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**FORM 10-Q**

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

For the quarterly period ended December 31, 2005

OR

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

For the transition period from to

Commission File Number 0-4281

**BALLY TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**NEVADA**

(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**6601 S. Bermuda Rd.**

**Las Vegas, Nevada**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**88-0104066**

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**89119**

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number: **(702) 584-7700**

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  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of accelerated filer and large accelerated filer in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

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Large Accelerated Filer

Accelerated Filer

Non-Accelerated Filer

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes  No

The number of shares of Common Stock, \$0.10 par value, outstanding as of December 15, 2006, according to the records of the registrant's registrar and transfer agent was 53,012,913, which does not include 528,648 shares held in treasury.

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

As previously disclosed on Form 12b-25 of Bally Technologies, Inc. (formerly known as Alliance Gaming Corporation, Bally, the Company, or we ), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC ) on February 10, 2006, the filing of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the period ended December 31, 2005 was originally delayed due to the significant amount of additional time and resources necessary to complete the preparation and analysis of the financial statements for the fiscal quarters ended September 30 and December 31, 2005. The filing of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q was further delayed by the restatements discussed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K/A for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005, as amended and restated and filed with the SEC on October 31, 2006 (the 2005 10-K ). Furthermore, the preparation of the financial information presented in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q required additional time and resources because it was prepared while certain material weaknesses existed in our internal control over financial reporting.

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## PART I

## BALLY TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	December 31, 2005	June 30, 2005
	(in 000s, except per share amounts)	
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 24,641	\$ 33,170
Restricted cash	14,332	13,421
Accounts and notes receivable, net of allowances for doubtful accounts of \$9,918 and \$10,340	121,811	97,679
Inventories	59,015	63,523
Income taxes receivable	211	
Deferred tax assets, net	30,848	30,884
Other current assets	45,913	33,034
Total current assets	296,771	271,711
Long-term investments (restricted)	10,455	10,060
Long-term receivables, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$0 and \$11	6,585	7,450
Leased gaming equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$57,529 and \$42,495	43,217	51,850
Property, plant and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$47,470 and \$40,548	67,121	66,811
Goodwill	160,945	161,444
Intangible assets, net of accumulated amortization of \$21,964 and \$17,356	46,654	49,451
Deferred tax assets, net	25,596	16,548
Other assets, net	22,319	19,609
Total assets	\$ 679,663	\$ 654,934
<b>LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 27,897	\$ 36,807
Accrued liabilities	52,834	43,838
Deferred revenue	67,370	40,962
Jackpot liabilities	14,636	13,025
Income taxes payable		1,752
Current maturities of long-term debt, including \$5,037 and \$6,006 owed to related parties	9,250	10,163
Total current liabilities	171,987	146,547
Long-term debt, net of current maturities, including \$13,200 and \$13,200 owed to related parties	322,832	324,954
Other liabilities	18,765	6,931
Total liabilities	513,584	478,432
Minority interest	1,094	479
Stockholders' equity:		
Special stock, 10,000,000 shares authorized; Series E, \$100 liquidation value; 115 shares issued and outstanding	12	12
Common stock, \$.10 par value; 100,000,000 shares authorized; 52,663,000 and 52,649,000 shares issued and 52,137,000 and 52,123,000 outstanding	5,269	5,268
Treasury stock at cost, 526,000 and 526,000 shares	(665)	(665)
Deferred compensation (restricted stock units)		(6,689)
Additional paid-in capital	211,579	212,182
Accumulated other comprehensive income	1,376	1,219
Accumulated deficit	(52,586)	(35,304)
Total stockholders' equity	164,985	176,023
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 679,663	\$ 654,934



