

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:
April 11, 2000

Designs, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

0-15898

(Commission
File Number)

04-2623104

(IRS Employer)
Identification No.)

66 B Street, Needham, MA 02494

Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

781-444-7222

(Registrant's telephone number,
including area code)

Item 6. Resignation of Director

On April 10, 2000, the Company announced that James Mitarotonda resigned on April 4, 2000 as a Director of the Company's Board of Directors.

There were no disagreements with the Company on any matter relating to the Company's operations, policies or practices. Mr. Mitarotonda's letter of resignation is attached to this Form 8K as exhibit 17.

In addition, on April 10, 2000, the Company announced the election by Unanimous Consent of Seymour Holtzman to the Board of Directors to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of James Mitarotonda.

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

- Exhibit 17 Letter of Resignation

SIGNATURES

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

DESIGNS, INC.

Dated: April 11, 2000

by: /s/John J. Schultz

John J. Schultz, President,
Chief Executive Officer, and
Director

Barington
Barington Captial Group

April 4, 2000

John J. Schultz
Designs, Inc.
66 B Street
Needham, MA 02494-2702

Dear Mr. Schultz:

Effective as of April 4, 2000, I hereby resign as a Director of Designs, Inc.

Sincerely,

/s/ JAMES MITAROTONDA
James Mitarotonda

cc: Seymour Holtzman

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