
**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): March 6, 2019

ADTRAN, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

000-24612

(Commission File Number)

63-0918200
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

901 Explorer Boulevard
Huntsville, Alabama
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

35806-2807
(Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (256) 963-8000

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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 Instructions A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 5 .02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

ADTRAN, Inc. announced today the appointment of Michael Foliano, age 58, to the role of Senior Vice President of Finance and Chief Financial Officer. Mr. Foliano will replace Roger Shannon in this role. Mr. Shannon will continue as Treasurer in the role of Vice President of Treasury and Corporate Development.

There are no arrangements or understandings between Mr. Foliano and any other persons in connection with his appointment. There are no family relationships between Mr. Foliano and any director or executive officer of the Company, and Mr. Foliano is not a party to any transaction required to be disclosed pursuant to Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibit.

The following exhibits is furnished as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K.

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release dated March 6, 2019

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) 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 on March 6, 2019.

ADTRAN, Inc.
(Registrant)

By : /s/Michael Foliano
Michael Foliano
Senior Vice President of Finance and Chief Financial Officer
Principal Accounting Officer

ADTRAN, Inc. (NASDAQ:ADTN) announced today that the ADTRAN Board of Directors has elected Michael Foliano, Senior Vice President of Operations, to the role of Senior Vice President of Finance and Chief Financial Officer. Having served as Senior Vice President of Operations since 2006 and as interim CFO in 2015, Mr. Foliano brings to the CFO role a diverse and deep body of experience and knowledge in global business operations and intimate knowledge of the Company's business. Roger Shannon will continue as Treasurer in the role of Vice President of Treasury and Corporate Development, reporting to Mr. Foliano.