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Form 6-K
July 27, 2009

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16 OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of July 2009

G. WILLI-FOOD INTERNATIONAL LTD.
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

4 Nahal Harif St., Yavne, Israel 81106
(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

FORM 20-F FORM 40-F

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b) (1):.....

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Indicate by check mark whether registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form, the registrant is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934:

YES NO

If "YES" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-_____.

Attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein is a press release issued by G. Willi-Food International Ltd. ("Registrant") on July 27, 2009.

This report on Form 6-K shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference in the Registration Statements on Form F-3 (File No. 333-11848 and 333-138200) of the Registrant.

SIGNATURES

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In accordance with 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, thereunto duly authorized.

G. WILLI-FOOD INTERNATIONAL LTD.

Dated: July 27, 2009

By: /s/ Ety Sabach

Ety Sabach
Chief Financial Officer

News

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

G. WILLI-FOOD INTERNATIONAL LIMITED ANNOUNCES COMPLETION OF TENDER OFFER FOR GOLD FROST SHARES

WILL-FOOD ALSO ANNOUNCES AGREEMENT BY GOLD FROST TO SELL ITS 51% INTEREST IN
DANISH DAIRY DISTRIBUTOR

YAVNE, ISRAEL - JULY 27, 2009 - G. WILLI-FOOD INTERNATIONAL LTD. (NASDAQ: WILC) (the "COMPANY" or "WILLI FOOD"), announces that it has successfully completed its tender offer to purchase from the holders of shares and/or depositary interests of its subsidiary, Gold Frost Ltd. ("GOLD FROST"), all of the issued and outstanding share capital of Gold Frost not already held by Willi Food for a price of 7 pence per share or per depositary interest in cash. This tender offer was commenced on June 22, 2009.

As of the time of expiration of the tender offer, an aggregate of 2,706,388 Gold Frost shares and depositary interests were duly tendered. Such shares and depositary interests constitute, together with the shares held by Willi Food, more than 95 per cent of the issued and outstanding share capital of Gold Frost. In accordance with Israeli law, Willi Food will purchase all of the issued and outstanding Gold Frost shares and depositary interests currently not owned by it (including those not tendered in the tender offer) at the tender offer price and will pay an aggregate amount of approximately (pound)370,430 for all such shares and depositary interests.

SALE BY GOLD FROST OF ITS INTEREST IN DANISH DAIRY DISTRIBUTOR

The Company also announced that Gold Frost had signed an agreement to sell Gold Frost's 51% interest in a Danish dairy distributor ("DISTRIBUTOR") to the Distributor and/or to the Distributor other shareholder ("OTHER SHAREHOLDER") for \$400,000. Gold Frost acquired its 51% interest from the Other Shareholder in February 2008. According to the terms of the agreement, an amount equal to the balance of outstanding invoices owed by Gold Frost to the Distributor will be deducted as a downpayment, and the rest will be paid by deduction in the purchase price by a pre-determined amount for each shipment of goods that Gold Frost will purchase from the Distributor or from the Other Shareholder, and the balance of the consideration, if any, will be paid in April 2011.

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Gold Frost was granted the exclusive right to distribute all of the products of the Distributor and the Other Shareholder in Israel until April 2012, so long as Gold Frost purchases a minimum quantity of products from the Distributor or from the Other Shareholder at fair market prices and that meet specified quality standards.

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THIS PRESS RELEASE CONTAINS FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS WITHIN THE MEANING OF SAFE HARBOR PROVISIONS OF THE PRIVATE SECURITIES LITIGATION REFORM ACT OF 1995 RELATING TO FUTURE EVENTS OR OUR FUTURE PERFORMANCE, SUCH AS STATEMENTS REGARDING TRENDS, DEMAND FOR OUR PRODUCTS AND EXPECTED REVENUES, OPERATING RESULTS, AND EARNINGS. FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS INVOLVE KNOWN AND UNKNOWN RISKS, UNCERTAINTIES AND OTHER FACTORS THAT MAY CAUSE OUR ACTUAL RESULTS, LEVELS OF ACTIVITY, PERFORMANCE OR ACHIEVEMENTS TO BE MATERIALLY DIFFERENT FROM ANY FUTURE RESULTS, LEVELS OF ACTIVITY, PERFORMANCE OR ACHIEVEMENTS EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED IN THOSE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS. THESE RISKS AND OTHER FACTORS INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO: CHANGES AFFECTING CURRENCY EXCHANGE RATES, INCLUDING THE NIS/U.S. DOLLAR EXCHANGE RATE, PAYMENT DEFAULT BY ANY OF OUR MAJOR CLIENTS, THE LOSS OF ONE OF MORE OF OUR KEY PERSONNEL, CHANGES IN LAWS AND REGULATIONS, INCLUDING THOSE RELATING TO THE FOOD DISTRIBUTION INDUSTRY, AND INABILITY TO MEET AND MAINTAIN REGULATORY QUALIFICATIONS AND APPROVALS FOR OUR PRODUCTS, TERMINATION OF ARRANGEMENTS WITH OUR SUPPLIERS, IN PARTICULAR ARLA FOODS, LOSS OF ONE OR MORE OF OUR PRINCIPAL CLIENTS , INCREASE OR DECREASE IN GLOBAL PURCHASE PRICES OF FOOD PRODUCTS, INCREASING LEVELS OF COMPETITION IN ISRAEL AND OTHER MARKETS IN WHICH WE DO BUSINESS, CHANGES IN ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN ISRAEL, INCLUDING IN PARTICULAR ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN THE COMPANY'S CORE MARKETS, OUR INABILITY TO ACCURATELY PREDICT CONSUMPTION OF OUR PRODUCTS AND RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH PRODUCT LIABILITY CLAIMS. WE CANNOT GUARANTEE FUTURE RESULTS, LEVELS OF ACTIVITY, PERFORMANCE OR ACHIEVEMENTS. THE MATTERS DISCUSSED IN THIS PRESS RELEASE ALSO INVOLVE RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES SUMMARIZED UNDER THE HEADING "RISK FACTORS" IN THE COMPANY'S ANNUAL REPORT ON FORM 20-F FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008, FILED WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION. THESE FACTORS ARE UPDATED FROM TIME TO TIME THROUGH THE FILING OF REPORTS AND REGISTRATION STATEMENTS WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION. WE DO NOT ASSUME ANY OBLIGATION TO UPDATE THE FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS PRESS RELEASE.