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contain an adverse opinion or disclaimer of opinion, nor were such reports qualified or modified as to uncertainty, audit scope or accounting principle.

In connection with its audits of the Plan's financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2001 and through October 13, 2003, there were no disagreements with PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP on any matter of accounting principles or practices, financial statement disclosure or auditing scope or procedure which disagreements if not resolved to the satisfaction of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP would have caused them to make reference thereto in their report on the Plan's financial statements as of and for the years ended December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2001.

During the years ended December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2001 and through October 13, 2003, there have been no reportable events (as defined in Regulation S-K Item 304(a)(1)(v)).

The Plan provided PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP a copy of this Form 8-K prior to its filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission. PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP has provided the Plan with a letter dated October 17, 2003, addressed to the Commission, stating whether or not it is in agreement with the statements contained herein. A copy of such letter is filed as Exhibit 16 hereto.

During the two most recent completed years ended December 31, 2001 and December 31, 2002 and the subsequent interim period through the date of this report, the Plan did not consult with KPMG LLP regarding the application of generally accepted accounting principles to a specific transaction, either proposed or completed, or the type of audit opinion that might be rendered on the Plan's financial statements, or any other matters or reportable events as set forth in Items 304(a)(2)(i) and (ii) of Regulation S-K.

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 16 Letter from PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP to the Securities and Exchange Commission dated October 17, 2003.

SIGNATURE

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.

H.B. FULLER COMPANY THRIFT PLAN

Date: October 17, 2003

By: /s/Larry S. Morgan

Larry S. Morgan
Director of Compensation, Benefits and HRMS
H.B. Fuller Company