## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

## JOINT CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): JANUARY 14, 1998

BROOKE GROUP LTD. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

BGLS INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

1-5759 (Commission File Number)

33-93576 (Commission File Number)

51-0255124

13-3593483 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

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100 S.E. SECOND STREET MIAMI, FLORIDA 33131 (Address of principal executive offices including Zip Code)

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305/579-8000 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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## ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS.

On January 14, 1998 and January 15, 1998, BGLS Inc. entered into further amendments to the previously reported Standstill Agreement and Consent with the principal holders of BGLS Inc.'s 15.75% Senior Secured Notes due 2001 which extended the termination date of such agreement to January 16, 1998.

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## **SIGNATURE**

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.

BROOKE GROUP LTD.

By: /s/ Joselynn D. Van Siclen

Joselynn D. Van Siclen

Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

BGLS INC.

By: /s/ Joselynn D. Van Siclen

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Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: January 16, 1998

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