## BALLY TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

	Three Months Ended December 31,		Six Months Ended December 31,	
	2005	2004 (as restated, see Note 2)	2005	2004 (as restated, see Note 2)
	(in 000s, except per share amounts)			
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Gaming equipment and systems	\$ 113,961	\$ 111,666	\$ 208,756	\$ 218,471
Casino operations	14,492	12,769	26,047	25,605
	128,453	124,435	234,803	244,076
<b>Costs and expenses:</b>				
Cost of gaming equipment and systems	65,266	65,973	114,163	120,837
Cost of casino operations	4,939	4,589	9,222	9,391
Selling, general and administrative	47,007	40,765	88,849	84,404
Research and development costs	10,785	10,358	21,042	22,130
Restructuring charges				1,435
Depreciation and amortization	6,951	5,102	12,824	9,474
	134,948	126,787	246,100	247,671
Operating loss	(6,495 )	(2,352 )	(11,297 )	(3,595 )
<b>Other income (expense):</b>				
Interest income	589	1,046	1,492	1,857
Interest expense	(7,272 )	(3,790 )	(13,204 )	(7,752 )
Loss on extinguishment of debt		(564 )		(564 )
Other, net	(250 )	495	(521 )	815
<b>Loss from continuing operations before income taxes and minority interest</b>				
	(13,428 )	(5,165 )	(23,530 )	(9,239 )
Income tax benefit	4,702	2,901	8,835	4,580
Minority interest	(177 )	(1,145 )	(2,587 )	(1,644 )
Loss from continuing operations	(8,903 )	(3,409 )	(17,282 )	(6,303 )
<b>Gain (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes</b>				
		15		(4,376 )
Net loss	\$ (8,903 )	\$ (3,394 )	\$ (17,282 )	\$ (10,679 )
<b>Basic and diluted loss per share:</b>				
Continuing operations	\$ (0.17 )	\$ (0.07 )	\$ (0.33 )	\$ (0.12 )
Discontinued operations				(0.09 )
Total	\$ (0.17 )	\$ (0.07 )	\$ (0.33 )	\$ (0.21 )
<b>Weighted average shares outstanding:</b>				
Basic and diluted	52,138	51,010	52,138	50,988

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

## BALLY TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	Six Months Ended December 31, 2005	2004 (as restated, see Note 2)
	(in 000s)	
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (17,282 )	\$ (10,679 )
Loss from discontinued operations		4,376
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	30,938	22,784
Share-based compensation	5,914	542
Loss of extinguishment of debt		564
Deferred income tax expense (benefit)	(9,012 )	3,466
Provision for doubtful accounts	680	4,804
Operating activities of discontinued operations		(2,997 )
Inventory and other assets write-downs	7,983	14,602
Other	6,960	(2,721 )
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Purchase of appeal bond		(7,361 )
Accounts and notes receivable	(23,809 )	24,905
Inventories	4,446	(21,471 )
Other current assets	3,656	3,010
Accounts payable	(8,847 )	(7,169 )
Accrued liabilities, deferred revenue and jackpot liabilities	21,540	(30,917 )
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	23,167	(4,262 )
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Additions to property, plant, and equipment	(6,246 )	(5,471 )
Additions to leased gaming equipment	(19,933 )	(18,043 )
Settlement of acquisition related contingency		(12,000 )
Acquisition, net of cash acquired		1,911
Restricted cash and investments	(866 )	635
Additions to other long-term assets	(1,804 )	(1,521 )
Net cash used in investing activities	(28,849 )	(34,489 )
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Capitalized debt issuance costs		(1,038 )
Payoff of debt due to sale of net assets of discontinued operations		(101,618 )
Reduction of long-term debt	(3,042 )	(2,050 )
Purchase of treasury shares		(164 )
Proceeds from exercise of stock options, including tax benefit	172	945
Net cash used in financing activities	(2,870 )	(103,925 )
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	23	487
Cash and cash equivalents:		
Decrease for period	(8,529 )	(142,189 )
Balance, beginning of period	33,170	154,258
Balance, end of period	\$ 24,641	\$ 12,069

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.





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Notes to Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

**1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION**

*Principles of presentation and consolidation*

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and reflect all adjustments, consisting of normal recurring adjustments, which management believes are necessary to fairly present the financial position, results of operations and cash flows of Bally Technologies, Inc. (formerly known as Alliance Gaming Corporation), a Nevada corporation, and its subsidiaries ("Bally" or the "Company") for the respective periods presented. The results of operations for an interim period are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for any other interim period or the year as a whole. The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K/A for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005 as amended and restated and filed with the SEC on October 31, 2006 (the "2005 10-K").

Bally is a diversified, worldwide gaming company that designs, manufactures and distributes gaming machines and computerized monitoring systems for gaming machines and owns and operates one casino.

