

APPLIED GRAPHICS TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form SC 14D9/A

July 15, 2003

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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SCHEDULE 14D-9  
(AMENDMENT NO. 2)

SOLICITATION/RECOMMENDATION STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(D) (4)  
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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APPLIED GRAPHICS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.  
(Name of Subject Company)

APPLIED GRAPHICS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.  
(Name of Person Filing Statement)

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COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.01 PER SHARE  
(Title of Class of Securities)

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037937208  
(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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This Amendment No. 2 amends and supplements the Solicitation/Recommendation Statement on Schedule 14D-9 initially filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on June 20, 2003 (as previously filed with the SEC and thereafter amended, the "Schedule 14D-9"), by Applied Graphics Technologies, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("AGT"), relating to the tender offer made by KAGT Acquisition Corp. ("Purchaser"), a wholly owned subsidiary of KAGT Holdings, Inc., as set forth in a Tender Offer Statement filed by Purchaser on Schedule TO, dated June 20, 2003 (as previously filed with the SEC and thereafter amended, the "Schedule TO"), to pay \$0.85 net per share in cash, without interest thereon, for each share of common stock, par value \$.01 per share, upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule TO.

The information in the Schedule 14D-9 is hereby expressly incorporated herein by reference, except as otherwise set forth below. Capitalized terms used herein but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given to them in the Schedule 14D-9.

ITEM 9. MATERIALS TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS.

Item 9 is hereby amended and supplemented by adding thereto the following:

EXHIBIT NUMBER -----	DESCRIPTION -----
Exhibit a(5)	Press Release issued by the Company on July 15, 2003.

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SIGNATURE

After due 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.

APPLIED GRAPHICS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ KENNETH TOROSIAN

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Name: Kenneth Torosian  
Title: Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

Dated: July 15, 2003

