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### 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): February 14, 2008

### XILINX, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

| Delaware        | 0-18548          | 77-0188631          |  |  |
|-----------------|------------------|---------------------|--|--|
| (State or other | (Commission File | (IRS Employer       |  |  |
| jurisdiction of | Number)          | Identification No.) |  |  |
| incorporation)  |                  |                     |  |  |

2100 Logic Drive, San Jose, California 95124
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (408) 559-7778

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

(d)

On February 14, 2008, Moshe Gavrielov, the President and Chief Executive Officer of Xilinx, Inc. (the Company), was appointed the Company s Board of Directors following his nomination by the Nominating and Governance Committee. In connection with Gavrielov s appointment, the exact number of directors of the Company was increased from eight to nine. The employment leagreement between the Company and Mr. Gavrielov dated January 4, 2008 (the Agreement) provided that Mr. Gavrielov was

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appointed or nominated to serve on the Board of Directors during his employment as the Company s President and Chief Exec Officer. The Agreement was filed as exhibit 99.2 to the Company s Current Report on Form 8-K dated January 4, 2008.

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Also on February 14, 2008, the Company entered into an amendment of employment agreement (the Amendment ) with Jon Senior Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer of the Company. The Amendment provides that in the event the Coexperiences a change in control and Mr. Olson s employment is terminated without cause within one (1) year of such change in he will be eligible for one (1) year of each of: (i) his base pay; (ii) his target bonus; (iii) medical insurance; and (iv) accelerated of equity grants received from the Company prior to such termination of employment. Mr. Olson s employment agreement preprovided that he would receive the benefits set forth above only if the change of control occurred within two (2) years from the commenced employment with the Company. A copy of the Amendment is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated here reference.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

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Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Amendment of Employment Agreement dated February 14, 2008 between Xilinx, Inc. and Jon Olson

### **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.

XILINX, INC.

Date: February 20, 2008 By: /s/ Jon A. Olson

Jon A. Olson

Senior Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer