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Form SC 13D/A  
January 15, 2003

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D  
(RULE 13d-101)

(AMENDMENT NO. 1)

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS  
FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-1(a) AND  
AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO  
RULE 13d-2(a)

ARV Assisted Living, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, no par value per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

00204C107

(CUSIP Number)

Douglas M. Pasquale  
c/o ARV Assisted Living, Inc.  
245 Fischer Ave., D-1  
Costa Mesa, CA 92626  
(714) 751-7400

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

January 3, 2003

(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 Rule 13d-1(e), 13d-1(f) or 13d-1(g), check the following box [ ].

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(1) 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 disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "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 NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

DOUGLAS M. PASQUALE

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

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS\*

NOT APPLICABLE

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO  
 ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) [ ]

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

NUMBER OF SHARES	7	SOLE VOTING POWER	1,137,780
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER	0
EACH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	1,137,780
REPORTING PERSON WITH	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	0

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON  
 1,137,780

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES  
 CERTAIN SHARES\* [ ]

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)  
 6.5%

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14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

IN

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\*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!

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ITEM 4. PURPOSE OF TRANSACTION.

Item 4 is amended to add the following general information:

On January 3, 2003, Prometheus Assisted Living LLC ("Prometheus"), Jenny Merger Corp., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Prometheus ("Merger Sub"), and the Issuer entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement"). Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein, Merger Sub will merge (the "Merger") with and into the Issuer, with the Issuer being the surviving entity (the "Surviving Corporation"). Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, at the effective time of the Merger (the "Effective Time"), each share of the Issuer's common stock outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time (other than shares owned by Prometheus or by LFSRI II Assisted Living LLC as a result of the exercise of that certain warrant to purchase shares of the Issuer's common stock dated April 24, 2000) will be converted into the right to receive \$3.90 (the "Merger Consideration") in cash, without interest, and each holder of a stock option granted by the Issuer to purchase shares of the Issuer's common stock will receive in cash, without interest, for each share of Common Stock subject to such option, the excess, if any, of the Merger Consideration over the exercise price per share of such option. Upon the closing of the Merger, all of the Reporting Person's options to purchase Common Stock will be treated as set forth in the foregoing sentence. The Reporting Person currently owns options to purchase a total of 1,250,000 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer. Upon consummation of the Merger, Prometheus will be the beneficial owner of 100% of the capital stock of the Surviving Corporation.

A special committee of the board of directors, of which the Reporting Person was not a member, unanimously recommended the Merger and the Merger Agreement to the Issuer's full board of directors, of which the Reporting Person is a member. Based upon that recommendation, the Issuer's board of directors unanimously approved the transaction, including the Merger Agreement. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, the board of directors and the special committee of the board of directors that recommended the Merger must recommend the transaction to the Issuer's stockholders unless they determine in good faith, based on such matters as they deem relevant and after receiving advice of outside counsel, that failing to withdraw, modify or change their recommendation would be reasonably likely to result in a breach of their fiduciary duties under applicable law.

The Merger is subject to various terms and conditions as set forth in the Merger Agreement and additional information regarding the Merger, its terms and conditions and the timing of various events pursuant to the Merger will be forthcoming from the Issuer in its proxy materials, as discussed below.

