

JAKKS PACIFIC INC
Form 8-K
October 30, 2002

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**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):
October 30, 2002 (October 25, 2002)

JAKKS PACIFIC, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

0-28104
(Commission
File Number)

95-4527222
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

22619 Pacific Coast Highway, Malibu, California
(Address of principal executive offices)

90265
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(310) 456-7799

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ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

On October 25, 2002, JAKKS Pacific, Inc. completed its acquisition and merger of Toymax International, Inc. (Toymax). This Current Report on Form 8-K incorporates by reference our press release dated October 28, 2002 relating to the completion of the Toymax merger. A copy of the press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

ITEM 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(a) **Exhibits**

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release of JAKKS Pacific, Inc. dated October 28, 2002 relating to the completion of the Toymax merger(1)

(1) Filed
herewith.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: October 30, 2002

JAKKS PACIFIC, INC

By: /s/ JOEL M. BENNETT

Joel M. Bennett
Executive Vice President

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