The Company is the general partner of Rainbow Casino Vicksburg Partnership ("RCVP"), which operates the Rainbow Casino in Vicksburg, Mississippi. Pursuant to transactions consummated in March 1995, the Rainbow Corporation, which was the former general partner of RCVP, became a limited partner entitled to receive 10% of the net available cash flows of RCVP after debt service and other items, as defined in the limited partnership agreement, which amount increases to 20% of such amount for the proportional revenues that exceed \$35.0 million each year through December 31, 2010. The Company holds the remaining economic interest in the partnership. The Company announced in October 2006 that it is evaluating alternatives with respect to the possible sale of the Rainbow Casino. As of the date of this filing, a formal plan for the sale of had not been approved by the Company's Board of Directors.

The Company consolidates RCVP and records an adjustment to reflect the portion of the earnings of RCVP attributable to the minority shareholders.

The Company also consolidates certain Atlantic City progressive trusts in accordance with Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") Interpretation ("FIN") 46R, *Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities*, which addresses consolidation by a business enterprise of variable interest entities ("VIEs") that either: (1) do not have sufficient equity investment at risk to permit the entity to finance its activities without additional subordinated financial support or (2) hold a significant variable interest in, or have significant involvement with, an existing VIE. For the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2005, the Company consolidated \$1.7 million and \$4.3 million, respectively, in revenues and \$2.3 million and \$3.2 million, respectively in related expenses, as well as \$6.1 million in total assets and liabilities as of December 31, 2005, primarily consisting of restricted cash accounts and restricted investments (included in other assets in the condensed consolidated balance sheets) and related jackpot liabilities. The Atlantic City progressive trusts were not consolidated for the three and six months ended December 31, 2004.

All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

*Reclassifications*

Certain reclassifications have been made to the prior period financial statements to conform to the current period presentation, the most significant of which was depreciation on leased gaming equipment which has been reclassified from depreciation expense to cost of gaming equipment and systems, totaling \$6.9 million and \$13.3 million, respectively, for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2004.

*Inventories*

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost, determined on a first in, first out basis, or market. Cost elements included in work-in-process and finished goods include raw materials, freight, direct labor and manufacturing overhead.



The Company recorded inventory write-downs totaling approximately \$8.0 million and \$14.6 million respectively, during the six months ended December 31, 2005 and 2004. These charges are classified in cost of gaming equipment and systems in the consolidated statements of operations.

*Property, plant and equipment and leased gaming equipment*

The Company historically depreciated leased gaming equipment down to its salvage value over estimated useful lives ranging from two to four years.

Based on historical data indicating a shortening of the average length of time certain leased gaming equipment was deployed, the Company re-evaluated the useful lives during the quarter ended December 31, 2005, and reduced the depreciable life and salvage values to zeros for certain of its products to two years and recorded the change in estimate prospectively. This change in estimate resulted in a \$6.8 million charge to depreciation expense in the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2005.

*Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements*

In September 2006, the FASB issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ( SFAS ) No. 157, *Fair Value Measurements*, which defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value in generally accepted accounting principles, and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. SFAS No. 157 does not require any new fair value measurements, rather it applies under existing accounting pronouncements that require or permit fair value measurements. SFAS No. 157 is effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007, and accordingly, the Company expects to adopt SFAS No. 157 beginning in fiscal year 2009. The Company is currently in the process of evaluating the impact SFAS No. 157 will have on its consolidated results of operations, financial position and cash flows.

In September 2006, the SEC issued Staff Accounting Bulletin ( SAB ) No. 108, *Considering the Effects of Prior Year Misstatements when Quantifying Misstatements in Current Year Financial Statements*, providing guidance on how prior year misstatements should be taken into consideration when quantifying misstatements in current year financial statements for purposes of determining whether the current year's financial statements are materially misstated. SAB No. 108 is effective for fiscal years ending on or after November 15, 2006, and accordingly, the Company expects to adopt SAB No. 108 beginning in fiscal year 2007. The Company does not expect SAB No. 108 will have an impact on its consolidated results of operations, financial position or cash flows.

