

CAMBREX CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 06, 2009

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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) January 6, 2009  
CAMBREX CORPORATION**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

1-10638

22-2476135

(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

ONE MEADOWLANDS PLAZA, EAST RUTHERFORD, NEW JERSEY

07073

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (201) 804-3000

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**Section 5 Corporate Governance and Management**

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

Cambrex Corporation (Cambrex) is reporting under Item 5.02 (b) that after nineteen (19) years of service with Cambrex, effective at the close of business on December 31, 2008, Peter E. Thauer retired from his position as Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary.

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SIGNATURES

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

CAMBREX CORPORATION

Date: January 6, 2009

By: /s/ Gregory P. Sargen

Name:

Gregory P. Sargen

Title: Vice President and Chief Financial Officer