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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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 1, 2010

# **GOOGLE INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction

0-50726 (Commission File Number) 77-0493581 (IRS Employer Edgar Filing: Google Inc. - Form 8-K

of incorporation) Identification No.)

#### 1600 Amphitheatre Parkway

Mountain View, CA 94043

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(650) 253-0000

(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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

Fiscal Year 2009 Executive Bonus Awards

On March 1, 2010, the Leadership Development and Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Google (the allocation of the discretionary bonus payment among Google s executive officers under the Executive Bonus Plan (the Plan ). The Plan sets the maximum amount payable to any one executive in the fiscal year 2009 at \$4.5 million. These payments are in recognition of executive officers contributions to performance in 2009. The table below sets forth the individual discretionary bonus payments to Google s named executive officers:

Name and Position	Bo	nus Amount
Eric Schmidt		
Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer		
Sergey Brin		
President, Technology		
Larry Page		
President, Products		
Patrick Pichette		
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	\$	2,022,300
David Drummond		
Senior Vice President, Corporate Development and Chief Legal Officer	\$	1,733,400
Alan Eustace		
Senior Vice President, Engineering & Research	\$	2,022,300
Jonathan Rosenberg		
Senior Vice President, Product Management	\$	2,022,300

In addition, on March 1, 2010, the LDCC approved an increase to the annual base salaries (effective as of January 1, 2010) of Google s executive officers after a review of performance and competitive market data. The table below sets forth the annual base salary levels for 2010 and 2009 for Google s named executive officers:

Name	Year	Base Sala	ary
Eric Schmidt	2010	\$	1
	2009	\$	1
Sergey Brin	2010	\$	1
	2009	\$	1
Larry Page	2010	\$	1
	2009	\$	1
Patrick Pichette	2010		

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	2009	\$ \$	500,000 450,000
David Drummond	2010		
		\$	500,000
	2009	\$	450,000
Alan Eustace	2010		
		\$	500,000
	2009	\$	450,000
Jonathan Rosenberg	2010		
		\$	500,000
	2009	\$	450,000

#### **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.

GOOGLE INC.

Date: March 5, 2010