

ECHELON CORP  
Form 8-K  
April 23, 2008

**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)

April 22, 2008

**ECHELON CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**000-29748**  
(Commission File Number)

**77-0203595**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**550 Meridian Avenue**

**San Jose, California 95126**

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(408) 938-5200**

(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))

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

Echelon Corporation announced today that Beatrice Yormark, its president and chief operating officer, recently suffered a cerebral hemorrhage and has taken an extended medical leave of absence. While her condition is still being evaluated, the company is hopeful that she will make a full recovery. During her absence, M. Kenneth Oshman, Echelon's chairman and chief executive officer, will assume her day-to-day responsibilities.

**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.

ECHELON CORPORATION

By: /s/ Oliver R. Stanfield  
Oliver R. Stanfield

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 22, 2008