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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

**FORM 10-QSB**

(Mark One)

**Quarterly Report under Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2007

**Transition Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act**

For the transition period from        to

Commission File number 0-16449

**RAINING DATA CORPORATION**

(Exact name of small business issuer as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State of Incorporation)

**94-3046892**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**25A Technology Drive  
Irvine, CA 92618**

(Address of principal executive offices)

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**(949) 442-4400**

(Issuer's telephone number)

Check whether the issuer: (1) filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act during the past 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.  
Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the issuer is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes  No

As of September 30, 2007, there were 21,320,492 shares of issuer's Common Stock, \$.10 par value, outstanding.

Transitional Small Business Disclosure Format (Check one): Yes  No

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## PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**RAINING DATA CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES**  
**UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS**

	September 30, 2007	March 31, 2007
	(In thousands)	
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 12,234	\$ 11,654
Trade accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$287 and \$200, respectively	2,029	1,609
Other current assets	446	461
Total current assets	14,709	13,724
Property, furniture and equipment-net	909	949
Goodwill	26,674	26,751
Other assets	102	112
Total assets	\$ 42,394	\$ 41,536
<b>LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY</b>		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 187	\$ 130
Accrued liabilities	2,004	2,536
Deferred revenue	5,084	4,801
Debt-net of discount	951	
Total current liabilities	8,226	7,467
Long-term debt-net of discount	23,852	24,150
Total liabilities	32,078	31,617
Commitments and contingencies		
Subsequent event		
Stockholders' equity		
Preferred stock		
Common stock	2,132	2,118
Additional paid-in-capital	102,183	101,385
Accumulated other comprehensive income	1,305	1,612
Accumulated deficit	(95,304)	(95,196)
Total stockholders' equity	10,316	9,919
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 42,394	\$ 41,536

See accompanying notes to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.



**RAINING DATA CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES**  
**UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS**  
(In thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Six Months Ended September 30,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
<b>Net revenues</b>				
Licenses	\$ 1,959	\$ 1,686	\$ 3,961	\$ 3,340
Services	2,987	2,910	5,958	5,928
Total net revenues	4,946	4,596	9,919	9,268
<b>Operating expenses</b>				
Cost of license revenues	12	19	21	40
Cost of service revenues	454	488	939	1,141
Selling and marketing	1,373	1,394	2,677	2,850
Research and development	1,922	2,198	3,919	4,844
General and administrative	1,048	1,002	2,371	2,009
Total operating expenses	4,809	5,101	9,927	10,884
Operating income (loss)	137	(505)	(8)	(1,616)
<b>Other income (expense)</b>				
Interest expense-net	(204)	(208)	(406)	(431)
Other income (expense)-net	205	(3)	383	7
Total other income (expense)	1	(211)	(23)	(424)
Income (loss) before income taxes	138	(716)	(31)	(2,040)
Provision for income taxes	58	59	77	40
Net income (loss)	\$ 80	\$ (775)	\$ (108)	\$ (2,080)
<b>Basic net income (loss) per share</b>				
	\$ 0.00	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.10)
<b>Diluted net income (loss) per share</b>				
	\$ 0.00	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.10)
<b>Shares used in computing basic net income (loss) per share</b>				
	21,241	20,989	21,214	20,820
<b>Shares used in computing diluted net income (loss) per share</b>				
	22,073	20,989	21,214	20,820

See accompanying notes to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

**RAINING DATA CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES**  
**UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**

	Six Months Ended September 30,	
	2007	2006
	(In thousands)	
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (108)	\$ (2,080)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization of long-lived assets	132	154
Provision for bad debt	74	
Note payable discount amortization	42	41
Stock-based compensation expense	556	457
Deferred income tax expense	77	40
Foreign currency exchange gain	(334)	(40)
Change in assets and liabilities:		
Trade accounts receivable	(64)	391
Other current and non-current assets	(3)	(95)
Accounts payable	53	(133)
Accrued liabilities	60	158
Deferred revenue	(231)	(120)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	254	(1,227)
Cash flows used in investing activities-purchase of property, furniture and equipment		
	(33)	(140)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	204	981
Proceeds from issuance of common stock	52	112
Net cash provided by financing activities	256	1,093
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	103	74
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	580	(200)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	11,654	10,789
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 12,234	\$ 10,589
Non-cash financing activities:		
Accrued interest added to debt	\$ 611	\$ 568

See accompanying notes to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

**RAINING DATA CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES**

**NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**September 30, 2007**

**1. INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial information furnished herein reflects all adjustments, consisting only of normal recurring items, which in the opinion of management are necessary to fairly state Raining Data Corporation and its subsidiaries (collectively, Company or we, us or our ) results of the operations and cash flows for the dates and periods presented and to make such information presented not misleading. Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America have been omitted pursuant to SEC rules and regulations; nevertheless, management of the Company believes that the disclosures herein are adequate to make the information presented not misleading. These condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2007, contained in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-KSB. The results of operations for the three and six months ended September 30, 2007, are not necessarily indicative of results to be expected for any other interim period or the fiscal year ending March 31, 2008.

**2. RECENTLY ADOPTED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS**

*SAB No. 108*

In September 2006, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued Staff Accounting Bulletin ( SAB ) No. 108, *Considering the Effects of Prior Year Misstatements when Quantifying Misstatements in Current Year Financial Statements*. We adopted SAB No. 108 in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2007. In accordance with SAB No. 108, we recorded a cumulative effect adjustment to beginning retained earnings as of April 1, 2006, as further described in the Company's audited financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2007, contained in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-KSB. For comparative purposes, the statement of operations for the three and six months ended September 30, 2006 has been adjusted to reflect the adoption of SAB No. 108 as described below. The adoption of SAB No. 108 did not require revision to cash flows from operating, investing or financing activities for the three and six months ended September 30, 2006.

For the three months ended September 30, 2006, the effect of adopting SAB No. 108 was a decrease in general and administrative expenses of \$73,000, and an increase in other expense of \$17,000. The effect on net loss for the three months ended September 30, 2006 was a decrease in net loss of \$56,000 with no effect on basic or diluted net loss per share. For the six months ended September 30, 2006, the effect of adopting SAB No. 108 was an increase in general and administrative expenses of \$128,000, and an increase in other expense of \$29,000. The effect on net loss was an increase in net loss of \$157,000, and the effect on basic and diluted net loss per share was an increase in net loss per share of \$0.01.

*FIN 48*



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In July 2006, the FASB issued FASB Interpretation No. 48, *Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes - an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109* ( FIN 48 ), which clarifies the accounting and disclosure for uncertainty in tax positions by prescribing a minimum probability threshold a tax position must meet to be recognized in the financial statements. FIN 48 requires an entity to recognize all or a portion of the financial statement benefit of an uncertain income tax position only if the position, based solely on its technical merits and on all relevant information as of the reporting date, would have a greater than 50% probability of being sustained were the relevant taxing authority to audit the applicable tax returns. If a tax position meets the threshold, then the entity will evaluate the benefits it would recognize at increasing levels

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of cumulative probabilities, and will record the largest amount of benefit that would have a greater than 50% probability of being sustained on audit (including resolution of any related appeals or litigation). An entity will not recognize any benefit of an uncertain income tax position that fails to meet the greater than 50% probability threshold.

The Company is subject to the provisions of FIN 48 as of April 1, 2007, and has analyzed filing positions in the federal and state jurisdictions where it is required to file income tax returns, as well as open tax years in these jurisdictions. As a result of adoption, we have recorded no additional tax liability. As of the date of adoption, the Company's uncertain tax positions totaled \$94,000, all of which would affect our annual effective income tax rate if recognized.

The Company files consolidated and separate income tax return in the United States Federal jurisdiction and in certain state jurisdictions as well as foreign jurisdictions including France, Germany, and the United Kingdom. With limited exceptions, the Company is no longer subject to US Federal income tax examinations for fiscal years before 2004 and is no longer subject to state and local income tax examinations by tax authorities for fiscal years before 2003.

Neither the Company nor its subsidiaries is currently under examination by any taxing authorities.

The Company recognizes potential accrued interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions in income tax expense. During the six months ended September 30, 2007, the Company did not recognize a significant amount in potential interest and penalties associated with uncertain tax positions. As of September 30, 2007, the Company has accrued approximately \$18,000 in interest and penalties. To the extent interest and penalties are not assessed with respect to uncertain tax positions, amounts accrued will be reduced and reflected as a reduction of the overall income tax provision.

The Company does not anticipate that total unrecognized tax benefits will significantly change due to the settlement of audits and the expiration of statute of limitation prior to September 30, 2008.

