

PENTAIR INC  
Form 8-K  
November 12, 2002

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): November 11, 2002

Commission file number 1-11625

**Pentair, Inc.**

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(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**Minnesota**

**41-0907434**

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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification number)

**1500 County Road B2 West, Suite 400, St. Paul, Minnesota**

**55113**

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (651) 636-7920

**Item 5. Other Events**

On November 11, 2002, Frank J. Feraco resigned as the President and Chief Operating Officer of the Registrant's Tools Group.

A copy of a press release made by the Registrant on the date hereof is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**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, thereunto duly authorized, on November 12, 2002.

PENTAIR, INC.  
Registrant

By            /s/            David D. Harrison

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David D. Harrison  
Executive Vice  
President and Chief  
Financial Officer  
(Chief Accounting  
Officer)

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<u>Exhibit</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release dated November 12, 2002