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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of report (date of earliest event reported):  
July 9, 2005**

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**EXTREME NETWORKS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-25711**  
(Commission File No.)

**77-0430270**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**3585 Monroe Street  
Santa Clara, California 95051**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code:  
(408) 579-2800**

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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))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events**

On July 11, 2005 Extreme Networks, Inc. (the "Company") was notified that the staff of The Nasdaq National Market has determined that the Company now complies with the independent director requirement for continued listing on The Nasdaq National Market set forth in Nasdaq Marketplace Rule 4350.

The Company had informed The Nasdaq National Market that effective July 9, 2005, three years elapsed since director Harry Silverglide was employed by the Company, and therefore Mr. Silverglide is "independent," as such term is defined in Nasdaq Marketplace Rule 4200(a)(15). As a result, the Company's Board of Directors is currently comprised of four independent members and two non-independent members, and therefore is comprised of a majority of independent directors as required by Nasdaq Marketplace Rule 4350.

**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: July 14, 2005

**EXTREME NETWORKS, INC.**

By: /s/ William R. Slakey

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William R. Slakey  
Chief Financial Officer