CHALONE WINE GROUP LTD Form SC 13D/A August 20, 2004

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 4)

The Chalone Wine Group, Ltd.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, no par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

157639105

(CUSIP Number)

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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

August 20, 2004

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of § 240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box ".

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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).

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1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification No. of above person (entities only).

Constellation Brands, Inc.

16-0716709

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group*

(a) "

(b) x

3. SEC Use Only

4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)

WC, BK

5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e)

6. Citizenship or Place of Organization

State of Delaware

NUMBER OF 7. Sole Voting Power

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY	0
OWNED BY	8. Shared Voting Power
EACH	
REPORTING	5,556,103
PERSON	9. Sole Dispositive Power
WITH	
	0

10. Shared Dispositive Power

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5,556,103

11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person

5,556,103

12. Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)

13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)

46%

14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)

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This statement constitutes Amendment No. 4 to the Schedule 13D filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) on behalf of Constellation Brands, Inc., a Delaware corporation (Constellation) on May 17, 2004 (the Schedule 13D), with respect to the common stock, no par value (the Common Stock), of The Chalone Wine Group, Ltd., a California corporation (the Issuer). Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the respective meaning ascribed thereto in the Schedule 13D.

Other than as set forth herein, there has been no material change in the information set forth in the Schedule 13D.

Item 4. Purpose of the Transaction.

Item 4 of the Schedule 13D is hereby supplemented as follows:

As described more fully in Amendment No. 3 to the Schedule 13D, DBR delivered to the board of directors of the Issuer a Second Proposal Extension Letter attached thereto as Exhibit 6, extending the offer contained in its Proposal Letter to August 20, 2004.

On August 20, 2004, DBR extended the offer contained in its Proposal Letter (the Third Proposal Extension Letter) until August 27, 2004. The Third Proposal Extension Letter was acknowledged by Constellation and Huneeus. The remaining terms of the Proposal Letter remain in full force and effect. The Third Proposal Extension Letter is annexed hereto as Exhibit 7 and incorporated herein by reference.

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Item 7. Material to Be Filed as Exhibits.

Item 7 of the Schedule 13D is supplemented as follows:

 Exhibit No.
 Description

 7
 Third Proposal Extension Letter dated August 20, 2004

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Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of the undersigned s knowledge and belief, the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: August 20, 2004

CONSTELLATION BRANDS, INC.

By:/s/RICHARD SANDSName:Richard SandsTitle:Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

<u>Number</u> <u>Exhibit Name</u>

7 Third Proposal Extension Letter dated August 20, 2004 Filed herewith le="font-family:Arial;font-size:10pt;">This press release may contain forward-looking statements within the meaning of the "safe harbor" provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements, including those related to capital needed for growth and the opportunities for growth, are based upon our current expectations and speak only as of the date hereof. Our actual results may differ materially and adversely from those expressed in any forward-looking statements as a result of various factors and uncertainties, including the recent economic slowdown affecting technology companies, our ability to successfully identify and acquire new patent assets, our ability to develop products, rapid technological change in our markets, changes in demand for our future products, legislative, regulatory and competitive developments and general economic conditions. Our Annual Report on Form 10-K (including amendments thereto), recent and forthcoming Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, recent Current Reports on Forms 8-K and other SEC filings discuss some of the important risk factors that may affect our business, results of operations and financial condition. We undertake no obligation to revise or update publicly any forward-looking statements for any reason.

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