ALICO INC Form SC 13G/A January 22, 2004

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G/A
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
(AMENDMENT NO. 4)

ALICO INC.
-----(NAME OF ISSUER)

COMMON STOCK, \$1.00 PAR VALUE PER SHARE

(TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES)

016230104 -----(CUSIP NUMBER)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- [] Rule 13d-1(b)
- [] Rule 13d-1(c)
- [] Rule 13d-1(d)

The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the notes).

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS
THIRD AVENUE MANAGEMENT LLC
(EIN 01-0690900)

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- 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*
 - (a) []
 - (b) []

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DELAWARE L	OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION MITED LIABILITY COMPANY
	5 SOLE VOTING POWER
NUMBER OF	353 , 300
SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY	6 SHARED VOTING POWER NONE
EACH REPORTING	7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 353,300
WITH	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER NONE
	AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING
10 CHECK BOX CERTAIN SHA	TF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES
	CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
12 TYPE OF REI	PORTING PERSON*
ITEM 1. (A) NAME OF Alico In	ISSUER: nc. (the "Issuer").

Post Office Box 338, La Belle, Florida 33975 TTEM 2.

(A) NAME OF PERSON FILING:

This schedule is being filed by Third Avenue Management LLC ("TAM"). (TAM is sometimes referred to hereinafter as "Filer").

(B) ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE:

The address of the principal executive office of TAM is: 622 Third Avenue, 32nd Floor, New York, New York 10017.

(C) CITIZENSHIP:

The citizenship or place of organization of the reporting person is as follows:

Delaware Limited Liability Company.

(D) TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES:

Common Stock, \$1.00 par value per share.

(E) CUSIP NUMBER:

016230104

- ITEM 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS BEING FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR 13D-2(B), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A:
- (E) Investment Adviser. TAM is a registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940.
- ITEM 4. OWNERSHIP.
- (a) & (b) TAM beneficially owns 353,300 shares, or 4.9% of the class of securities of the issuer.
 - (c) (i) TAM: 353,300
 - (ii) Not applicable.
 - (iii) TAM: 353,300
 - (iv) Not applicable.
- ITEM 5. OWNERSHIP OF FIVE PERCENT OR LESS OF A CLASS.

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [X].

- ITEM 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON.
- ITEM 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY.

Not applicable.

ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP.

Not applicable.

ITEM 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP.

Not applicable.

ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purposes or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

January 22, 2004 -----(Date)

THIRD AVENUE MANAGEMENT LLC

BY:/S/ MARTIN J. WHITMAN

Martin J. Whitman

Chairman and Co-Chief Investment Officer