### 3. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION

The Company has a stock option plan ( 1999 Plan ) that provides for the granting of stock options, restricted stock and restricted stock units to directors, employees and consultants. The Company also has an Employee Stock Purchase Plan ( ESPP ) which allows the employees to purchase the Company's common stock at a discount.

Total stock-based compensation expense included in the unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations for the three and six months ended September 30, 2007 and 2006, (in thousands) were as follows:

Three Months Ended		Six Months Ended	
September 30,		September 30,	
2007	2006	2007	2006

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Cost of revenue	\$	2	\$		\$	2	\$	4
Operating expenses:								
Selling and marketing		146		95		233		185
Research and development		64		74		142		136
General and administrative		89		77		179		132
Total stock-based compensation expense		301		246		556		457
Income tax benefit								
Net stock-based compensation expense	\$	301	\$	246	\$	556	\$	457

As of September 30, 2007, there was approximately \$2.9 million of total unrecognized compensation cost related to nonvested share-based compensation arrangements granted under the plans. That cost is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 2.9 years.

**4. RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS**

In September 2006, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ( FASB ) issued SFAS No. 157, *Fair Value Measurements* ( SFAS No. 157 ). This statement defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value in generally accepted accounting principles, and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. It also applies under other accounting pronouncements that require or permit fair value measurement as a relevant attribute. SFAS No. 157 is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007, and all interim periods within that fiscal year. Management of the Company is evaluating the impact of this pronouncement on the Company's consolidated results of operations and financial condition.

**5. DEBT**

Astoria Capital Partners, L.P. ( Astoria ), GFAM Hedge Partnership ( GFAM ) and CAM Small Cap Fund L.P., are each holders of a 5% Convertible Subordinated Note Due in May 2008. The interest rate of the Convertible Subordinated Notes is 5% per annum, payable quarterly, which has been refinanced through increases to the outstanding principal of the Convertible Subordinated Notes. The Convertible Subordinated Notes have a maturity date of May 30, 2008. The Convertible Subordinated Notes are convertible into common stock, at the option of the holder, at a price of \$5.00 per share, at any time through May 29, 2008.

As of September 30, 2007 and March 31, 2007, the outstanding amounts under such notes were as follows (in thousands):

	September 30, 2007	March 31, 2007
Subordinated convertible notes payable	\$ 24,543	\$ 23,946
Plus accrued interest	309	295
Less unamortized discount	(49)	(91)
Total notes payable	\$ 24,803	\$ 24,150

**6. SUBSEQUENT EVENT**

On October 4, 2007, the Company received a conversion notice from Astoria and on October 5, 2007, the Company received a conversion notice from GFAM, each electing to convert its Convertible Subordinated Note in full. As a result, \$22,917,000 of outstanding principal owed to Astoria under its Convertible Subordinate Note was converted into 4,583,400 shares of the Company's common stock, and \$981,000 of outstanding principal owed to GFAM under its Convertible Subordinated Note was converted into 196,200 shares of the Company's common stock. Per the terms of the Convertible Subordinated Notes, the Company made a cash payment to Astoria and GFAM of approximately \$13,181 and \$1,264, respectively, for amounts outstanding under the Convertible Subordinated Notes that were not converted into shares of common stock. Following the conversion of such Convertible Subordinated Notes and the cash payment to Astoria and GFAM, the Convertible Subordinated Notes held by Astoria and GFAM were cancelled. After the conversion by Astoria and GFAM, one Convertible Subordinated Note remains outstanding, with a principal balance of approximately \$1 million.

**7. STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY**

The following table sets forth the computation of basic and diluted net income (loss) per share:

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Six Months Ended September 30,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
	(In thousands, except per share amounts)			
Net income (loss)	\$ 80	\$ (775)	\$ (108)	\$ (2,080)
Shares:				
Weighted-average shares outstanding-basic	21,241	20,989	21,214	20,820
Potential dilutive common shares, using treasury stock method	832			
Weighted-average shares outstanding-diluted	22,073	20,989	21,214	20,820
Net income (loss) per share:				
Basic	\$ 0.00	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.10)
Diluted	\$ 0.00	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.10)

Basic income (loss) per share is computed using the net income (loss) and the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. Diluted income (loss) per share is computed using the net income (loss) and the weighted average number of common shares and potential common shares outstanding during the period when the potential common shares are dilutive. Potential dilutive common shares include outstanding stock options and convertible debt.

Weighted outstanding options to purchase 2,348,853 shares of the Company's common stock, and convertible debt outstanding, which was convertible into 4,908,600 shares, have been excluded from the computation of diluted net income per share for the three months ended September 30, 2007. Weighted outstanding options to purchase 4,284,018 shares of the Company's common stock were excluded from diluted net loss per share calculation for the six months ended September 30, 2007. Weighted outstanding options to purchase 4,441,223 shares and 4,460,971 shares of the Company's common stock were excluded from diluted net loss per share calculation for the three and six months ended September 30, 2006, respectively. Convertible debt outstanding, which was convertible into 4,848,200 shares of the Company's common stock was excluded from the computation of diluted net loss per share for the six months ended September 30, 2007. Convertible debt outstanding, which was convertible into 4,670,600 shares and 4,613,000 shares of the Company's common stock was excluded from the computation of diluted net loss per share for the three and six months ended September 30, 2006, respectively. The effects of these items were not included in the computation of diluted income (loss) per share because their effect would have been anti-dilutive.

The change in accumulated other comprehensive loss during the three and six month periods ended September 30, 2007 and 2006, is the result of the effect of foreign exchange rate changes. The following table reconciles net income (loss) as reported with total comprehensive loss (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Six Months Ended September 30,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
Net income (loss) reported	\$ 80	\$ (775)	\$ (108)	\$ (2,080)
Translation adjustments - net	(118)	(77)	(307)	84
Total comprehensive loss	\$ (38)	\$ (852)	\$ (415)	\$ (1,996)



**8. BUSINESS SEGMENT**

The Company operates in one reportable segment. International operations consist primarily of foreign sales offices selling software developed in the United States of America combined with local maintenance revenue. The following table summarizes consolidated financial information of the Company's operations by geographic location (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Six Months Ended September 30,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
<b>Net revenue</b>				
North America	\$ 3,303	\$ 3,185	\$ 6,692	\$ 6,436
Europe/Africa	1,643	1,411	3,227	2,832
Total	\$ 4,946	\$ 4,596	\$ 9,919	\$ 9,268

	September 30, 2007	March 31, 2007
<b>Long-lived assets</b>		
North America	\$ 27,048	\$ 27,174
Europe/Africa	637	638
Total	\$ 27,685	\$ 27,812

The Company operates in one reportable segment and is engaged in the design, development, sale, and support of three software product lines: 1) XML Data Management Servers ( XDMS ), 2) Multidimensional Database Management Systems ( MDMS ), and 3) Rapid Application Development ( RAD ) software tools. The following table represents the net revenue from the Company's segment by product line (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Six Months Ended September 30,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
Databases	\$ 3,969	\$ 4,187	\$ 8,025	\$ 7,512
RAD Tools	977	409	1,894	1,756
Total	\$ 4,946	\$ 4,596	\$ 9,919	\$ 9,268

**9. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

The Company is subject from time to time to litigation, claims and suits arising in the ordinary course of business. As of September 30, 2007, the Company was a party to the following legal proceedings:

*Raining Data v. Intrametrix.* On or about January 19, 2007, the Company filed a complaint in Orange County Superior Court that sets forth allegations that Intrametrix threatens to and has misappropriated the Company's trade secrets. The Company's allegations in the complaint include that Intrametrix has obtained the Company's source code in violation of the Parties' OEM (Original Equipment Manufacturer) Distribution Agreement and in violation of California's laws prohibiting the misappropriation of trade secrets. The Company seeks injunctive relief from

Intrametrics, including, but not limited to, compelling Intrametrics to fully comply with all of the termination provisions set forth in the OEM Agreement; enjoining Intrametrics and its employees and agents from using or disclosing the Company's trade secrets; prohibiting Intrametrics from soliciting the Company's current or potential customers for 3 years, and from soliciting or employing certain of the Company's former employees for 3 years. Intrametrics filed a motion to quash the Complaint, which the Company opposed, but on the morning of the hearing, Intrametrics first notified the Company that it filed Chapter 11 bankruptcy, effectively staying the litigation in Orange County Superior Court. The Company is pursuing further discovery and litigation in the bankruptcy court in Houston, TX.



