

XYRATEX LTD  
Form 6-K  
July 01, 2013

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

Washington, DC 20549

**FORM 6-K**

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

July 1, 2013

Commission File Number: 001-35766

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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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On July 1, 2013, Xyratex Ltd (the Company ) announced the appointment of Kenneth Traub as a Class III director of the Company's Board of Directors (the Board ), effective immediately, with a term expiring at the Company's 2014 annual general meeting of shareholders. Richard Pearce, who was previously serving as a Class III director, was redesignated as a Class II director, with a term expiring at the Company's 2015 annual general meeting of shareholders.

Mr. Traub was appointed to the Board pursuant to an Investor Agreement, dated April 2, 2013, between the Company, Baker Street Capital Management, LLC, Vadim Perelman and Mr. Traub, a copy of which was filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Report on Form 6-K dated April 2, 2013.

### **Incorporation by Reference**

This Form 6-K is hereby incorporated by reference into the Company's registration statements on Form S-8 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 16, 2012 (File No. 333-184997), Form S-8 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 28, 2010 (File No. 333-169612), Form S-8 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 9, 2006 (File No. 333-138570), Form S-8 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 25, 2005 (File No. 333-125244), Form S-8 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on June 24, 2004 (File No. 333-116811), Form S-8 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on June 24, 2004 (File No. 333-116810) and Form S-8 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on June 24, 2004 (File No. 333-116808).

**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, thereunto duly authorized.

XYRATEX LTD  
(Registrant)

Date: July 1, 2013

By:

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