In July 2006, the FASB issued FIN 48, *Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes, an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109, Accounting for Income Taxes*, which creates a single model to address uncertainty in income tax positions and prescribes the minimum recognition threshold a tax position is required to meet before being recognized in the financial statements. It also provides guidance on derecognition, measurement, classification, interest and penalties, accounting in interim periods, disclosure and transition. FIN 48 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2006, and accordingly, the Company expects to adopt FIN 48 beginning in its fiscal year 2008. The Company is currently in the process of evaluating the impact FIN 48 will have on its consolidated results of operations, financial position and cash flows.

In June 2005, the FASB issued FASB Staff Position ( FSP ) No. FAS 143-1, *Accounting for Electronic Equipment Waste Obligations*, to address accounting for obligations associated with the European Union's Directive 2002/96/EC on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment. The Directive, enacted in 2003, requires EU-member countries to adopt legislation to regulate the collection, treatment, recovery, and environmentally sound disposal of electrical and electronic waste equipment. The Directive distinguishes between products put on the market after August 13, 2005 as new waste and before that date as historical waste. FSP No. FAS 143-1 only addresses accounting for historical waste and is required to be applied the later of the first reporting period ending after June 8, 2005 or the date of adoption of the law by the applicable European Union member country. Adoption of FSP No. FAS 143-1 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated results of operations, financial position or cash flows.

In December 2004, the FASB issued SFAS No. 153, *Exchanges of Nonmonetary Assets*, amending APB Opinion No. 29, *Accounting for Nonmonetary Transactions*. APB Opinion No. 29 treated nonmonetary exchanges of similar productive assets as an exception from fair value measurement. SFAS No. 153 replaces this exception with a general exception from fair value measurement for exchanges of nonmonetary assets that do not have commercial substance. Nonmonetary exchanges have commercial substance if the future cash flows of an entity are expected to change significantly as a result of the exchange. SFAS No. 153 was effective for nonmonetary asset exchanges occurring in fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2005. Adoption of SFAS No. 153 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated results of operations, financial position or cash flows.

In November 2004, the FASB issued SFAS No. 151, *Inventory Costs*, revising Accounting Research Bulletin No. 43, Chapter 4, *Inventory Pricing*, which clarifies the accounting for abnormal amounts of idle facility expense, freight, handling costs and wasted material. SFAS No. 151 was effective for inventory costs incurred during fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2005. Adoption of SFAS No. 151 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated results of operations, financial position or cash flows.

## 2. RESTATEMENT

Subsequent to the issuance of the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2004, the Company identified accounting errors that required adjustments to such previously issued financial statements.

These errors related primarily to revenue recognition, accounting for inventory costs and other miscellaneous items as discussed below.

### *Revenue Recognition*

The Company identified instances where the timing or amount of revenue recognized was not in accordance with The American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) Statement of Position (SOP) No. 97-2 *Software Revenue Recognition*. The Company determined that certain requirements of SOP No. 97-2 were not met in a number of instances and therefore, revenue with respect to certain transactions was recognized prematurely. In accounting for these transactions, the Company has determined that it (1) should have deferred the revenue and related cost of sales, (2) should have reflected certain goods shipped as consigned inventory until later periods and (3) should not have recognized certain accounts receivable until later periods.

The specific circumstances which resulted in adjustments are as follows:

### *Persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists*

The Company identified a number of transactions for which certain conditions under the terms of the original agreement were not met or for which an agreement could not be found, calling into question whether the original agreement or lack thereof, provided adequate evidence of an arrangement that was sufficiently definitive to support revenue recognition. The Company concluded there was not persuasive evidence of an arrangement at that time and, consequently, revenue should have been deferred until the cash was received.

Additionally, the Company identified one transaction for which revenue was recognized in the fiscal quarter ended December 31, 2004 at the time the games were shipped to the customer based on a signed sales-type lease agreement. Subsequently, the customer negotiated a fixed price payment with a cash discount and other concessions. These circumstances called into question whether the original agreement provided adequate evidence of an arrangement that was sufficiently definitive to support recognition of revenue in December 2004. The Company has concluded that there was not persuasive evidence of an arrangement at that time, and therefore, the revenue should have been deferred until the cash was received in July 2005.