*Raining Data v. Soheil Raissi (formerly the Company's Vice President, Product Development and Professional Services), Mario Barrenechea (formerly the Company's Senior Vice President, Worldwide Sales and Marketing, Pick and Omnis Products), and Adevnet, LLC.* On or about December 8, 2006, the Company filed a complaint in Orange County Superior Court that sets forth allegations that the defendants threaten to and have misappropriated the Company's trade secrets. The Company's allegations in the complaint include that the individual defendants have used and/or disclosed the Company's trade secrets (in the form of source code and licenses and other trade secret information) in violation of their agreements with the Company to maintain the confidentiality of such trade secret information, and in violation of California laws prohibiting the misappropriation of trade secrets. The Company seeks injunctive relief from the defendants, including, but not limited to, compelling the defendants to immediately return all of the Company's trade secrets and property; enjoining the defendants and their employees and agents from using or disclosing the Company's trade secrets, including the Company's source code; ordering the defendants to disclose all gains and profits they have derived from the misappropriation of the Company's trade secrets; enjoining the defendants from directly or indirectly supplying, selling or promoting any product that incorporates the Company's trade secrets.

*Cross-Complaint by Soheil Raissi, Mario Barrenechea and Adevnet v. Raining Data.* On or about January 10, 2007, the defendants filed a cross-complaint against the Company and Carlton Baab (the Company's President and Chief Executive Officer) for the following claims: unfair business practices, violation of civil rights, intentional interference with prospective economic advantage, negligent interference with prospective economic advantage, malicious prosecution, abuse of process, negligence, and civil conspiracy. Cross-complainants allege general, compensatory, special, and punitive and exemplary damages in amounts according to proof, and seek to enjoin the Company from engaging in improper and unlawful conduct. The Company and Carlton Baab (the Cross-Defendants) contend that all of the claims are baseless, and filed a special motion to strike all of the claims in the cross-complaint. The Company's special motion to strike is scheduled to be heard in April 2008. The Cross-Defendants will continue to vigorously defend their rights in this litigation. We are unable to estimate any loss or range of loss at this time. Management believes that the ultimate disposition of this matter will not have a material adverse effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements, results of operations, cash flows or liquidity.

#### *Indemnification*

The Company's standard customer license and software agreements contain indemnification and warranty provisions which are generally consistent with practice in the Company's industry. The duration of the Company's service warranties generally does not exceed 30 days following completion of its services. The Company has not incurred significant obligations under customer indemnification or warranty provisions historically and does not expect to incur significant obligations in the future. Accordingly, the Company does not maintain accruals for potential customer indemnification or warranty-related obligations. The maximum potential amount of future payments that the Company could be required to make is generally limited under the indemnification provisions in its customer license and service agreements.

## **ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OR PLAN OF OPERATION**



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This Form 10-QSB contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act ), and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ). These statements may generally be identified by the use of such words as expect, anticipate, believe, intend, plan, will, or shall, or the negative of those terms. We have based our forward-looking statements on our current expectations and projections about future events. Forward-looking statements involve certain risks and uncertainties and actual results may differ materially from those discussed in any such statement. Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from such forward-looking statements include the risks described under the heading Risk Factors in Item 2 of this Form 10-QSB and elsewhere in this Form 10-QSB. The forward-looking statements contained in this Form 10-QSB include, but are not limited to statements about the following: (1) our future success, (2) our research and development efforts, (3) our future operating results and cash flow, (4) our competitive ability and position, (5) the markets in which we operate, (6) our revenue, (7) cost of license revenue and cost of service revenue, (8) our selling and marketing costs, (9) our backlog, (10) the adoption of certain critical accounting policies and the related judgments and estimates, (11) our belief that our existing cash balances combined with our cash flow from operating activities will be sufficient to meet our operating and capital expenditure requirements for the remainder of the fiscal year ending March 31, 2008, (12) our liquidity, (13) our focus on the continued development and enhancement of the TigerLogic XDMS product line, and identification of new and emerging application areas and discussions with channel partners for the sale and distribution of the TigerLogic product line and (14) the sales cycle for our products being longer than anticipated. All forward-looking statements in this document are made as of the date hereof, based on information available to us as of the date hereof, and we assume no obligation to update any forward-looking statement.

**Overview**



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We were incorporated in the State of Delaware in August 1987. We were originally incorporated as Blyth Holdings, Inc. and our name was changed to Omnis Technology Corporation in September 1997. Effective December 1, 2000, we completed the acquisition of PickAx, Inc., a Delaware corporation ( PickAx ). Concurrent with the acquisition, we changed our name to Raining Data Corporation.

### **Products**



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Our principal business is the design, development, sale and support of software infrastructure. Our products allow customers to create and enhance flexible software applications for their own needs, and our software may be categorized into three product lines: XDMS, MDMS, RAD software tools.

Many of our products are based on the Pick Universal Data Model ( Pick UDM ), which we created, and are capable of handling data from many sources. The Pick UDM is a core component across the XDMS and MDMS product lines.

Beginning in 2001, we began an extensive effort to leverage our time-proven Pick UDM and core intellectual property to create an enterprise class XML database management system for the emerging XML market, the growing need for native XML data stores and the ability to handle structured and unstructured data. This significant investment of time and resources resulted in the TigerLogic XDMS product line. We are focused on the continued development and enhancement of this product line, identification of new and emerging application areas and discussions with channel partners for the sale and distribution of the TigerLogic product line.

### *TigerLogic XDMS*





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TigerLogic XML Data Management Server provides high-performance management and query of XML data by leveraging the time-proven Pick UDM. TigerLogic also enables the ability to query external data sources as if they were one logical database and maintains referential integrity across data sources. TigerLogic's patent-pending XML Indexing and Profiling technology enables it to access XML data via XQuery between 10x to 150x faster in internal tests than relational databases, XML repositories or XML Index and Search engines. TigerLogic provides XML, Java, .NET, WSDL and SOAP compatibility for simplified plug-in and integration with development environments of choice.

TigerLogic provides an extensible and flexible development and deployment environment. Unlike other XML data management alternatives, TigerLogic XDMS does not need to know the schema or structure of data before processing and storing it. We believe the ability to make XML schemas optional is a vital innovation because the structures of operational systems frequently change, and mapping schemas for the purpose of linking to a new data source is both difficult and time-consuming. The system also enables support for schema versioning, which is critical when addressing evolving standards and XML schemas. The General Availability Release of TigerLogic XDMS version 2.6, which included support for enhanced XQuery features, including XQuery stored procedures and full-text search and support for High Availability clustering, was released in July 2006. Version 3.0, which is the third generation release of the product and includes compliance with the XML Query 1.0 specification, released in January 2007, cache management of data sources, in-memory cache, support for Geospatial data, enhanced APIs and data replication was released for beta testing in June 2007.

### ***Multi-dimensional Databases (MDMS)***



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The MDMS product line consists principally of the D3 Data Base Management System ( D3 ), which runs on many operating systems such as IBM AIX, Linux and Windows NT. D3 allows application programmers to create new business solution software in less time than it normally takes in many other environments. This can translate into lower costs for the developer, lower software prices for the customer and reduced costs of ownership for both the developer and end user. Our MDMS products also include mvEnterprise, a scalable multi-dimensional database solution that allows the user to leverage the capabilities of the UNIX operating system, and mvBase, a multi-dimensional database solution that runs on all Windows platforms.

MDMS components include the Pick Data Provider for .Net ( PDP ) and our Pick Reporting Services Connector. The PDP component for the Microsoft .NET Framework is tightly integrated with Microsoft Visual Studio .NET. It allows software developers using IBM s Universe and Unidata databases and our D3 database platform to build client/server applications, Web applications or Web services using any of the languages and technologies that run on the Microsoft .NET Framework, such as Microsoft ASP.NET, Visual Basic .NET, Visual C# .NET and Visual J# .NET. Our Pick Reporting Services Connector enables a data connection that allows Pick database users to unlock the benefits of Microsoft Reporting Services to take advantage of a comprehensive, server-based reporting solution that can author, manage, and deliver both paper-oriented and interactive, Web-based reports. This solution also allows access to IBM UniVerse, IBM UniData and Pick D3 data.

*Rapid Application Development (RAD) Tools*



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Our RAD products support the full life cycle of software application development and are designed for rapid prototyping, development and deployment of graphical user interface ( GUI ) client/server and Web applications. The RAD products include Omnis Studio, Omnis Studio for SAP and Omnis Classic, and are object-oriented and component-based, providing the ability to deploy applications on operating system platforms such as Windows, Unix and Linux, as well as database environments such as MySQL, Oracle, DB2, Sybase, Microsoft SQL Server and other Open Data Base Connectivity ( ODBC ) compatible database management systems.

### **Technical Support**





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Our products are used by our customers to build and deploy applications that may become a critical component of their business operations. As a result, continuing to provide customer technical support services is an important element of our business strategy. Customers who participate in our support programs receive periodic maintenance releases on a when-and-if available basis and direct technical support when required.

