

XYRATEX LTD  
Form 6-K  
June 17, 2009

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER**  
**THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

June 17, 2009

Commission File Number:0001284823

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**XYRATEX LTD**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**Langstone Road,  
Havant  
PO9 1SA  
United Kingdom**

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Xyratex General Manager Steps Down from EVP Role

June 17, 2009 - Xyratex Ltd (NASDAQ:XRTX) today announced that as part of its corporate reorganization Todd Gresham is stepping down from his role as EVP, and General Manager of the Networked Storage Solutions ( NSS ) division as of 12 June, 2009, while remaining at the company as Senior Vice President, Sales and Marketing for the division. CEO Steve Barber will assume the role of General Manager for the NSS division.

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**SIGNATURES**



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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.

XYRATEX LTD  
(Registrant)

Date: June 17, 2009

By: /s/ Richard Pearce  
Name: Richard Pearce  
Title: Chief Financial Officer

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