## **UNITED STATES**

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549** 

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT** 

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE

THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): April 11, 2007

# XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of

001-32498 (Commission File Number) 42-1558674 (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation or organization)

Identification No.)

14101 Capital Boulevard, Youngsville, North Carolina 27596

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (919) 556-7235

(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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

On April 11, 2007, Miguel Quiñonez, the Company s President Xerium South America, notified the Company of his decision to retire as President Xerium South America and as an employee of the Company and its subsidiaries effective December 31, 2007.

On April 12, 2007, the Company issued a press release announcing Mr. Quiñonez retirement. A copy of the press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is furnished herewith.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release Dated April 12, 2007

#### **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.

XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Date: April 12, 2007 By: /s/ Michael P. O Donnell

Name: Michael P. O Donnell Title: Chief Financial Officer

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**Description**Press Release Dated April 12, 2007 99.1