### **Sales and Distribution**



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In the United States, we sell our products through established distribution channels consisting of OEMs, system integrators, specialized vertical application software developers and consulting organizations. We also sell our products directly through our sales personnel to end user organizations. Outside the United States, we maintain direct sales offices in the United Kingdom, France and Germany. Approximately 33% of our revenue came from sales through our offices located outside the United States for the three and six months ended September 30, 2007, compared to 31% for the same periods in 2006.

We sell our products in U.S. Dollars in North America, British Pounds Sterling in the United Kingdom and Euros in France and Germany. Because we recognize revenue and expense in these various currencies but report our financial results in U.S. Dollars, changes in exchange rates may cause variances in our period-to-period revenue and results of operations in future periods.

We license our software on a per-CPU, per-server, per-port or per-user basis. Therefore, the addition of CPU s, servers, ports or users to existing systems increases our revenue from our installed base of licenses. In addition to software products, we provide continuing maintenance and other services to our customers, including professional services, technical support and training to help plan, analyze, implement and maintain application software based on our products.

### **Customers**



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Our customers may be classified into two general categories:

**Independent Software Vendors and Software Developers.** The majority of our revenue is derived from independent software vendors, which typically write their own vertical application software that they sell as a complete package to end user customers. This category includes value added resellers ( VARs ) and software-consulting companies that provide contract programming services to their customers.

**Corporate Information Technology ( IT ) Departments.**

For each of the three and six months ended September 30, 2007 and 2006, no single customer accounted for more than 10% of our revenue.

**Research and Development**



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We have devoted significant resources to the research and development of our products and technology. We believe that our future success will depend largely on a strong development effort with respect to both our existing and new products. These development efforts have resulted in updates and upgrades to existing MDMS and RAD products and the launch of new products including the XDMS product line. New product releases in all of our product lines are currently in progress. We expect to continue our research and development efforts in all product lines for the foreseeable future. We intend for these efforts to improve our future operating results and increase cash flow. However, such efforts may not result in additional new products or revenue, and we can make no assurances that the recently announced products or future products will be successful. We recognized \$1.9 million and \$3.9 million of research and development expense for the three and six months ended September 30, 2007, respectively, compared to \$2.2 million and \$4.8 million for the same periods in 2006.

### **Competition**

The application development tools software market is rapidly changing and intensely competitive. Our MDMS products compete with products developed by companies such as Oracle, Microsoft and IBM. Our RAD products currently encounter competition from several direct competitors, including Microsoft, and competing development environments, including JAVA. Competition is developing and evolving in the XML market for which our XDMS products are intended. Companies that do or are expected to compete in this market include Oracle, IBM, Microsoft and Sybase, as well as a number of smaller companies with products that directly and indirectly compete with our XDMS products. Most of our competitors have significantly more financial, technical, marketing and other resources than we do. As a result, these competitors may be able to respond more quickly to new or emerging technologies, evolving markets and changes in customer requirements, and may devote greater resources to the development, promotion and sale of their products.

We believe that our ability to compete in the various MDMS, RAD, and XDMS markets depends on factors both within and outside our control, including the timing of release, performance and price of new products developed by both us and our competitors. Although we believe that we currently compete favorably with respect to most of these factors, we may not be able to maintain our competitive position against current and potential competitors, especially those with greater resources.

### **Intellectual Property and Other Proprietary Rights**





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We rely primarily on a combination of trade secret, copyright and trademark laws and contractual provisions to protect our intellectual property and proprietary rights. Our trademarks include Raining Data, Pick, TigerLogic, D3, Omnis, Omnis Studio, mvEnterprise, mvBase, and mvDesigner, among others. We also have one pending U.S. patent application as of September 30, 2007.

We license our products to end users on a right to use basis pursuant to a perpetual license agreement that restricts use of products to a specified number of users. We generally rely on click-wrap licenses that become effective when a customer downloads and installs the software on its system. In order to retain exclusive ownership rights to our software and technology, we generally provide our software in object code only, with contractual restrictions on copying, disclosure, and transferability. There can be no assurance that these protections will be adequate, or that our competitors will not independently develop technologies that are substantially equivalent or superior to our technology.

### **Backlog**



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We generally ship software products as orders are received and have historically operated with little backlog. As a result, our license revenue in any given quarter is dependent upon orders received and product shipped during the quarter. Historically, there has been a short cycle between receipt of an order and shipment. Consequently, we do not believe that our backlog as of any particular date is meaningful.

### **Employees**



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At September 30, 2007, we had 106 employees worldwide of which 76 were in the United States and 30 were in our international offices. Of the 106 employees, 99 are full-time and approximately 46% are in research and development, 21% in technical support, 16% in sales and marketing and 17% in general and administrative functions.

## CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND ESTIMATES

The discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations is based on our consolidated financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The preparation of these financial statements requires management to make estimates and judgments that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenue and expenses and disclosure of contingent liabilities.

On an on-going basis, we evaluate our estimates, including those related to revenue recognition and accounting for goodwill. We base our estimates on historical experience and on various other assumptions that we believe to be reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions.

We have identified the accounting policies below as the policies critical to our business operations and the understanding of our results of operations. We believe the following critical accounting policies and the related judgments and estimates affect the preparation of our consolidated financial statements:

**REVENUE RECOGNITION.** We recognize revenue using the residual method pursuant to the requirements of Statement of Position No. 97-2, *Software Revenue Recognition* (SOP 97-2), as amended. Under the residual method, revenue is recognized in a multiple element arrangement when company-specific objective evidence of fair value exists for all of the undelivered elements in the arrangement, but does not exist for one or more of the delivered elements in the arrangement. At the outset of the arrangement with the customer, we defer revenue for the fair value of our undelivered elements (e.g., maintenance) based on company-specific objective evidence of the amount such items are sold individually to our customers and recognize revenue for the remainder of the arrangement fee attributable to the elements initially delivered in the arrangement (e.g., software license) when the basic criteria in SOP 97-2 have been met.

Under SOP 97-2, revenue attributable to an element in a customer arrangement is recognized when persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists and delivery has occurred, provided the fee is fixed or determinable, collectibility is probable and the arrangement does not require significant customization of the software. If, at the outset of the customer arrangement, we determine that the arrangement fee is not fixed or determinable, we defer the revenue and recognize the revenue when the arrangement fee becomes due and payable.

Service revenue relates primarily to consulting services, maintenance and training. Maintenance revenue is initially deferred and then recognized ratably over the term of the maintenance contract, typically 12 months. Consulting and training revenue is recognized as the services are performed and is usually calculated on a time and materials basis. Such services primarily consist of implementation services related to the installation of our products and do not include significant customization to or development of the underlying software code. We do not have price protection programs, conditional acceptance agreements, and sales of our products are made without right of return.

For contracts that require significant modification or customization to the software in accordance with customers' specifications, we recognize revenue using the completed-contract method pursuant to the requirements of Statement of Position No. 81-1, *Accounting for Performance of Construction-Type and Certain Production-Type Contracts*. Under this method, revenue and expenses are deferred until customer acceptance of the finished product occurs.

GOODWILL. We assess the impairment of goodwill whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable. We also assess the value of goodwill at least annually. Factors we consider to be important which could trigger an impairment review include the following:

Significant underperformance relative to expected historical or projected future operating results;

Timing of our revenue, significant changes in the manner of use of the acquired assets or the strategy for the overall business;

Significant negative industry or economic trends;

Significant decline in our stock price for a sustained period; and

Our market capitalization relative to net book value.

In accordance with Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 142, *Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets* ( SFAS No. 142 ), we do not amortize goodwill, but test for goodwill impairment following a two-step process. The first



step is used to identify potential impairment by comparing the fair value of a reporting unit with its net book value (or carrying amount), including goodwill. If the fair value exceeds the carrying amount, goodwill of the reporting unit is considered not impaired and the second step of the impairment test is unnecessary. If the carrying amount of a reporting unit exceeds its fair value, the second step of the goodwill impairment test is performed to measure the amount of impairment loss, if any. The second step of the goodwill impairment test compares the implied fair value of the reporting unit's goodwill with the carrying amount of that goodwill. If the carrying amount of the reporting unit's goodwill exceeds the implied fair value of that goodwill, an impairment loss is recognized in an amount equal to that excess. The implied fair value of goodwill is determined in the same manner as the amount of goodwill recognized in a business combination. That is, the fair value of the reporting unit is allocated to all of the assets and liabilities of that unit (including any unrecognized intangible assets) as if the reporting unit had been acquired in a business combination and the fair value of the reporting unit was the purchase price paid to acquire the reporting unit. Currently, we have one reporting unit for goodwill impairment testing.

