a)

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99	Ţ	Press Release dated September 16, 2002
Exhibit No.		Description
T	the following exhibit is filed herewith and made a part hereof.	
(c)	Exhibits.	
(b)	Not applicable.	
	Not applicable.	

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 thereunto duly authorized.

THE SEIBELS BRUCE GROUP, INC.

Date: September 16, 2002 By: /s/ MATTHEW P. MCCLURE

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