DELTA AIR LINES INC /DE/ Form 8-K February 17, 2011

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 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): February 15, 2011

DELTA AIR LINES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-05424 58-0218548 (State or other jurisdiction of (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification incorporation) No.)

P.O. Box 20706, Atlanta, Georgia 30320-6001 (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (404) 715-2600

Registrant's Web site address: www.delta.com

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

(b). Rodney E. Slater is a member of the Board of Directors of Delta Air Lines, Inc. ("Delta"). On February 15, 2011, Mr. Slater, who is a partner in the law firm of Patton Boggs LLP, informed Delta that he has decided not to stand for reelection to Delta's Board of Directors at the 2011 annual meeting of stockholders because Delta has decided to retain Patton Boggs to provide certain professional services and this retention would limit Mr. Slater's ability to serve on certain committees of Delta's Board of Directors. Mr. Slater has not advised Delta of any disagreement with Delta on any matter relating to Delta's operations, policies or practices.

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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.

DELTA AIR LINES, INC.

By: /s/ Leslie P. Klemperer

Leslie P. Klemperer

Secretary

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Date: February 17, 2011