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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): February 2, 2009

SEACHANGE INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

DELAWARE (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) 0-21393 (Commission File Number) 04-3197974 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

50 Nagog Park, Acton, MA 01720 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number including area code: (978) 897-0100

No change since last report (Former Name or Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

| 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 & ee al 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(d).

Election of Director

On February 2, 2009, upon the recommendation of the Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee of SeaChange International, Inc. ("SeaChange"), the Board of Directors of SeaChange (the "Board") elected Carlo Salvatori as a Class II Director of SeaChange to fill the vacancy on the Board created by Martin R. Hoffmann's retirement from the Board effective January 31, 2009. The Board also named Mr. Salvatori to SeaChange's Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee.

Mr. Salvatori has served as Chief Executive Officer of Unipol Gruppo Finanziario since 2006, and previously was Chairman of Gruppo Unicredito Italiano from 2002 to 2006. SeaChange has issued a press release regarding Mr. Salvatori's election, a copy of which is furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.1.

At the time of Mr. Salvatori's election to the Board, the Compensation Committee of the Board granted Mr. Salvatori restricted stock units for 24,000 shares of Common Stock, \$.01 par value, of SeaChange, to be vested at the rate of 33.33% on each of the first and second anniversary of February 2, 2009, with the balance to be vested on the third anniversary of February 2, 2009.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

The following Exhibit is furnished as part of this report:

| Exhibit No. | Description | |
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| 99.1 | Press rele | |

Press release issued by SeaChange International, Inc., dated February 6, 2009.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

SEACHANGE INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /s/ Kevin M. Bisson

Kevin M. Bisson
Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer, Secretary
and Senior Vice President, Finance and
Administration

Dated: February 6, 2009

EXHIBIT INDEX

Description

Exhibit No. 99.1 Press release issued by SeaChange International, Inc., dated February 6, 2009.



NEWS RELEASE

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Carlo Salvatori Elected to SeaChange Board of Directors International Banking Veteran to Join Board

ACTON, Mass. (Feb. 6, 2009) – SeaChange International, Inc. (NASDAQ: SEAC) today announced the election to its Board of Directors of Carlo Salvatori, Chief Executive Officer of Italy's Unipol Gruppo Finanziario, an insurance and banking conglomerate. Salvatori was also named to the Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee of SeaChange's Board of Directors.

Salvatori joins board members Bill Styslinger, SeaChange President & CEO, Chairman of the Board and Director; and Directors Mary Cotton, Tom Olson and Carmine Vona.

"Carlo is an exceptional addition to our team and the Board is enthusiastic to start working with him immediately," said Styslinger. "We are confident that his international business expertise will directly address our goal to further expand the Company's global customer base, ensuring that broadband companies around the world benefit from SeaChange's product and service offerings."

Carlo Salvatori commented, "I consider it a great privilege to have been elected as a Board Member of SeaChange International. The company is modern and the potential of the business is fantastic. It will be a real pleasure to contribute with Bill Styslinger and the other directors to further develop the Company's business."

Salvatori has served as CEO of Unipol Gruppo Finanziario since 2006. Previously, he was Chairman of Gruppo Unicredito Italiano from May 2002 to January 2006, and prior to that served as the CEO of Banca Intesa. He also served in several senior executive and management positions with Gruppo Cassa di Risparmio di Parma, Banca Nazionale del Lavoro, Banco Ambrosiano Veneto and CARIPLO.

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Salvatori holds a degree in economics and business from the University of Bologna, a degree in banking from the University of Siena, and an honorary degree in political science from the University of Macerata. He is a registered chartered accountant.

About SeaChange

SeaChange International is a leading provider of software applications, services and integrated solutions for video-on-demand (VOD), digital advertising, and content acquisition monetization and management. Its powerful open VOD and advertising software and scaleable hardware enable cable and telco operators, as well as broadcasters, to provide new on-demand services and to gain greater efficiencies in advertising and content delivery. With its Emmy Award-winning and patented technology, thousands of SeaChange deployments are helping broadband, broadcast and satellite television companies to streamline operations, expand services and increase revenues. Headquartered in Acton, Massachusetts, SeaChange has product development, support and sales offices around the world. Visit www.schange.com.

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