AVIAT NETWORKS, INC. Form 8-K July 09, 2010

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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): July 9, 2010 AVIAT NETWORKS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-33278 20-5961564

(State or other jurisdiction

(Commission File

(I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

Number)

Address of principal executive offices: 5200 Great American

Identification No.)

Address of principal executive offices: 5200 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara, CA 95054

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (408) 567-7000

(Former address, if changed since last report): 637 Davis Drive, Morrisville, North Carolina 27560 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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 40.13e-4(c))

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## **Item 8.01 Other Events**

On July 9, 2010, Aviat Networks, Inc. sent a letter to Ramius Value and Opportunity Advisors, LLC, a subsidiary of Ramius LLC, a copy of which is attached.

### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is furnished herewith:

99.1 Letter to Ramius dated July 9, 2010

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Date: July 9, 2010

### **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.

### AVIAT NETWORKS, INC.

By: /s/ Thomas L. Cronan, III Name: Thomas L. Cronan III

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief

Financial Officer

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Exhibit No. Under Regulation S-K,

Item 601 Description

99.1 Letter to Ramius LLC dated July 9, 2010