

UTSTARCOM INC  
Form 8-K  
August 11, 2008

## 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): August 5, 2008

## UTSTARCOM, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**000-29661**  
(Commission File Number)

**52-1782500**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**1275 Harbor Bay Parkway**

**Alameda, California 94502**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

**(510) 864-8800**

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On August 5, 2008, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of UTStarcom, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company), approved the payment of a post-separation cash bonus in the amount of \$250,000, less applicable withholding, to Philip Christopher, a former executive officer of the Company who was President of UTStarcom Personal Communications LLC (PCD) until July 1, 2008 when PCD was acquired by AIG Global Investment Group and certain other investors.

**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.

**UTSTARCOM, INC.**

Date: August 11, 2008

By:	/s/ Francis P. Barton
Name:	Francis P. Barton
Title:	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer