

ELECTRONIC ARTS INC  
Form 8-K  
May 31, 2007

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, DC 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) May 24, 2007

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**ELECTRONIC ARTS INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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**Delaware**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**0-17948** **94-2838567**  
(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)  
**209 Redwood Shores Parkway, Redwood City, California 94065-1175**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

**(650) 628-1500**

(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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  - .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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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.**

On May 29, 2007, the Board of Directors of Electronic Arts Inc. ( EA ) approved a salary reduction for Lawrence F. Probst III, EA s Chairman of the Board and former Chief Executive Officer. Effective June 1, 2007, Mr. Probst s annual base salary will be reduced to \$367,426 while his bonus target will remain 100% of his base salary.

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On May 24, 2007, Mr. Probst established a pre-arranged stock trading plan in accordance with the guidelines of Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and EA s policies regarding stock transactions by directors, executive officers and other employees. Under Mr. Probst s 10b5-1 plan, up to a total of 600,000 shares of EA common stock subject to a stock option held by Mr. Probst may be sold on his behalf. Sales under Mr. Probst s 10b5-1 plan may take place periodically from August 22, 2007 through September 25, 2007, the date the stock option is set to expire. Transactions under Mr. Probst s 10b5-1 plan will be disclosed publicly through appropriate filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: May 30, 2007

**ELECTRONIC ARTS INC.**

By: /s/ Stephen G. Bené  
Stephen G. Bené  
Senior Vice President,

General Counsel and Secretary