Determining the fair value of a reporting unit under the first step of the goodwill impairment test and determining the fair value of individual assets and liabilities of a reporting unit (including unrecognized intangible assets) under the second step of the goodwill impairment test is judgmental in nature and often involves the use of significant estimates and assumptions. These estimates and assumptions could have a significant impact on whether or not an impairment charge is recognized and the magnitude of any such charge. Estimates of fair value are currently based on our stock price as reported by Nasdaq.

**EMPLOYEE STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION.** We account for stock-based compensation in accordance with SFAS No. 123(R). Under the fair value recognition provisions of this statement, share-based compensation cost is measured at the grant date based on the value of the award and is recognized as expense over the requisite service period. We estimate the fair value of stock-based awards using a Black-Scholes valuation model. Determining the fair value of share-based awards at the grant date requires judgment, including estimating volatility, expected terms, and forfeitures. If actual results differ significantly from these estimates, stock-based compensation expense and our results of operations could be materially impacted. See footnote 3 in the accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

*Reclassifications* Certain reclassifications have been made to prior period amounts to conform with the current period presentation.

## **Results of Operations**

The following table sets forth certain Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations data in total dollars, as a percentage of total net revenues and as a percentage change from the same period in the prior year. Cost of license revenues and cost of service revenues are expressed as a percentage of the related revenues. This information should be read in conjunction with the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements included elsewhere in this Form 10-QSB.

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	Three Months Ended September 30, 2007			Three Months Ended September 30, 2006			Six Months Ended September 30, 2007			Six Months Ended September 30, 2006	
	Results (In thousands)	% of Net Revenues	Percent Change	Results (In thousands)	% of Net Revenues	Results (In thousands)	% of Net Revenues	Percent Change	Results (In thousands)	% of Net Revenues	
Net revenues											
Licenses	\$ 1,959	40%	16%	\$ 1,686	37%	\$ 3,961	40%	19%	\$ 3,340	36%	
Services	2,987	60%	3%	2,910	63%	5,958	60%	1%	5,928	64%	
Total net revenues	4,946	100%	8%	4,596	100%	9,919	100%	7%	9,268	100%	
Operating expenses											
Cost of revenues:											
Cost of license revenues (as a % of license revenues)	12	1%	(37)%	19	1%	21	1%	(48)%	40	1%	
Cost of service revenues (as a % of service revenues)	454	15%	(7)%	488	17%	939	16%	(18)%	1,141	19%	
Selling and marketing	1,373	28%	(2)%	1,394	30%	2,677	27%	(6)%	2,850	31%	
Research and development	1,922	39%	(13)%	2,198	48%	3,919	40%	(19)%	4,844	52%	
General and administrative	1,048	21%	5%	1,002	22%	2,371	24%	18%	2,009	22%	
Total operating expenses	4,809	97%	(6)%	5,101	111%	9,927	100%	(9)%	10,884	117%	
Operating income (loss)	137	3%	127%	(505)	(11)%	(8)	0%	100%	(1,616)	(17)%	
Other income (expense)-net	1	0%	100%	(211)	(5)%	(23)	0%	95%	(424)	(5)%	
Income (loss) before income taxes	138	3%	119%	(716)	(16)%	(31)	0%	98%	(2,040)	(22)%	
Provision for income taxes	58	1%	2%	59	1%	77	1%	92%	40	0%	
Net income (loss)	\$ 80	2%	110%	\$ (775)	(17)%	\$ (108)	(1)%	95%	\$ (2,080)	(22)%	

## REVENUE

NET REVENUE. Our revenue is derived principally from two sources: fees from software licensing and fees for post contract technical support. We license our software on a per-CPU, per-server, per-port or per-user basis. Therefore, the addition of CPU s, servers, ports or users to existing systems increases our revenue from our installed base of licenses. The increase in revenue for the three and six month periods ended September 30, 2007, as compared to the same periods in the prior year is due to an increase in license revenue from additional users on certain existing accounts. In the longer term, we expect that the MDMS and RAD markets will eventually contract as customers adopt newer technologies, and, therefore, the revenue generated from sales of our MDMS and RAD products is expected to decrease.

We have been actively developing and marketing our XDMS product line. Should our development efforts and the adoption of these product lines be successful, we anticipate additional revenues in future periods related to the sale of these products. However, we can give no assurances as to customer acceptance of any new products or services, or the ability of the current or any new products and services to generate revenue. While we are committed to research and development efforts that are intended to allow us to penetrate new markets and generate new sources of revenue, such efforts may not result in additional products, services or revenue.

## OPERATING EXPENSES

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**COST OF LICENSE REVENUE.** Cost of license revenue is comprised of direct costs associated with software license sales including software packaging and related personnel cost, documentation, physical media costs and royalties. Cost of license revenue decreased in the three and six month periods ended September 30, 2007, as compared to the same periods in the prior year due to reduced headcount. We anticipate that the cost of license revenue, as a percentage of license revenue and in absolute dollars, will be relatively stable in future periods.

**COST OF SERVICE REVENUE.** Cost of service revenue includes primarily personnel costs relating to providing consulting, technical support and training services. Cost of service revenue decreased for three and six month periods ended September 30, 2007, as compared to the same periods in the prior year due to reduced headcount. We anticipate that the cost of service revenue, as a percentage of service revenue and in absolute dollars, will be relatively stable in future periods.

**SELLING AND MARKETING.** Selling and marketing expense consists primarily of salaries, benefits, advertising, tradeshow, travel and overhead costs for our sales and marketing personnel. The decrease in selling and marketing expense in the three and six month periods ended September 30, 2007, as compared to the same periods in the prior year was due to reduced headcount. We anticipate that selling and marketing costs related to XDMS products may increase as we further develop the sales channel for these products and if customer acceptance of these products increases. In addition, if our continued research and development efforts are successful, including with respect to our XDMS products, and new products or services are created, we may incur increased sales and marketing expense to promote those new products in future periods.

**RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT.** Research and development expense consists primarily of salaries and other personnel-related expenses and overhead costs for engineering personnel including employees in the US and the UK and contractors in the US and India. The decrease in research and development expense in the three and six month periods ended September 30, 2007, as compared to the same periods in the prior year was mainly due to reduced headcount and termination of contracted professional technical services in India. We are committed to our research and development efforts and expect research and development expense will remain at the current level in future periods or increase if we believe that additional spending is warranted. Such efforts may not result in additional new products and any new products, including the XDMS products, may not generate sufficient revenue, if any, to offset the research and development expense.

**GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE.** General and administrative expense consists primarily of costs associated with our finance, human resources, legal and other administrative functions. These costs consist principally of salaries and other personnel-related expenses, professional fees, depreciation and overhead costs. The increase in general and administrative expense in the three and six month periods ended September 30, 2007, as compared to the same periods in prior year was mainly due to costs incurred in legal services related to pending litigation matters and professional service expenses.

**OTHER EXPENSE.** Other expense consists primarily of net interest expense and gains and losses on foreign currency transactions. The decrease in other expense during the three and six month periods ended September 30, 2007, as compared to the same periods in the prior year was mainly due to foreign currency exchange gains. Due to the uncertainty in exchange rates, we may experience transaction gains or losses in future periods, the effect of which cannot be determined at this time.

**PROVISION FOR INCOME TAXES.** Our effective tax rate was 42.0% and (248.4%) for the three and six month periods ended September 30, 2007, respectively, compared to (8.2%) and (2.0%) for the same periods in 2006. The provision for income taxes reflects the tax on earnings from foreign subsidiaries. We are able to reduce the current tax liability of foreign subsidiaries with net operating loss carryforwards. However, certain carryforwards were acquired in our acquisition in December 2000. Therefore, the benefit realized from utilizing those net operating loss carryforwards reduced goodwill instead of income tax expense. Due to uncertainties surrounding the timing of realizing the benefits of the net operating loss carryforwards in the future, we have established a full valuation allowance against the related net deferred tax assets.

## **LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES**

In connection with the acquisition of PickAx, we assumed a Secured Promissory Note issued to Astoria dated November 30, 2000, in the amount of \$18.5 million. In January 2003, we entered into a Note Exchange Agreement (the Exchange Agreement) with Astoria to replace the existing Secured Promissory Note, as amended, with a Convertible Subordinated Note. Under the terms of the Exchange Agreement, the Secured Promissory Note was exchanged and replaced with a Convertible Subordinated Note having a principal amount of \$22.1 million, which principal amount was equal to the outstanding principal and accrued interest payable on the Secured Promissory Note as of the date of the Exchange Agreement. In October 2005, Astoria assigned a portion of its common stock holdings totaling 870,536 shares and a portion of the Subordinated Convertible Note, totaling \$1,751,832, to two of its limited partners, including GFAM. As such, we issued an Amended and Restated Note to Astoria for \$20,749,581 and corresponding notes directly to the limited partners for \$862,979 and \$888,853, respectively. The Convertible Subordinated Notes are convertible into common stock at any time, at the option of the holder, at a price of \$5.00 per share. The Convertible

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Subordinated Notes mature on May 30, 2008. The interest rate of the Convertible Subordinated Notes is 5% per annum as compared to an interest rate of 10% per annum under the Secured Promissory Note. The interest is payable quarterly at our option in cash or through increases to the outstanding principal of the Convertible Subordinated Notes.

