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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 or 15d-16 OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For October 04, 2006

BUNZL PLC
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

ENGLAND
(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organisation)

110 Park Street, London W1K 6NX
(Address of principal executive offices)

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.)

Yes No ..X..

(If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):)

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Description

1. Press release dated October 04, 2006 - Acquisition

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BUNZL MAKES FURTHER ACQUISITION IN THE US

Bunzl plc, the distribution and outsourcing Group, today announces that it has acquired Cole Harford Holding Company from David Fisher and Larry Hoover.

Cole Harford is principally engaged in the supply of foodservice and jan/san disposable products through redistributors. Based in Kansas City with four distribution centres in Dallas, Denver, Phoenix and Columbia, Missouri, revenue in 2005 was \$63.5 million. Gross assets acquired are estimated to be \$8.4 million.

Commenting on the acquisition, Michael Roney, Chief Executive of Bunzl, said:

"Cole Harford is the fourth acquisition in North America to be announced this year and is in line with our strategy to grow in redistribution. It will further strengthen our business in the foodservice and jan/san sectors in the central region of the US."

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

BUNZL PLC

Date: October 04, 2006

By:___/s/ Michael Roney__

Title: Chief Executive Officer