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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

**WASHINGTON, DC 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) August 26, 2008

# **Semtech Corporation**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

 $(State\ or\ Other\ Jurisdiction\ of\ Incorporation)$ 

1-6395 (Commission File Number) 95-2119684 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

200 Flynn Road

Camarillo, California (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

93012-8790 (Zip Code)

805-498-2111

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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#### (Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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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.

#### (e) Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

Date: August 28, 2008

At a meeting on August 26, 2008, the Compensation Committee (the Committee ) of the Board of Directors of Semtech Corporation (the Company ) approved an increase in the annual base salary of Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Emeka Chukwu. His base salary was increased from \$230,050 to \$260,000.

The Committee increased Mr. Chukwu s base salary in recognition of his outstanding performance and to more closely align his compensation with the compensation of Chief Financial Officers of peer companies. The increase in Mr. Chukwu s base salary is effective August 26, 2008.

#### **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.

SEMTECH CORPORATION

By: /s/ Mohan Maheswaran Mohan Maheswaran

Chief Executive Officer