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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

X QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2013

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

For the Transition Period from	to
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Commission file number: 1-15831

MERRIMAN HOLDINGS, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) 11-2936371 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

600 California Street, 9th Floor San Francisco, CA (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

94108 (Zip Code)

(415) 248-5603 (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 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 x No "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes "No x

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See definition of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer " Accelerated filer " Smaller reporting company x

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Yes "No $\,x$

The number of shares of Registrant's common stock outstanding as of November 8, 2013 was 121,276,894.

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. Financial Statements (unaudited)

MERRIMAN HOLDINGS, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (unaudited)

	ree Months Ended otember 30,	ptember 30,	ne Months Ended otember 30,	•	September 30, 2012	
Revenues Commissions	\$ 1,057,800	\$ 1,716,268	\$ 3,276,160	\$	4,615,763	
Principal transactions	(96,157)	(294,326)	(60,779)		(277,428)	
Investment banking	484,650	468,010	1,546,344		4,690,879	
Advisory and other	483,041	569,555	1,629,559		1,415,138	
Total revenues	1,929,334	2,459,507	6,391,284		10,444,352	
Operating expenses						
Compensation and benefits	1,531,207	2,279,700	5,530,637		9,660,592	
Brokerage and clearing fees	95,218	158,199	297,994		438,782	
Professional services	113,329	80,726	260,583		535,112	
Occupancy and equipment	358,058	420,746	1,051,354		1,307,823	
Communication and technology	194,667	240,808	537,942		815,202	
Depreciation and amortization	39,899	5,590	46,900		16,530	
Travel and entertainment	60,605	104,304	166,241		306,556	
Legal services	303,601	159,544	369,645		495,329	
Cost of underwriting capital	-	-	49,600		152,600	
Other	328,115	9,971	895,618		901,475	
Total operating expenses	3,024,699	3,459,588	9,206,514		14,630,001	
Operating loss	(1,095,365)	(1,000,081)	(2,815,230)		(4,185,649)	
Other income	-	-	-		15,000	
Interest income	-	-	1,566		1,763	
Interest expense	(81,849)	(64,513)	(248,894)		(179,116)	
Amortization of debt discount	(35,370)	(30,290)	(109,561)		(87,027)	
Loss on early extinguishment of			(293,347)			
debt	-	-	(293,347)		-	
Loss on equity exchange	-	-	-		(1,086,329)	
Net loss before income tax	(1,212,584)	(1,094,884)	(3,465,466)		(5,521,358)	
Income tax expense	(2,737)	-	(11,999)		-	
Net loss	\$ (1,215,321)	\$ (1,094,884)	\$ (3,477,465)	\$	(5,521,358)	
Basic and diluted net loss per share	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.25)	\$ (0.04)	\$	(1.01)	

Weighted average number of common shares

Basic and diluted 118,957,830 4,307,809 80,554,586 5,459,375

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

MERRIMAN HOLDINGS, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION (unaudited)

	Sept 2013	ember 30,		December 31, 2012	
ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	507,768	\$	1,316,990	
Securities owned	·	,	·	,,	
Marketable, at fair value		1,226,946		709,333	
Not readily marketable, at estimated fair value		761,287		728,312	
Restricted cash		891,828		680,028	
Due from clearing broker		168,757		127,702	
Accounts receivable, net		564,091		533,606	
Prepaid expenses and other assets		493,974		504,920	
Capital lease assets, net		327,379		-	
Equipment and fixtures, net		9,806		17,647	
Total assets	\$	4,951,836	\$	4,618,538	
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY					
Liabilities					
Accounts payable	\$	210,914	\$	271,412	
Commissions and bonus payable		122,715		403,978	
Accrued expenses and other		522,702		661,144	
Deferred rent		455,113		326,832	
Deferred revenue		67,010		140,404	
Capital lease obligations		348,841		-	
Notes payable, net of debt discount		1,244,038		1,205,281	
Notes payable to related parties, net of debt discount		1,904,320		2,075,888	
Total liabilities		4,875,653		5,084,939	
Shareholders' equity					
Convertible preferred stock, Series A \$0.0001 par value; 2,000,000 share	S				
authorized; 2,000,000 shares issued and 0 shares outstanding as of		_		_	
September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012; aggregate liquidation				_	
preference of \$0					
Convertible preferred stock, Series B \$0.0001 par value; 12,500,000 share	es				
authorized; 8,750,000 shares issued and 0 shares outstanding as of		_		_	
September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012; aggregate liquidation					
preference of \$0					
Convertible preferred stock, Series C \$0.0001 par value; 14,200,000 shar	es				
authorized; 11,800,000 shares issued and 0 shares outstanding as of		_		_	
September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012; aggregate liquidation					
preference of \$0				1.701	
Convertible preferred stock, Series D \$0.0001 par value; 24,000,000		-		1,701	
shares authorized, 23,720,916 and 23,720,916 shares issued					
and 0 and 17,001,579 shares outstanding as of					

September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively; aggregate liquidation preference of \$0 Convertible preferred stock, Series E \$0.0001 par value; 7,300,000 shares authorized, 6,825,433 and 6,825,433 shares issued and 0 and 6,303,799 shares outstanding as of September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively; aggregate liquidation preference of \$0