On December 14, 2004, we entered into an Agreement Regarding Amended and Restated Common Stock Purchase Warrant and 5% Convertible Subordinated Note Due 2008 with Astoria whereby we could redeem, in part, the Convertible Subordinated Note in advance of January 30, 2005. On December 14, 2004, Astoria exercised its warrant in the amount of

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\$2,670,904. In lieu of a cash payment, we used the proceeds of the exercise to pay down a portion of the indebtedness to Astoria. The pay down consisted of \$247,129 for accrued and unpaid interest, and \$2,423,775 as a reduction of principal of the Convertible Subordinated Note.

On October 4, 2007, the Company received a conversion notice from Astoria and on October 5, 2007, the Company received a conversion notice from GFAM, each electing to convert its Convertible Subordinated Note in full. As a result, \$22,917,000 of outstanding principal owed to Astoria under its Convertible Subordinate Note was converted into 4,583,400 shares of the Company's common stock, and \$981,000 of outstanding principal owed to GFAM under its Convertible Subordinated Note was converted into 196,200 shares of the Company's common stock. Per the terms of the Convertible Subordinated Notes, the Company made a cash payment to Astoria and GFAM of approximately \$13,181 and \$1,264, respectively, for amounts outstanding under the Convertible Subordinated Notes that were not converted into shares of common stock. Following the conversion of such Convertible Subordinated Notes and the cash payment to Astoria and GFAM, the Convertible Subordinated Notes held by Astoria and GFAM were cancelled. After the conversion by Astoria and GFAM, one Convertible Subordinated Note remains outstanding, with a principal balance of approximately \$1 million.

Astoria is a major stockholder of ours, holding a majority of our outstanding common stock. Richard W. Koe, Chairman of the Board of Directors, serves as the Managing General Partner for Astoria. Carlton H. Baab, our President and Chief Executive Officer and a member of the Board of Directors, served as a Managing Principal of ACM, which is a general partner of Astoria, until taking a formal leave of absence to join us in August 2001. Gerald F. Chew, a member of our Board of Directors, is the cousin of Mr. Koe.

As of September 30, 2007, we had \$12.2 million in cash. We believe that our existing cash balances combined with our cash flow from operating activities will be sufficient to meet our operating and capital expenditure requirements for the remainder of the fiscal year ending March 31, 2008. We are committed to research and development efforts that are intended to allow us to penetrate new markets and generate new sources of revenue and improve operating results. However, our research and development efforts have required, and will continue to require, cash outlays without the immediate or short-term receipt of related revenue. Our ability to meet our expenditure requirements is dependent upon our future financial performance, which will be affected by, among other things, prevailing economic conditions, our ability to penetrate new markets and attract new customers, market acceptance of our new and existing products and services, the success of research and development efforts and other factors beyond our control. On February 11, 2004, we entered into a two year credit facility with Silicon Valley Bank which provided us with the ability to borrow up to \$1.5 million at an annual interest rate of Prime plus 1.0%, provided that the annual interest rate shall never be less than 5%. We renewed this credit facility on February 11, 2006. The credit facility is collateralized by our assets and expires in February 2008. The credit facility contains financial and reporting covenants that require us to maintain certain financial ratios only when we have outstanding borrowings on the line. There were no outstanding borrowings at September 30, 2007. Upon expiration of the term of this facility we will assess our credit and liquidity needs in relation to market factors.

On November 9, 2004, we entered into a lease agreement with The Irvine Company whereby we leased one building in Irvine, California, comprising approximately 29,000 square feet, to replace our then headquarters facility. The lease commenced in November 2005 and has a five-year term. If certain conditions are met, we have the option to extend the term of the lease for an additional thirty-six months. The total basic rent over the five-year term is approximately \$2.6 million. The annual basic rent during the five-year term ranges from approximately \$475,000 during the first year to approximately \$545,000 during the fifth year. The rent expense is being recognized on a straight line basis over the lease term.

We had no material commitments for capital expenditures as of September 30, 2007.

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Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities was \$0.3 million and (\$1.2) million for the six-month periods ended September 30, 2007 and 2006, respectively.

Our earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) was \$0.5 million, or 10% of total net revenue for the three months ended September 30, 2007, and \$0.7 million, or 7% of total net revenue for the six months ended September 30, 2007. Our EBITDA was (\$0.2) million, or (4%) of total net revenue for the three months ended September 30, 2006, and (\$1.0) million, or (11%) of total net revenue for the six months ended September 30, 2006. The increase in EBITDA for the three and six months ended September 30, 2007, compared to the same periods in the prior year was a result of increased license revenue and reduced personnel costs in the first three and six months of fiscal year 2008.

EBITDA is defined as net income (loss) with an add-back for depreciation and amortization, non-cash stock-based compensation expense, interest expense, other income (expense) and income taxes. The following table reconciles EBITDA to the reported net income (loss):

### RECONCILIATION OF EBITDA TO NET INCOME (LOSS)

(in thousands)

	For the Three Months Ended September 30,		For the Six Months Ended September 30,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
Reported net income (loss)	\$ 80	\$ (775)	\$ (108)	\$ (2,080)
Depreciation and amortization	67	79	132	154
Stock-based compensation	301	246	556	457
Interest expense-net	204	208	406	431
Other (income) expense-net	(205)	3	(383)	(7)
Provision for income taxes	58	59	77	40
EBITDA	\$ 505	\$ (180)	\$ 680	\$ (1,005)

EBITDA does not represent funds available for management's discretionary use and is not intended to represent cash flow from operations. EBITDA should not be construed as a substitute for net loss or as a better measure of liquidity than cash flow from operating activities, which are determined in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). EBITDA excludes components that are significant in understanding and assessing our results of operations and cash flows. In addition, EBITDA is not a term defined by GAAP and as a result our measure of EBITDA might not be comparable to similarly titled measures used by other companies.

However, EBITDA is used by management to evaluate, assess and benchmark our operational results and we believe that EBITDA is relevant and useful information, which is often reported and widely used by analysts, investors and other interested parties in our industry. Accordingly, we are disclosing this information to permit a more comprehensive analysis of our operating performance, to provide an additional measure of performance and liquidity and to provide additional information with respect to our ability to meet future debt service, capital expenditure and working capital requirements.

Our EBITDA financial information is also comparable to net cash used in operating activities. The table below reconciles EBITDA to the GAAP disclosure of net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:

### RECONCILIATION OF EBITDA TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES

(in thousands)

	For the Six Months Ended September 30,	
	2007	2006
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$ 254	\$ (1,227)



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Interest expense-net	406	431
Other income-net	(383)	(7)
Change in trade accounts receivable	64	(391)
Change in other current and non-current assets	3	95
Change in accounts payable	(53)	133
Change in accrued liabilities	(60)	(158)
Change in deferred revenue	231	120
Foreign currency exchange gain	334	40
Note payable discount amortization	(42)	(41)
Provision for bad debt	(74)	
EBITDA	\$ 680	\$ (1,005)

**RISK FACTORS**



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We operate in a rapidly changing environment that involves numerous risks and uncertainties. The following section lists some, but not all, of these risks and uncertainties that may have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operation.

### **IF WE DO NOT DEVELOP NEW PRODUCTS AND ENHANCE EXISTING PRODUCTS TO KEEP PACE WITH RAPIDLY CHANGING TECHNOLOGY AND INDUSTRY STANDARDS, OUR REVENUE MAY DECLINE.**

We have devoted significant resources to the research and development of products and technologies. We believe that our future success will depend in large part on a strong research and development effort with respect to both our existing and new products. Beginning in 2001, we began an extensive effort to leverage our time-proven Pick UDM and core intellectual property to create an enterprise class XML database management server for the emerging XML market. This significant investment of time and resources resulted in the TigerLogic XDMS product line. While we intend for these efforts to improve our future operating results and increase cash flow, such efforts may not result in new products or revenue, and any new

products that do result may not be successful. The development of new or enhanced software products is a complex and uncertain process requiring high levels of innovation, as well as accurate anticipation of customer and technical trends. In developing new products and services, we may fail to develop and market products that respond to technological changes or evolving industry standards in a timely or cost-effective manner, or experience difficulties that could delay or prevent the successful development, introduction and marketing of these new products. The development and introduction of new or enhanced products also requires us to manage the transition from older products in order to minimize disruptions in customer ordering patterns and to ensure that adequate supplies of new products can be delivered to meet customer demand. Failure to develop and introduce new products, or enhancements to existing products, in a timely manner in response to changing market conditions or customer requirements, or lack of customer acceptance of our products, will materially and adversely affect our business, results of operations and financial condition.

