SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-A

FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1937

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ITEM 1. DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT'S SECURITIES TO BE REGISTERED.

For a description of the securities to be registered hereunder, reference is made to the information set forth under the heading "Description of Capital Stock" contained in the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1, File No. 333-96137 (the "Form S-1"), as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on February 4, 2000, as amended, which information is hereby incorporated by reference.

ITEM 2. EXHIBITS.

The following exhibits to this Registration Statement have been filed as exhibits to the Form S-1 and are hereby incorporated herein by reference.

EXHIBIT NO.

DESCRIPTION

- 1. Fifth Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Sohu.com Inc., as filed with the Delaware Secretary of State on June 22, 2000, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 of the Form S-1.
- 2. Bylaws of Sohu.com Inc., incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.2 of the Form S-1.
- Form of Sixth Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Sohu.com Inc., to be effective upon the closing of the offering, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.3 of the Form S-1.
- 4. Amended and Restated Bylaws of Sohu.com Inc., to be effective upon the closing of the offering, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.4 of the Form S-1.
- 5. Series B Preferred Stock Purchase Agreement, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.5 of the Form S-1.
- 6. Series B-1 Preferred Stock Purchase Agreement, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.6 of the Form S-1.
- 7. Series C Preferred Stock Purchase Agreement, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.7 of the Form S-1.
- 8. Series D Preferred Stock Purchase Agreement, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.8 of the Form S-1.
- 9. Second Amended and Restated Stockholders' Voting Agreement, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.9 of the Form S-1.
- 10. Third Amended and Restated Investor Rights Agreement, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.10 of the Form S-1.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

SOHU.COM INC. (Registrant)

Date: July 7, 2000 By: /s/ Thomas Gurnee

Thomas Gurnee

Senior Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer