

WILLIS LEASE FINANCE CORP  
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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

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### FORM 8-K

### CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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Date of Report: February 5, 2002

## Willis Lease Finance Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**0-28774**  
(Commission File Number)  
**2320 Marinship Way, Suite 300**  
**Sausalito, California 94965**

**68-0070656**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (415) 331-5281

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#### Item 6. Resignation of Registrant's Director.

On February 5, 2002, the Registrant announced that Willard H. Smith, Jr. resigned from the Registrant's board of directors.

#### Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Form Financial Information and Exhibits.

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Exhibits

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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.

Dated as of February 8, 2002.

WILLIS LEASE FINANCE CORPORATION

By:           /s/ DONALD A. NUNEMAKER          

Donald A. Nunemaker  
*Executive Vice President and Chief Operating  
Officer*

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