**OUR FAILURE TO COMPETE EFFECTIVELY MAY HAVE AN ADVERSE IMPACT ON OUR OPERATING RESULTS.**



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The market for our products is highly competitive, diverse and subject to rapid change. Our products and services compete on the basis of the following key characteristics: performance; inter-operability; scalability; functionality; reliability; pricing; post sale customer support; quality; compliance with industry standards; and overall total cost of ownership.

The application development tools software market is rapidly changing and intensely competitive. Our MDMS products compete with products developed by companies such as Oracle, Microsoft and IBM. Our RAD products currently encounter competition from several direct competitors, including Microsoft, and competing development environments, including JAVA. Competition is developing and evolving in the XML market for which our XDMS products are intended. Companies that do or are expected to compete in this market include Oracle, IBM, Microsoft and Sybase, as well as a number of smaller companies with products that directly and indirectly compete with our XDMS products. Additionally, as we expand our business, we expect to compete with a different group of companies, including smaller, highly focused companies offering single products.

Most of our competitors have significantly more financial, technical, marketing and other resources than we do. As a result, these competitors may be able to respond more quickly to new or emerging technologies, evolving markets and changes in customer requirements and may devote greater resources to the development, promotion and sale of their products. While we currently believe that our products and services compete favorably in the marketplace, our products and services could fall behind marketplace demands at any time. If we fail to address the competitive challenges, our business would suffer materially.

**BECAUSE THE MARKET FOR OUR MDMS AND RAD TOOLS PRODUCTS MAY BE DECLINING, OUR REVENUE MAY DECLINE IF WE CANNOT MAINTAIN OUR SALES TO EXISTING CUSTOMERS OR GENERATE SALES TO NEW CUSTOMERS.**



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We believe that the markets for our MDMS and RAD products may be declining as customers adopt other technologies. As a result, to maintain or grow our revenue in these markets, we will need to maintain our sales to existing customers and to generate sales to new customers, including corporate development teams, commercial application developers, system integrators, independent software vendors and independent consultants. If we fail to attract new customers, if we lose our customers to competitors, or if the MDMS or RAD markets further decline, our revenue may be adversely affected. In the longer term, it is expected that the MDMS and RAD markets will eventually decline as customers adopt newer technologies.

**OUR PRODUCTS HAVE A LONG SALES CYCLE WHICH COULD RESULT IN DELAYS IN THE RECEIPT OF REVENUE.**





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The sales cycle for our MDMS and RAD products typically ranges from three to nine months or longer and the sales cycle for our XDMS products is anticipated to be significantly longer since these markets are emerging and the products are still in the process of being adopted by the marketplace. Our products are typically used by application developers, system integrators and value added resellers to develop applications that are critical to their corporate end user's business. Because our products are often part of an end user's larger business process, re-engineering initiative, or implementation of client/server or web-based computing, the end users frequently view the purchase of our products as part of a long-term strategic decision regarding the management of their workforce-related operations and expenditures. Thus, this sometimes results in end users taking a significant period of time to assess alternative solutions by competitors or to defer a purchase decision as a result of an unrelated strategic issue beyond our control. As a result, a significant period of time may elapse between our research and development efforts and recognition of revenue, if any.

**THE CONCENTRATION OF OUR STOCK OWNERSHIP GIVES ONE STOCKHOLDER SIGNIFICANT CONTROL OVER OUR BUSINESS.**



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As of September 30, 2007, Astoria beneficially owned approximately 48% of our outstanding common stock. Richard W. Koe, Chairman of the Board of Directors, serves as the Managing General Partner for Astoria Capital Management, which is a general partner of Astoria. Carlton H. Baab, our President, Chief Executive Officer, and Director, served as a Managing Principal of Astoria Capital Management until taking a formal leave of absence to join us in August 2001. This concentration of stock ownership allows Astoria, acting alone, to block any actions that require approval of our stockholders, including the election of members to the Board of Directors and the approval of significant corporate transactions. Moreover, this concentration of ownership may delay or prevent a change in control.

**WE MAY EXPERIENCE QUARTERLY FLUCTUATIONS IN OPERATING RESULTS, WHICH MAY RESULT IN VOLATILITY OF OUR STOCK PRICE.**



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We expect to continue to spend substantial amounts of money in the area of research and development, sales and marketing and operations in order to promote new product development and introduction. Because the expenses associated with these activities are relatively fixed in the short-term, we may be unable to timely adjust spending to offset any unexpected shortfall in revenue growth or any decrease in revenue levels. Operating results may also fluctuate due to factors such as:

the size and timing of customer orders;

changes in pricing policies by us or our competitors;

our ability to develop, introduce, and market new and enhanced versions of our products;

the number, timing, and significance of product enhancements and new product announcements by our competitors;

the demand for our products;

non-renewal of customer support agreements;

software defects and other product quality problems; and

personnel changes.

We operate without a significant backlog of orders. As a result, the quarterly sales and operating results in any given quarter are dependent, in large part, upon the volume and timing of orders booked and products shipped during that quarter. Accordingly, we may be unable to adjust spending in a timely manner to compensate for any unanticipated decrease in orders, sales or shipments. Therefore, any decline in demand for our products and services, in relation to the forecast for any given quarter, could materially and negatively impact the results of our operations. As a result, our quarterly operating results may fluctuate, which may cause our stock price to be volatile. In addition, we believe that period-to-period comparisons of our operating results should not be relied upon as indications of future performance.

**THE SUCCESS OF OUR BUSINESS DEPENDS IN PART UPON OUR ABILITY TO RECRUIT AND RETAIN KEY PERSONNEL AND MANAGEMENT.**





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The majority of our executive officers joined us subsequent to the acquisition of PickAx, including our President, Chief Executive Officer, and Director, Carlton H. Baab, who joined us in August 2001. The loss of one or more of these or other executives could adversely affect our business. In addition, we believe that our future success will depend to a significant extent on our ability to recruit, hire and retain highly skilled management and employees with experience in engineering, product management, business development, sales, marketing and customer service. Competition for such personnel in the software industry can be intense, and there can be no assurance that we will be successful in attracting and retaining such personnel. If we are unable to do so, we may experience inadequate levels of staffing to develop and license our products and perform services for our customers, which could adversely affect our business.

**THE INABILITY TO PROTECT OUR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY COULD HARM OUR ABILITY TO COMPETE.**



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Our ability to compete successfully will depend, in part, on our ability to protect our proprietary technology and operations without infringing upon the rights of others. We may fail to do so. In addition, the laws of certain countries in which our products are, or may be, licensed may not protect our proprietary rights to the same extent as the laws of the United States. We rely primarily on a combination of trade secret, copyright and trademark laws and contractual provisions to protect our intellectual property and proprietary rights. Our trademarks include Raining Data, Pick, D3, Omnis, Omnis Studio, mvEnterprise, mvBase, mvDesigner and TigerLogic, among others. We also have one pending U.S. patent application as of September 30, 2007. In addition to trademark and copyright protections, we license our products to end users on a right to use basis pursuant to a perpetual license agreement that restricts use of products to a specified number of users.

We generally rely on click-wrap licenses that become effective when a customer downloads and installs software on its system. In order to retain exclusive ownership rights to our software and technology, we generally provide our software in object code only, with contractual restrictions on copying, disclosure and transferability. There can be no assurance that these protections will be adequate, or that our competitors will not independently develop technologies that are substantially equivalent or superior to our technology.

As further described in Part II, Item 1 hereof, the Company has filed complaints in Orange County Superior Court that sets forth allegations that certain parties threaten to and have misappropriated the Company's trade secrets, including the possible release of certain source code.

**OUR PRODUCTS MAY CONTAIN SOFTWARE DEFECTS WHICH COULD HARM OUR BUSINESS.**



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Our enterprise applications software may contain undetected errors or failures. This includes our XDMS products, which are at higher risk given these products are in the earliest stages of the product life cycle. This may result in loss of, or delay in, customer acceptance of our products and could harm our reputation and our business. Undetected errors or failures in computer software programs are not uncommon. While we make every effort to thoroughly test our software, in the event that we experience significant software errors, we could experience delays in release, customer dissatisfaction and lost revenue. Any of these errors or defects could harm our business.

