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

March 27, 2006

Date of Report

(Date of earliest event reported)

CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

1 10079 (Commission File Number) 94-2885898 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

198 Champion Court

Identification No.)

San Jose, California 95134-1599

(Address of principal executive offices)

(408) 943-2600

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

The Company has received notice that Alan F. Shugart, a member of Cypress Semiconductor Corporation s Board of Directors since 1998, will retire from our Board of Directors, effective May 1, 2006, the date of the Company s 2006 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

Item 5.03 Amendment to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws

On March 27, 2006, our Board of Directors unanimously approved an amendment to our Amended and Restated Bylaws that, effective May 1, 2006, will reduce the size of our Board of Directors from eight members to seven. A copy of the Amended and Restated Bylaws, to be effective May 1, 2006, is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 3.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Financial statements of business acquired. Not applicable.
- (b) Pro forma financial information. Not applicable.
- (d) Exhibits. The exhibit listed below is being furnished with this Form 8-K.

Exhibit 3.1 Amended and Restated Bylaws, to be effective May 1, 2006

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION

Date: March 30, 2006 By: /s/ Brad W. Buss

Brad W. Buss Chief Financial Officer, Executive Vice President,

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