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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Scott Martin

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

RAMBUS INC [RMBS]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

02/01/2008

Senior VP, Engineering

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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Person

LOS ALTOS, CA 94022

4440 EL CAMINO REAL

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

3. Execution Date, if

(Instr. 8)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(I)

(Instr. 4)

Ownership

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.		Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/01/2008		A		10,000		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	10,0
Employee Stock Option	\$ 19.86	02/01/2008		A		30,000		08/01/2008(3)	02/01/2018	Common Stock	30,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Scott Martin

4440 EL CAMINO REAL Senior VP, Engineering

LOS ALTOS, CA 94022

Signatures

/s/ Michael Leshkiw, Power of Attorney 02/05/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of Rambus Inc.
- (2) 2,500 shares vest on February 2, 2009. Thereafter, the remaining shares shall vest in equal installments of 2,500 shares on each one-year anniversary or the first trading day after February 1.
- (3) The option vests at the rate of ten percent (10%) of the option grant six months from the date of February 1, 2008, thereafter the remaining shares shall vest 1/60th in consecutive monthly installments until one hundred percent (100%) vested.

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