UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K/A

(Amendment No. 1)

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 21, 2022

FORTINET, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-34511 (Commission File Number) 77-0560389 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

899 Kifer Road
Sunnyvale, CA 94086
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(408) 235-7700 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

| | the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended ing provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below): | to simultaneously satisfy the filing oblig | ation of the registrant under any of the | | |
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| | Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) | | | | |
| | Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) | | | | |
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| | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) | | | | |
| | ies registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act: (Title of each class) Common Stock, \$0.001 Par Value | (Trading Symbol) FTNT | (Name of exchange on which registered) The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC | | |
| | e by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growtl) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 24 | | Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this | | |
| Emergi | ng growth company \square | | | | |
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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.

Fortinet, Inc. (the "Company") filed a Current Report on Form 8-K on October 6, 2021 disclosing that, on October 4, 2021, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Company appointed Admiral James Stavridis to join the Board as a director whose term will expire at the Company's 2022 annual meeting of stockholders, with such appointment being effective as of October 22, 2021.

At the time of Admiral Stavridis' appointment, the Board had not yet determined on which of the Board's standing committees Admiral Stavridis would serve.

On January 21, 2022, the Board appointed Admiral Stavridis to the Social Responsibility Committee of the Board, effective immediately.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

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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 |
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| hereunto duly authorized. |

| | Fortinet, Inc. | |
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| Date: January 26, 2022 | By: | /s/ John Whittle |
| | | John Whittle |
| | | Executive Vice President and General Counsel |