

VERISIGN INC/CA  
Form 8-K  
December 13, 2011

**UNITED STATES**  
**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 (Date of earliest event reported): December 7, 2011

**VERISIGN, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

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**000-23593**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**94-3221585**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**12061 Bluemont Way, Reston, VA**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**20190**  
(Zip Code)

**(703) 948-3200**

**(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)**

**(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))

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

(e) On December 7, 2011, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of VeriSign, Inc. (the Company) resolved to award John Calys a special cash bonus of \$50,000 per calendar quarter for his service as interim chief financial officer of the Company, beginning in respect of the fourth quarter of 2011 and continuing so long as he remains as interim chief financial officer of the Company, subject to such other conditions as the Committee may determine.

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

VERISIGN, INC.

Date: December 13, 2011

By: /s/ Richard H. Goshorn  
Richard H. Goshorn  
Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary