

ALVARION LTD  
Form 6-K  
November 23, 2009

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

**Form 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER**

**PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16  
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of September 2009

Commission File Number: 0-30628

**ALVARION LTD.**

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(Translation of registrant's name into English)

21A Habarzel Street, Tel Aviv 69710, Israel

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(Address of principal executive office)

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The following are included in this report on Form 6-K:

<u>Exhibit</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sequential Page Number</u>
1.	Press release on <b>Alvarion's</b> Board of Director's Member, <b>Dr. David Kettler, Passed Away</b> Dated November 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2009	5

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**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, thereunto duly authorized.

ALVARION LTD.

Date: November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2009

By: /s/ Efrat Makov

Efrat Makov  
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**EXHIBIT 1**

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**Alvarion s® Board of Director s Member, Dr. David Kettler, Passed Away**

**Tel-Aviv, Israel, November 23, 2009** Alvarion Ltd. (NASDAQ: ALVR), the world s leading provider of WiMAX and wireless broadband solutions, regrets to announce the untimely passing of Dr. David Kettler. Dr. Kettler who was a member of the company s board of directors since 2004 has passed away on November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

**About Alvarion**

Alvarion (NASDAQ: ALVR) is the largest WiMAX pure-player with the most extensive WiMAX customer base and over 250 commercial deployments around the globe. Committed to growing the WiMAX market, the company offers solutions for a wide range of frequency bands supporting a variety of business cases. Through its OPEN WiMAX strategy, superior IP and OFDMA know-how, and ability to deploy end-to-end turnkey WiMAX projects, Alvarion is shaping the new wireless broadband experience ([www.alvarion.com](http://www.alvarion.com)).

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