*Delivery has occurred*

The Company identified instances in which revenue was recognized for sales at the time the product was shipped to customers when the shipping terms stated or implied that the risk of loss and/or title did not transfer until the goods were delivered to the customer's location. Furthermore, certain transactions were identified that had been accounted for on a bill and hold basis that did not satisfy all of the applicable bill and hold criteria under SAB No. 104, *Revenue Recognition in Financial Statements*, resulting in revenue recognition prior to the physical delivery of goods to the customer. In both of these circumstances, recognition of revenue should have been deferred until the time the products reached the customer's location, and therefore, the revenue that had been previously recorded in connection with these transactions was adjusted to be recorded in subsequent accounting periods when the delivery criteria was met.

The Company also identified instances in the System division where certain standard sales agreements contained contractual terms creating a non-perpetual software license rather than a perpetual license. The Company determined that in such circumstances, revenue for non-perpetual software licenses should not have been recognized in full as of the acceptance date, but rather should have been deferred and recognized ratably over the twelve-month period from the date of acceptance. Consequently, the revenue that had previously been recorded in connection with these transactions was adjusted to be recorded in the appropriate periods.

*The vendor's fee is fixed or determinable and collectibility is probable*

The use of extended payment terms in a software licensing arrangement may indicate that the fee is not fixed or determinable and collectibility is not probable. The Company identified instances where revenue was recorded upon delivery of both systems and gaming products to customers under contracts that contained payment terms in excess of 24 months. At the time the sales were recorded, the Company did not have sufficient historical evidence of collections made under extended contracts with terms beyond 24 months, as required under SOP No. 97-2. Therefore, the Company should not have concluded that collectibility was probable and it should have deferred revenue on all contracts with extended payment terms in excess of 24 months, and recorded revenue upon receipt of payment from the customer. Consequently, the revenue that had previously been recorded in connection with these transactions was adjusted to be recorded in the subsequent periods when payment was received.

In addition, the Company identified instances in which revenue was recognized at the time product was shipped to customers who were either thinly capitalized or were new customers to the Company for which creditworthiness had not been sufficiently established. Pursuant to SOP No. 97-2, collectibility must be determined to be probable at the time of delivery in order for revenue to be recognized, and therefore, in such circumstances recognition of revenue should have been deferred until payment from the customer was received. Therefore, revenue that had previously been recorded for these transactions was adjusted to be recorded in subsequent periods when payment was received.

Inventory

In certain circumstances, standard versus actual raw material costs were recorded in cost of sales rather than as adjustments to inventory and fixed assets. As a result, adjustments have been made to adjust the standard costs to actual costs, resulting in corrections to the carrying value of certain finished goods and fixed assets and related cost of sales and depreciation expense.

Other Miscellaneous Adjustments

The Company determined that it should have presented the cash flows from discontinued operations within the respective categories of operating, investing and financing activities in its statements of cash flows, rather than as a single line item. The statement of cash flows was also adjusted to reflect a change in the classification of the jackpot reserve cash accounts to restricted cash.

The Company also determined that certain balance sheet account reconciliations were not performed timely and therefore necessary adjustments were not identified or recorded timely. The Company has completed the account reconciliations and made the corresponding corrections to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

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The Company determined that it should have recorded the value of restricted stock units based on the closing price of its common stock on the date of grant and not the average closing price for the 20 business days prior to the date of grant. An adjustment was recorded to reflect the fair market value during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005, based on the closing price of the Company's common stock on the respective dates of grant of the restricted stock units and an adjustment was recorded during the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2004 for the related stock compensation expense.

Additionally, the Company determined that interest earned on trade accounts receivable should have been recorded as interest income rather than revenue and recorded an adjustment to change the classification of these amounts to interest income.

As a result, the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2004 have been restated from amounts previously reported. The following is a reconciliation of the loss from continuing operations as previously reported to the restated amounts by the categories discussed above, net of tax:

	For the Three Months Ended December 31, 2004 (in 000s)	For the Six Months Ended December 31, 2004
Loss from continuing operations, as previously reported	\$ (7,540 )	\$ (13,945 )
Revenue recognition adjustments, net	3,277	6,326
Inventory adjustments, net	335	641
Other miscellaneous adjustments, net	519	675
Loss from continuing operations, as restated	\$ (3,409 )	\$ (6,303 )

The following tables summarize the significant effects of the restatement:

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2004		Six Months Ended December 31, 2004	
	As previously reported (in 000s)	As restated	As previously reported	As restated
<i>Statement of Operations</i>				
Revenue:				
Gaming equipment and systems	\$ 100,933	\$ 111,666	\$ 205,010	\$ 218,471
Casino operations	12,769	12,769	25,605	25,605
Total revenue	113,702	124,435	230,615	244,076
Cost of gaming equipment and systems	53,337	65,973	104,173	120,837
Selling, general and administrative expense	41,051	40,765	84,706	84,404
Depreciation and amortization (1)	12,020	5,102	22,861	9,474
Operating loss	(7,653 )	(2,352 )	(14,081 )	(3,595 )
Interest income	318	1,046	798	1,857
Interest expense	3,750	3,790	7,712	7,752
Loss from continuing operations before income taxes and minority interest	(11,274 )	(5,165 )	(21,031 )	(9,239 )
Income tax benefit	4,879	2,901	8,730	4,580
Loss from continuing operations	(7,540 )	(3,409 )	(13,945 )	(6,303 )
Net loss	(7,525 )	(3,394 )	(18,321 )	(10,679 )
Basic and diluted loss per share:				
Continuing operations	\$ (0.15 )	\$ (0.07 )	\$ (0.27 )	\$ (0.12 )
Discontinued operations			(0.09 )	(0.09 )
Total	\$ (0.15 )	\$ (0.07 )	\$ (0.36 )	\$ (0.21 )

(1) Depreciation on leased gaming equipment has been reclassified to cost of gaming equipment and systems (see Note 1).



	<b>Six Months Ended December 31, 2004 As previously reported (in 000s)</b>	<b>As restated</b>
<i>Statement of Cash Flows</i>		
Cash flows used in operating activities	\$ (7,704 )	\$ (4,262 )
Cash flows used in investing activities	(35,324 )	(34,489 )
Cash flows used in financing activities	(103,925 )	(103,925 )
Cash flows provided by discontinued operations	1,704	

### 3. DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS

The Company completed the sale of United Coin Machine Co. ( United Coin ) in June 2004 and Video Service Inc. ( VSI ) in October 2004.

The results of these discontinued operations are presented net of applicable income taxes within loss from discontinued operations in the accompanying condensed consolidated statements of operations.

During the three month period ended December 31, 2004, a Federal District Court jury reached a verdict in a patent infringement case filed by Action Gaming, Inc. ( AGI ) and International Game Technology ( IGT ). The jury awarded AGI and IGT an aggregate of approximately \$7.4 million in damages related to a single, optional feature offered in certain multi-hand poker games provided solely by United Coin. See Note 13, Commitments and Contingencies, for a description of the related litigation.

Operating results for the discontinued operations include VSI and United Coin. Summary operating results are as follows:

	<b>Three Months Ended December 31, 2004 (in 000s)</b>	<b>Six Months Ended December 31, 2004</b>
Net revenues	\$ 559	\$ 4,514
Operating income (loss)	(129 )	358
Loss on litigation settlement, Nevada Route		(7,356 )
Income tax benefit	38	2,516
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	\$ 15	\$ (4,376 )

### 4. EARNINGS PER SHARE

The computation of basic and diluted loss per share from continuing operations and discontinued operations and loss applicable to common shares are as follows:

	<b>Three Months Ended December 31, 2005</b>		<b>Six Months Ended December 31, 2005</b>	
	<b>2004</b>		<b>2004</b>	
	<b>(in 000s, except per share amounts)</b>			
Loss from continuing operations	\$ (8,903 )	\$ (3,409 )	\$ (17,282 )	\$ (6,303 )
Income (loss) from discontinued operations		15		(4,376 )
Net loss	\$ (8,903 )	\$ (3,394 )	\$ (17,282 )	\$ (10,679 )
Weighted average common shares outstanding	52,138	51,010	52,138	50,988
<b>Loss per basic and diluted share:</b>				
Continuing operations	\$ (0.17 )	\$ (0.07 )	\$ (0.33 )	\$ (0.12 )
Discontinued operations				(0.09 )
Total	\$ (0.17 )	\$ (0.07 )	\$ (0.33 )	\$ (0.21 )





Certain securities were excluded from the diluted loss per share calculation because their inclusion would be anti-dilutive due to the reported net loss. Such securities consist of the following:

	<b>Three and Six Months Ended</b>	
	<b>December 31,</b>	
	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>
	<b>(in 000s)</b>	
Stock options	9,147	6,185
Warrants	100	100
Restricted stock units	554	534
Total	9,801	6,819

As of December 31, 2005 and 2004, the Company also had certain related party debt outstanding which is convertible into common stock at the Company's discretion, the potential dilution from which has not been included in the diluted loss per share computation due to the reported net loss. Assuming the conversion occurred on December 31, 2005 and 2004, 1.1 million and 2.2 million shares would have been outstanding as a result of the conversion.

