

ARROW ELECTRONICS INC

Form DEFA14A

March 19, 2008

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 14A
(Rule 14a-101)**

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROXY STATEMENT

SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

**PROXY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 14(a) OF THE SECURITIES
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (AMENDMENT NO.)**

Filed by the Registrant

Filed by a Party other than the Registrant

Check the appropriate box:

Preliminary Proxy Statement

Confidential, for Use
of the Commission
Only (as permitted by
Rule 14a-6(e)(2))

Definitive Proxy
Statement

Definitive Additional
Materials

Soliciting Material
Pursuant to
Section 240.14a-11(c)
or Section 240.14a-2.

ARROW ELECTRONICS, INC.

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

(Name of Person(s) Filing Proxy Statement, if other than Registrant)

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No fee required.

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Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Shareholder Meeting to be held on May 2, 2008.

This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

The following materials are available for view:

Notice and Proxy Statement / Annual Report

To view this material, have the 12-digit Control #(s) (located on the following page) available and visit:

www.proxyvote.com

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of the above listed documents you must request one. There is no charge to you for requesting a copy. To facilitate timely delivery please make the request as instructed below on or before April 14, 2008.

To request material: **Internet:** www.proxyvote.com **Telephone:** 1-800-579-1639 ****Email:**

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Requests, instructions and other inquiries will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor.

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Vote By Internet

To vote by Internet, go to **WWW.PROXYVOTE.COM**.

You may use the Internet to vote and to access proxy materials until 11:59 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time, May 1, 2008, the day before the Annual Meeting.

Vote In Person

You may vote in person by attending the Annual Meeting of Shareholders on Friday, May 2, 2008 at the Grand Hyatt New York, 109 East 42nd Street, New York, New York at 11:00 a.m.

Meeting Location

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders
is to be held on May 2, 2008 at 11:00 a.m.
at: Grand Hyatt New York
109 East 42nd Street
New York, New York

**The Grand Hyatt New York is located on 42nd Street at the corner of Lexington Avenue.
To obtain directions, please refer to the hotel's website at:
<https://grandnewyork.hyatt.com/hyatt/hotels/services/maps/>**

Voting items

The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR each of Proposals 1, 2 and 3.

1. Authority to vote FOR the election of directors in accordance with the Proxy Statement.

NOMINEES:

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| 01 | Daniel W. Duval | 07 | Michael J. Long |
| 02 | Gail E. Hamilton | 08 | Karen Gordon Mills |
| 03 | John N. Hanson | 09 | William E. Mitchell |
| 04 | Richard S. Hill | 10 | Stephen C. Patrick |
| 05 | M.F. (Fran) Keeth | 11 | Barry W. Perry |
| 06 | Roger King | 12 | John C. Waddell |

2. Ratification of the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as Arrow's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008
3. Proposal to Amend the Arrow Electronics, Inc. 2004 Omnibus Incentive Plan.