UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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 20, 2000

SILICON LABORATORIES INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

4635 Boston Lane, Austin, TX 78735
-----(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (512) 416-8500

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

On December 20, 2000, Silicon Laboratories Inc. (the "Registrant") announced that it has settled its lawsuit against Analog Devices, Inc. and 3Com Corporation originally filed on January 12, 2000, in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas (Austin Division). A copy of the press release issued by the Registrant on December 20, 2000 concerning the foregoing lawsuit settlement is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

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.

Silicon Laboratories Inc., a Delaware corporation

Dated: December 21, 2000

By: /s/ John W. McGovern

John W. McGovern Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit
Number Description

99.1 Press Release dated December 20, 2000, of the Registrant.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
For more information, please contact:

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SILICON LABORATORIES, ANALOG DEVICES AND 3COM SETTLE LAWSUIT

AUSTIN, TEXAS - DECEMBER 20, 2000 - Silicon Laboratories Inc. (Nasdaq: SLAB), Analog Devices (NYSE: ADI) and 3Com Corporation (Nasdaq: COMS) today announced that they have settled the lawsuit originally filed by Silicon Laboratories on January 12, 2000, in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas (Austin Division). The settlement terms are confidential.

SILICON LABORATORIES

Silicon Laboratories Inc. designs, manufactures and markets proprietary high-performance mixed-signal integrated circuits (ICs) for the wireless, wireline and optical communications industries. Silicon Laboratories is an ISO9001-certified manufacturer and has applied for over 80 patents on its mixed-signal technology. The company was incorporated in 1996 and is based in Austin, Texas. Additional information about Silicon Labs is available at www.silabs.com or through the toll-free investor relations line at 1-877-411-SLAB (7522).

ANALOG DEVICES

With revenues of \$2.58 billion for fiscal 2000, Analog Devices is a leading manufacturer of precision high-performance integrated circuits used in analog and digital signal processing applications. The company is headquartered in Norwood, Massachusetts. It employs approximately 9,100 people worldwide and has manufacturing facilities in Massachusetts, California, North Carolina, Ireland, the Philippines and Taiwan. Analog Devices' stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange and the company is included in the S&P 500 Index.

3COM CORPORATION

3Com simplifies how people connect to information and service through easy-to-use connectivity products and solutions for consumers and commercial organizations. The company also provides access infrastructures and IP services platforms for network service providers. For further information, visit www.3Com.com or the press site at www.3Com.com/pressbox.

CAUTIONARY LANGUAGE

This press release may contain forward-looking statements based on Silicon Laboratories' current expectations. These forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties. A number of important factors could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements. Silicon Laboratories believes that it is important to communicate the company's future expectations to investors. However, there may be events in the future that Silicon Laboratories is not able to accurately predict or control. For a discussion of these and other factors which could impact Silicon Laboratories' financial results and cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements, please refer to Silicon Laboratories' recent filings with the SEC, particularly the Form 8-K/A filed September 8, 2000, the Form 8-K filed August 11, 2000, the Form 10-Q filed October 16, 2000, the Form 10-Q filed July 17, 2000, the Form 10-Q filed April 26, 2000 and the Registration Statement on Form S-1 for Silicon Laboratories' initial public offering, as consummated on March 23, 2000.

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