CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORP /DE/

Form 8-K

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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): November 2, 2018

CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-10079 94-2885898 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

198 Champion Court San Jose, California 95134

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(408) 943-2600

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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:

- oWritten 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)
- oPre-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 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company o

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. o

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

On November 2, 2018, J. Daniel McCranie, a member of the Board of Directors of Cypress Semiconductor Corporation (the "Company"), informed the Company of his decision not to stand for re-election to the Company's Board of Directors at the Company's 2019 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the "2019 Annual Meeting"). Mr. McCranie will continue to serve as a member of the Board of Directors until the election of directors at the 2019 Annual Meeting. Mr. McCranie's decision not to stand for re-election was not the result of any disagreement with the Company.

At this time, the Company anticipates that the size of the Board of Directors will be set at eight members following Mr. McCranie's retirement.

A copy of the press release announcing Mr. McCranie's decision not to stand for re-election is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 <u>Press Release issued by Cypress Semiconductor Corporation, dated November 8, 2018.</u>

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: November 8, 2018 CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION

By: /s/ Thad Trent
Thad Trent
Chief Financial Officer and Executive Vice President, Finance & Administration

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