CITRIX SYSTEMS INC Form 8-K March 12, 2018

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 7, 2018

CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

0-27084 (Commission **75-2275152** (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

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851 West Cypress Creek Road

Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (954) 267-3000

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 Instructions A.2.):

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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 or Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Emerging growth company

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Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On March 7, 2018, the Board of Directors (the Board) of Citrix Systems, Inc. (the Company) amended and restated the Company s by-laws (the Restated By-laws) to implement proxy access. The Restated By-laws became effective immediately upon adoption by the Board as described below.

The Restated By-laws include a new Section 1.11 that permits a stockholder (or a group of up to twenty stockholders) owning at least three percent of the Company s outstanding shares of common stock continuously for at least three years to nominate and include in the Company s annual meeting proxy materials director nominees constituting up to the greater of two directors or twenty percent of the Board, provided that the stockholders and nominees satisfy the requirements specified in the Restated By-laws.

The Restated By-laws also include other changes to the provisions in Section 1.10 to account for proxy access, changes to Sections 2.10 and 5.3 to further modernize certain notice provisions, and a number of other conforming changes.

The foregoing description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the text of the Restated By-laws, which are filed as Exhibit 3.1 hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

3.1 Amended and Restated By-laws of Citrix Systems, Inc.

SIGNATURES

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.

CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC.

Date: March 12, 2018 By: /s/ Antonio G. Gomes

Name: Antonio G. Gomes

Title: Senior Vice President and General Counsel