## 5. SHARE-BASED COMPENSATION

In December 2001, the Company's shareholders approved the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Plan, which has been amended several times (the 2001 Plan). The 2001 Plan provides for the issuance of up to 10,550,000 shares (as amended in fiscal year 2005) of common stock to Company employees, directors and designated paid consultants and up to 900,000 shares of restricted stock or restricted stock units (RSUs). Generally, options are granted at the fair value of the Company's common stock at the date of grant and are exercisable over five to ten years.

On June 13, 2005, the Board of Directors of the Company approved the accelerated vesting of unvested stock options held by the Company's employees, officers and directors with an exercise price of \$15.00 or higher. This accelerated vesting affected options for approximately 2.4 million shares of the Company's common stock. In order to prevent unintended personal benefits to individuals resulting from the accelerated vesting of options, the Company imposed sales restrictions on shares acquired upon exercise of these options that parallel the vesting requirements of the original options.

The decision to accelerate vesting of these underwater stock options was made primarily to avoid recognizing compensation expense under SFAS No. 123R. Because the exercise price of the options subject to the accelerated vesting was above the market price of the stock on the date of acceleration, the Company determined that these options did not offer a sufficient incentive to employees when compared to the potential future compensation expense that the Company would incur under SFAS No. 123R with respect to these options.

Effective July 1, 2005, the Company adopted the provisions of SFAS No. 123R which established accounting for equity instruments exchanged for employee services. SFAS No. 123R, *Share Based Payment*, requires employee stock options and rights to purchase shares under stock participation plans to be accounted for under the fair value method, and eliminates the ability to account for these instruments under the intrinsic value method prescribed by Accounting Principles Board (APB) Opinion No. 25, *Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees*. In March 2005, the SEC issued SAB No. 107, *Share-Based Payment*, which provided interpretive guidance on SFAS No. 123R valuation methods, assumptions used in valuation models, and the interaction of SFAS No. 123R with existing SEC guidance. SAB No. 107 also requires the classification of share-based compensation expense in the same financial statement line as cash compensation, and therefore, impacted the Company's cost of gaming equipment and systems, casino operations (and related gross profits and margins), research and development costs, and selling, general and administrative expenses. The Company implemented SFAS No. 123R on July 1, 2005 using the modified-prospective method.

Under the provisions of SFAS No. 123R, share-based compensation cost is measured at the grant date, based on the

calculated fair value of the award, and is recognized as an expense over the employee's requisite service period (generally the vesting period of the equity grant). Prior to July 1, 2005, the Company accounted for share-based compensation to employees in accordance with APB Opinion No. 25 and related interpretations. The Company also followed the disclosure requirements of SFAS No. 123, *Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation*, as amended by SFAS No. 148, *Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation Transition and Disclosure*. The Company elected to adopt SFAS No. 123R using the modified prospective transition method, and accordingly, financial statement amounts for the prior periods presented have not been restated to reflect the fair value method of expensing share-based compensation.

The following table presents share-based compensation expense included in the Company's condensed consolidated statement of operations:

	<b>Three Months Ended December 31, 2005 (in 000s)</b>	<b>Six Months Ended December 31, 2005</b>
Selling, general and administrative	\$ 2,882	\$ 5,372
Research and development	265	496
Cost of gaming and equipment	25	46
Share-based compensation expense before tax	3,172	5,914
Income tax benefit	1,110	2,069
Net share-based compensation expense	\$ 2,062	\$ 3,845

Included in share-based compensation expense in the condensed consolidated statements of cash flows for the six month period ended December 31, 2005, is \$1.8 million of restricted stock unit amortization.

As of December 31, 2005 there was \$22.7 million of total unrecognized compensation expense related to the nonvested stock options which will be recognized over the next 4.5 years.

