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

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement ROSETTA STONE INC [RST] ABS PARTNERS IV LLC (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2009 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 400 E. PRATT (Check all applicable) STREET, Â SUITE 910 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group _X__ 10% Owner Director Officer _Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _ Form filed by One Reporting Person BALTIMORE, Â MDÂ 21202 _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) I Common Stock See Footnote (1) 755,612 Series A-1 Preferred 261,558 I See Footnote (1) Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

currently valid OMB control number.

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	

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Date Expiration Title Amount or Derivative Security:

Exercisable Date Number of Security Direct (D)

Shares or Indirect

(I)

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
Transfer of the same	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ABS PARTNERS IV LLC 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	Â	ÂX	Â	Â		
ABS CAPITAL PARTNERS IV A LP 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	Â	ÂX	Â	Â		
ABS CAPITAL PARTNERS IV OFFSHORE LP 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	Â	ÂX	Â	Â		
ABS CAPITAL PARTNERS IV SPECIAL OFFSHORE LP 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	Â	ÂX	Â	Â		
ABS CAPITAL PARTNERS IV LP 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	Â	ÂX	Â	Â		

Signatures

Michael C. Wu, Power of Attorney 04/15/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Includes (i) 668,642 shares of common stock and 231,452 shares of Series A-1 Preferred owned by ABS Capital Partners IV, L.P., (ii) 22,386 shares of common stock and 7,749 shares of Series A-1 Preferred owned by ABS Capital Partners IV-A, LP., (iii) 38,402 shares of common stock and 13,293 shares of Series A-1 Preferred owned by ABS Capital Partners IV Offshore, L.P., and (iv) 26,182 shares of common stock and 9,064 shares of Series A-1 Preferred owned by ABS Capital Partners IV Special Offshore, L.P. ABS Partners IV, L.L.C. is the general partner of each such entity and has voting and dispositive power over these shares. Phil Clough and Laura Witt, who serve on our board of directors, are managing members of ABS Partners IV, L.L.C. and may be deemed to share voting or dispositive power over such shares. Mr. Clough and Ms. Witt disclaim beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.

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Remarks:

Upon the closing of the initial public offering of the issuer, each share of preferred stock will au Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *See* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.