ARROW ELECTRONICS INC Form 8-K May 05, 2009 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): May 1, 2009

ARROW ELECTRONICS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

<u>-4482</u> <u>11-1806155</u>
(IRS Employer
Commission
Identification
File Number) No.)

50 MARCUS DRIVE, MELVILLE, NEW YORK 11747

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (631) 847-2000

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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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 May 4, 2009, a press release was issued by the Registrant announcing the appointment of Michael J. Long to the position of Chief Executive Officer. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

- (c) EXHIBITS
 - 99.1 Press release dated May 4, 2009

SIGNATURES

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

ARROW ELECTRONICS, INC.

Date: <u>May 5, 2009</u> By: <u>/s/ Peter S. Brown</u> Name: Peter S. Brown Title: Senior Vice President and General Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

- Exhibit Description
- 99.1 Press release issued by Arrow Electronics, Inc., dated May 4, 2009.