**IF THE REGISTRATION RIGHTS HELD BY ASTORIA AND OTHER SECURITIES HOLDERS ARE EXERCISED, OR THESE SECURITIES HOLDERS SELL A SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT OF RESTRICTED SECURITIES IN THE OPEN MARKET, OUR STOCK PRICE MAY DECLINE.**



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As of September 30, 2007, we had 21,320,492 outstanding shares of common stock, of which approximately 9,700,000 shares were restricted securities held by Astoria and other holders. Restricted securities may be sold in the public market only if they are registered or if they qualify for an exemption from registration promulgated under the Securities Act. At present, all of our outstanding restricted securities are either entitled to registration rights or eligible for public sale under Rule 144, subject to volume limitations and other requirements of Rule 144. If Astoria or other holders decide to exercise their demand registration rights, we would incur costs and expenses associated with the registration of securities.

Furthermore, sales of a substantial number of shares by Astoria or other securities holders in the public market, or the perception that those sales may occur, could cause the market price of our common stock to decline. In addition, if we register shares of our common stock in connection with a public offering of securities, we may be required to include shares of restricted securities in the registration, which may have an adverse effect on our ability to raise capital.

**OUR GLOBAL OPERATIONS EXPOSE US TO ADDITIONAL RISKS AND CHALLENGES ASSOCIATED WITH CONDUCTING BUSINESS INTERNATIONALLY.**





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We operate on a global basis with offices or distributors in Europe, Africa, Asia, Latin America, South America, Australia and North America and development efforts in North America and Europe. Approximately 33% of our revenue for the three and six months ended September 30, 2007, was generated from our international offices. We face several risks inherent in conducting business internationally, including but not limited to the following:

fluctuations in interest rates or currency exchange rates;

language and cultural differences;

local and governmental requirements;

difficulties and costs of staffing and managing international operations;

differences in intellectual property protections;

difficulties in collecting accounts receivable and longer collection periods;

seasonal business activities in certain parts of the world; and

trade policies.

Any of these factors could harm our international operations and, consequently, affect the international growth or maintenance of our business. These factors or any combination of these factors may adversely affect our revenue or our overall financial performance.

**THE FAILURE OF OUR PRODUCTS TO CONTINUE TO CONFORM TO INDUSTRY STANDARDS MAY HARM OUR OPERATING RESULTS.**



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A key factor in our future success will continue to be the ability of our products to operate and perform well with existing and future leading, industry-standard enterprise software applications intended to be used in connection with our MDMS, RAD, and XDMS products. Inter-operability may require third party licenses, which may not be available to us on favorable terms or at all. Failure to meet existing or future inter-operability and performance requirements of industry standard applications in a timely manner could adversely affect our business. Uncertainties relating to the timing and nature of new product announcements or introductions or modifications of third party software applications could delay our product development, increase our product development expense or cause customers to delay evaluation, purchase, and deployment of our products.

**THIRD PARTIES COULD ASSERT THAT OUR SOFTWARE PRODUCTS AND SERVICES INFRINGE ON THEIR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS, WHICH COULD RESULT IN COSTLY LITIGATION, CAUSE PRODUCT SHIPMENT DELAYS, PROHIBIT PRODUCT LICENSING OR REQUIRE US TO ENTER INTO ROYALTY OR LICENSING AGREEMENTS.**



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There has been a substantial amount of litigation in the software industry regarding intellectual property rights. Third parties may claim that our current or potential future products and services infringe upon their intellectual property. We expect that software product developers and providers of software applications will increasingly be subject to infringement claims as the number of products and competitors in our industry segment grow and the functionality of products in different industry segments overlap. Any claims, with or without merit, could be time consuming, result in costly litigation, cause product shipment delays, prohibit product licensing or require us to enter into royalty or licensing agreements. Royalty or licensing agreements, if required, may not be available on terms acceptable to us or at all, which could seriously harm our business.

### **ITEM 3. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES**

#### **Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

Our principal executive officer and principal financial officer evaluated the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report. Based on such evaluation, our principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act) are effective, as of the end of the period covered by this report, to ensure that information required to be disclosed by us in reports that we file or submit under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in Securities and Exchange Commission rules and accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including its principal executive officer and principal financial officer, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

A control system, no matter how well conceived and operated, can provide only reasonable, not absolute, assurance that the objectives of the control system are met. Management necessarily applied its judgment in assessing the benefits of controls relative to their costs. Because of the inherent limitations in all control systems, no evaluation of controls can provide absolute assurance that all control issues, if any, within the Company have been detected.

#### **Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

Management has committed resources to remediate the weaknesses in our internal controls that existed at June 30, 2007. Management believes that these efforts have improved internal control over financial reporting. The following changes in our internal control over financial reporting that have materially affected our internal control over financial reporting were identified during the quarter ended September 30, 2007:

Implemented formal procedures and controls regarding Directors' and Officers' exercise of Company's stock;

Improved the documentation, communication and monthly reviews of Directors' and Officers' Company's stock activities;

### **PART II. OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS**

The Company is subject from time to time to litigation, claims and suits arising in the ordinary course of business. As of September 30, 2007, the Company was a party to the following legal proceedings:

*Raining Data v. Intrametrix.* On or about January 19, 2007, the Company filed a complaint in Orange County Superior Court that sets forth allegations that Intrametrix threatens to and has misappropriated the Company's trade secrets. The Company's allegations in the complaint include that Intrametrix has obtained the Company's source code in violation of the Parties' OEM (Original Equipment Manufacturer) Distribution Agreement and in violation of California's laws prohibiting the misappropriation of trade secrets. The Company seeks injunctive relief from Intrametrix, including, but not limited to, compelling Intrametrix to fully comply with all of the termination provisions set forth in the OEM Agreement; enjoining Intrametrix and its employees and agents from using or disclosing the Company's trade secrets; prohibiting Intrametrix from soliciting the Company's current or potential customers for 3 years, and from soliciting or employing certain of the Company's former employees for 3 years. Intrametrix filed a motion to quash the Complaint, which the Company opposed, but on the morning of the hearing, Intrametrix first notified the Company that it filed Chapter 11 bankruptcy, effectively staying the litigation in Orange County Superior Court. The Company is pursuing further discovery and litigation in the bankruptcy court in Houston, TX.



*Raining Data v. Soheil Raissi (formerly the Company's Vice President, Product Development and Professional Services), Mario Barrenechea (formerly the Company's Senior Vice President, Worldwide Sales and Marketing, Pick and Omnis Products), and Adevnet, LLC.* On or about December 8, 2006, the Company filed a complaint in Orange County Superior Court that sets forth allegations that the defendants threaten to and have misappropriated the Company's trade secrets. The Company's allegations in the complaint include that the individual defendants have used and/or disclosed the Company's trade secrets (in the form of source code and licenses and other trade secret information) in violation of their agreements with the Company to maintain the confidentiality of such trade secret information, and in violation of California laws prohibiting the misappropriation of trade secrets. The Company seeks injunctive relief from the defendants, including, but not limited to, compelling the defendants to immediately return all of the Company's trade secrets and property; enjoining the defendants and their employees and agents from using or disclosing the Company's trade secrets, including the Company's source code; ordering the defendants to disclose all gains and profits they have derived from the misappropriation of the Company's trade secrets; enjoining the defendants from directly or indirectly supplying, selling or promoting any product that incorporates the Company's trade secrets.

*Cross-Complaint by Soheil Raissi, Mario Barrenechea and Adevnet v. Raining Data.* On or about January 10, 2007, the defendants filed a cross-complaint against the Company and Carlton Baab (the Company's President and Chief Executive Officer) for the following claims: unfair business practices, violation of civil rights, intentional interference with prospective economic advantage, negligent interference with prospective economic advantage, malicious prosecution, abuse of process, negligence, and civil conspiracy. Cross-complainants allege general, compensatory, special, and punitive and exemplary damages in amounts according to proof, and seek to enjoin the Company from engaging in improper and unlawful conduct. The Company and Carlton Baab (the Cross-Defendants) contend that all of the claims are baseless, and filed a special motion to strike all of the claims in the cross-complaint. The Company's special motion to strike is scheduled to be heard in April 2008. The Cross-Defendants will continue to vigorously defend their rights in this litigation. We are unable to estimate any loss or range of loss at this time. Management believes that the ultimate disposition of this matter will not have a material adverse effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements, results of operations, cash flows or liquidity.

An unfavorable resolution of these legal proceedings could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, results of operations, financial condition and cash flows.

#### **ITEM 6. EXHIBITS**

##### Exhibits:

- 31.1 Certification of Chief Executive Officer.
- 31.2 Certification of Chief Financial Officer.
- 32.1 Certification of Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

**SIGNATURES**

In accordance with the requirements of the Exchange Act, the registrant caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: November 14, 2007

**RAINING DATA CORPORATION**

/s/ Thomas Lim  
Thomas Lim  
Chief Financial Officer and Duly Authorized Officer

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