## 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 13, 2012

# **Lattice Semiconductor Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** 

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

000-18032 (Commission File Number) <u>93-0835214</u> (IRS Employer Identification No.)

5555 N. E. Moore Court <u>Hillsboro, Oregon 97124-6421</u>

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

<u>(503) 268-8000</u>

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

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[] 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 Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Effective September 24, 2012, Mr. Sean Riley, Corporate Vice President and General Manager, Infrastructure Business Unit, will be leaving the Company.

#### 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.

### LATTICE SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION

Date: August 13, 2012

By:

/s/ Byron W. Milstead Byron W. Milstead Corporate Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary