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#### **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 7, 2014

NetApp, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 0-27130 (Commission File Number) 77-0307520 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

495 East Java Drive

Sunnyvale, CA 94089

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(408) 822-6000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

# 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 Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

# Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

### Amendment and Restatement of Bylaws

On and effective as of February 7, 2014, the Board of Directors of NetApp, Inc. (the **Company**) amended and restated the Company s Bylaws (the **Amended Bylaws**) to add a forum selection provision for the adjudication of certain disputes as Article VII, Section 7.7. The provision provides that unless the Company consents in writing to the selection of an alternative forum, the sole and exclusive forum for (i) any derivative action or proceeding brought on behalf of the Company, (ii) any action asserting a claim of breach of a fiduciary duty owed by any director, officer or other employee of the Company to the Company or the Company s stockholders, (iii) any action asserting a claim arising pursuant to any provision of the General Corporation Law of Delaware or the Company s Certificate of Incorporation or Bylaws, or (iv) any action asserting a claim governed by the internal affairs doctrine of the State of Delaware shall be the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware; provided, however, that if the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware lacks jurisdiction over any such action or proceeding, the sole and exclusive forum for such action or proceeding shall be another state or Federal court located within the State of Delaware. The provision further provides that any person or entity purchasing or otherwise acquiring any interest in the shares of the capital stock of the Company shall be deemed to have notice of and consented to such provision.

The foregoing summary of the Amended Bylaws is qualified in its entirety by reference to, and should be read in conjunction with, the complete text of the Amended Bylaws, which is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 3.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

# **Exhibit No.** Description

3.1 Amended and Restated Bylaws of NetApp, Inc.

# **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

NETAPP, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: February 13, 2014 By: /s/ Matthew K. Fawcett

Matthew K. Fawcett

Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate

Secretary

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