

RED HAT INC  
Form 8-K  
March 28, 2007

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**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 22, 2007

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**Red Hat, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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**Delaware**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**000-26281**  
(Commission File Number)

**06-1364380**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**1801 Varsity Drive, Raleigh, North Carolina**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**27606**  
(Zip Code)

**(919) 754-3700**

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

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(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.

Effective as of March 22, 2007, Gabriela Gonzalez, Controller and principal accounting officer of Red Hat, Inc. (the Company), resigned from the Company voluntarily. Ms. Gonzalez indicated that her resignation was not due to a disagreement with the Company.

Charles E. Peters, Jr., the Company's Chief Financial Officer, has assumed the additional responsibilities of interim Controller and principal accounting officer. Mr. Peters will serve in that capacity until a successor is named for Ms. Gonzalez.

SIGNATURE

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.

RED HAT, INC.

Date: March 28, 2007

By: /s/ Charles E. Peters, Jr.  
Charles E. Peters, Jr.  
Chief Financial Officer