

EXTREME NETWORKS INC  
Form 8-K  
March 19, 2010

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**Form 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of report (date of earliest event reported):**

**March 18, 2010**

**EXTREME NETWORKS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-25711**  
(Commission File No.)

**77-0430270**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

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**3585 Monroe Street**

**Santa Clara, California 95051**

**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code:**

**(408) 579-2800**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On March 18, 2010, Extreme Networks, Inc. ( the *Company* ) entered into an agreement approved by the Board of Directors and the Compensation Committee pursuant to which Bob L. Corey will receive an increase in salary to \$472,200 while he is Acting CEO, retroactive to October 21, 2009, the date of his appointment. He will also be entitled to be paid an additional bonus payable three (3) months after a new CEO is appointed by the Board, with the bonus calculated at an annual rate of \$64,800, pro-rated over the number of days between October 21, 2009 and the date a new CEO is appointed (the *Additional Bonus* ).

In addition, the severance provision of Mr. Corey s offer letter of October 21, 2009 were modified so that if, within the year after an new CEO is appointed, Mr. Corey responsibilities do not include responsibilities designated by the Board of Directors, and if he resigns within 30 days after such responsibilities are changed, he will be entitled to the same benefits as if he had been terminated without Cause as well as payment of the Additional Bonus if not already paid.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits**

**99.1** Letter regarding modification of employment terms dated March 18, 2010, from Extreme Networks, Inc. to Bob L. Corey

**SIGNATURES**

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.

Date: March 19, 2010

**EXTREME NETWORKS, INC.**

By: /s/ BOB COREY  
**Bob L. Corey**  
Acting CEO