

Explanatory Note

This Amendment to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Xerium Technologies, Inc. (the “Company”) on June 16, 2017 (the “Original 8-K”) updates disclosures made under Item 5.07, Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders, regarding the results of the Company’s 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders held on June 15, 2017 (the “2017 Annual Meeting”). The sole purpose of this Amendment is to disclose the Company’s decision regarding how frequently it will conduct future advisory stockholder votes on the compensation of the Company’s named executive officers (the “Say-on-Pay Votes”). No other changes have been made to the Original 8-K.

Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

(d) As previously disclosed in the Original 8-K, at the 2017 Annual Meeting, the Company’s stockholders approved, on an advisory basis, holding future Say-on-Pay Votes every year. In light of this vote, which was consistent with the recommendation of the Company’s Board of Directors, the Company confirms that it will hold future Say-on-Pay Votes every year until the next advisory stockholder vote on this matter. The Company is required to hold a vote on the frequency of Say-on-Pay Votes at least once every six years.

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.

XERIUM
TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By /s/ Phillip Kennedy
Phillip Kennedy

Name:

Title: Vice President,
Secretary and
General Counsel

Date: August 4, 2017