

Welling Glenn W.  
Form 4  
March 07, 2019

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Welling Glenn W.

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
HAIN CELESTIAL GROUP INC  
[HAIN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/05/2017

☒ Director ☒ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

C/O ENGAGED CAPITAL,  
LLC, 610 NEWPORT CENTER  
DRIVE, SUITE 250

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☐ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☒ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> <u>(2)</u>	03/05/2019		P	951,932 A \$ 19.9669	1,073,073	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP <sup>(9)</sup>
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> <u>(2)</u>	03/06/2019		P	102,200 A \$ 20.755	1,175,273	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest

Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	03/06/2019	P	162,796	A	\$ 20.5175	1,338,069	I	VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u> By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	03/06/2019	P	253,500	A	\$ 20.7353	1,591,569	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	03/06/2019	P	184,233	A	\$ 20.5546	1,775,802	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	03/06/2019	P	520,250	A	\$ 20.2726	2,296,052	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	03/07/2019	P	200,000	A	\$ 21.0204	2,496,052	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	03/07/2019	P	568,175	A	\$ 21.5529	3,064,227	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	03/07/2019	P	6,800	A	\$ 21.2354	3,071,027	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	03/07/2019	P	930,482	A	\$ 21.2	4,001,509	I	By: Engaged Capital

Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	03/07/2019	P	94,543	A	\$ 21.2957	4,096,052	I	Co-Invest VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u> By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP <u>(9)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>						2,309,865	I	By: Engaged Capital Flagship Master Fund, LP <u>(3)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>						195,655	I	By: Managed Account of Engaged Capital, LLC <u>(8)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>						21,577	D	
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>						2,117,002	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI, LP <u>(4)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>						4,412,690	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A, LP <u>(5)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>						2,322,405	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-B, LP <u>(6)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>						1,407,543	I	By: Engaged Capital Co-Invest

VI-C, LP  
(7)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(9-02)**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

### Relationships

#### Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

Welling Glenn W.  
C/O ENGAGED CAPITAL, LLC  
610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 250  
NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

X                      X

Engaged Capital LLC  
610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE  
SUITE 250  
NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

X

Engaged Capital Holdings, LLC  
610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE  
SUITE 250  
NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

X

Engaged Capital Flagship Master Fund, LP  
CRICKET SQUARE, HUTCHINS DRIVE  
P.O. BOX 2681  
GRAND CAYMAN, E9 KY1-1111See  
Footnote 1

Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI, LP 610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 250 SUITE 250 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	See Footnote 1
Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A, LP 610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 250 SUITE 250 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	See Footnote 1
Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-B, LP 610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 250 SUITE 250 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	See Footnote 1
Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-C, LP 610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 250 SUITE 250 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	See Footnote 1
Engaged Capital Flagship Fund, L.P. 610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE SUITE 250 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	See Footnote 1
Engaged Capital Flagship Fund, Ltd. 610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE SUITE 250 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	See Footnote 1

## Signatures

/s/ Glenn W. Welling	03/07/2019
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Engaged Capital, LLC; By: /s/ Glenn W. Welling, Authorized Signatory	03/07/2019
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Engaged Capital Holdings, LLC; By: /s/ Glenn W. Welling, Authorized Signatory	03/07/2019
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Engaged Capital Flagship Master Fund, LP; By: Engaged Capital, LLC; By: /s/ Glenn W. Welling, Authorized Signatory	03/07/2019
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI, LP; By: Engaged Capital, LLC; By: /s/ Glenn W. Welling, Authorized Signatory	03/07/2019
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A, LP; By: Engaged Capital, LLC; By: /s/ Glenn W. Welling, Authorized Signatory	03/07/2019
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-B, LP; By: Engaged Capital, LLC; By: /s/ Glenn W. Welling,  
Authorized Signatory

03/07/2019

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-C, LP; By: Engaged Capital, LLC; By: /s/ Glenn W. Welling,  
Authorized Signatory

03/07/2019

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Engaged Capital Flagship Fund, LP; By: Engaged Capital, LLC; By: /s/ Glenn W. Welling,  
Authorized Signatory

03/07/2019

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Engaged Capital Flagship Fund, Ltd.; By: /s/ Glenn W. Welling, Director

03/07/2019

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) This Form 4 is filed jointly by Engaged Capital Flagship Master Fund, LP ("Engaged Capital Flagship Master"), Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI, LP ("Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI"), Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A, LP ("Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A"), Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-B, LP ("Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-B"), Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-C, LP ("Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-C"), Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, LP ("Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D"), Engaged Capital Flagship Fund, LP ("Engaged Capital Fund"), Engaged Capital Flagship Fund, Ltd. ("Engaged Capital Offshore"), Engaged Capital, LLC ("Engaged Capital"), Engaged Capital Holdings, LLC ("Engaged Holdings") and Glenn W. Welling (collectively, the "Reporting Persons").

To enable all of the Reporting Persons to gain access to the Securities and Exchange Commission's electronic filing system (which only accepts a maximum of 10 joint filers per report), this report is the first of two identical reports relating to the same transactions being filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Each of the Reporting Persons may be deemed to be a member of a Section 13(d) group (2) that collectively beneficially owns more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding shares of Common Stock. Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that any Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

Securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Flagship Master. As feeder funds of Engaged Capital Flagship Master, each of Engaged Capital Fund and Engaged Capital Offshore may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Flagship Master. As the general partner and investment adviser of Engaged Capital Flagship Master, Engaged Capital may be deemed to (3) beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Flagship Master. Engaged Holdings, as the managing member of Engaged Capital, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Flagship Master. Mr. Welling, by virtue of his position as the founder and Chief Investment Officer of Engaged Capital, and as the sole member of Engaged Holdings, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Flagship Master.

Securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI. As the general partner and investment adviser of Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI, Engaged Capital may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI. Engaged (4) Holdings, as the managing member of Engaged Capital, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI. Mr. Welling, by virtue of his position as the founder and Chief Investment Officer of Engaged Capital, and as the sole member of Engaged Holdings, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI.

Securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A. As the general partner and investment adviser of Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A, Engaged Capital may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A. Engaged Holdings, as the managing member of Engaged Capital, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by (5) Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A. Mr. Welling, by virtue of his position as the founder and Chief Investment Officer of Engaged Capital, and as the sole member of Engaged Holdings, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-A.

(6) Securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-B. As the general partner and investment adviser of Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-B, Engaged Capital may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-B. Engaged Holdings, as the managing member of Engaged Capital, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-B. Mr. Welling, by virtue of his position as the founder and Chief Investment Officer of Engaged Capital, and as the sole member of Engaged Holdings, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital

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Co-Invest VI-B.

Securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-C. As the general partner and investment adviser of Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-C, Engaged Capital may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-C.

- (7) Engaged Holdings, as the managing member of Engaged Capital, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-C. Mr. Welling, by virtue of his position as the founder and Chief Investment Officer of Engaged Capital, and as the sole member of Engaged Holdings, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-C.

Securities held in an account separately managed by Engaged Capital (the "Engaged Capital Account"). Engaged Capital, as the investment adviser of the Engaged Capital Account, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities held in the Engaged Capital

- (8) Account. Engaged Holdings, as the managing member of Engaged Capital, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities held in the Engaged Capital Account. Mr. Welling, by virtue of his position as the founder and Chief Investment Officer of Engaged Capital, and as the sole member of Engaged Holdings, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities held in the Engaged Capital Account.

Securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D. As the general partner and investment adviser of Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D, Engaged Capital may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D.

- (9) Engaged Holdings, as the managing member of Engaged Capital, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D. Mr. Welling, by virtue of his position as the founder and Chief Investment Officer of Engaged Capital, and as the sole member of Engaged Holdings, may be deemed to beneficially own these securities owned directly by Engaged Capital Co-Invest VI-D.

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