The Company estimates the fair value of stock options using the Black-Scholes valuation model. Key input assumptions used to estimate the fair value of stock options include the exercise price of the award, the expected option term, the expected volatility of the Company's common stock over the option's expected term, the risk-free interest rate over the option's expected term, and the Company's expected annual dividend yield. The Company believes that the valuation technique and the approach utilized to develop the underlying assumptions are appropriate in calculating the fair values of the Company's stock options granted. Estimates of fair value are not intended to predict actual future events or the value ultimately realized by persons who receive equity awards.

The fair value of each option granted during the corresponding period was estimated on the grant date using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model with the following assumptions:

	<b>Three Months Ended December 31, 2005</b>		<b>Six Months Ended December 31, 2005</b>	
	<b>2004</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2004</b>
Weighted Average:				
Expected option term (in years) (1)	6.25	6.25	6.37	6.25
Expected volatility factor	61.56 %	62.00 %	62.01 %	62.00 %
Risk-free interest rate	4.18 %	3.50 %	3.74 %	3.50 %
Expected annual dividend yield	%	%	%	%

(1) The option term was determined using the short-cut method for estimating expected option life.

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Current period stock option activity as of and for the six months ended December 31, 2005 is summarized below:

	<b>Weighted Average</b>		<b>Remaining</b>	<b>Aggregate</b>
	<b>Shares</b>	<b>Exercise</b>	<b>Contractual</b>	<b>Intrinsic</b>
	<b>(in 000s)</b>	<b>Price</b>	<b>Term</b>	<b>Value</b>
		<b>(per share)</b>	<b>(years)</b>	<b>(in 000s)</b>
Balance outstanding as of June 30, 2005	8,196	\$ 14.72		\$ 18,224
Granted	1,213	13.51		
Exercised	(14 )	12.20		
Forfeited or expired	(248 )	19.29		
Balance outstanding as of December 31, 2005	9,147	\$ 14.44	6.53	\$ 14,757
Exercisable as of December 31, 2005	5,218	\$ 16.14	5.28	\$ 10,031

Current period restricted stock and RSU activity as of and for the six months ended December 31, 2005 is summarized below:

	<b>Shares</b>	<b>Weighted Average</b>
	<b>(in 000s)</b>	<b>Grant</b>
		<b>Date Fair</b>
		<b>Value</b>
		<b>(per share)</b>
Balance outstanding as of June 30, 2005	554	\$ 15.87
Granted		
Exercised		
Forfeited or expired		
Balance outstanding as of December 31, 2005	554	\$ 15.87
Exercisable as of December 31, 2005	214	\$ 15.50

The following is additional information about stock options exercised, granted and vested during the period:

	<b>Three Months Ended</b>		<b>Six Months Ended</b>	
	<b>December 31,</b>		<b>December 31,</b>	
	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>
	<b>(in 000s, except per share amounts)</b>			
Weighted average fair value per share:				
Options granted	\$ 7.73	\$ 7.03	\$ 8.33	\$ 7.86
Options vested	\$ 7.54	\$ 8.03	\$ 7.90	\$ 8.41
Exercises under all share-based payment arrangements:				
Total intrinsic value	\$	\$ 231.9	\$ 36.0	\$ 1,093.0
Cash received	\$	\$ 72.5	\$ 176.2	\$ 708.0
Tax benefit realized	\$	\$ 179.6	\$ 30.9	\$ 854.1

Prior to July 1, 2005, the Company accounted for share-based compensation to employees in accordance with APB Opinion No. 25, and accordingly, did not recognize compensation expense for employee share-based awards for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2004, as the exercise price of the Company's employee stock awards equaled the market price of the underlying stock on the date of grant.

The Company had previously adopted the provisions of SFAS No. 123, as amended by SFAS No. 148 through disclosure only. The following table illustrates the effects on net loss and loss per share for the three months ended December 31, 2004, as if the Company had applied the fair value recognition provisions of SFAS No. 123 to share-based employee awards:



	Three Months Ended December 31, 2004 (in 000s, except per share amounts)	Six Months Ended December 31, 2004
Reported net loss	\$ (3,394 )	\$ (10,679 )
Reported share-based compensation, net of tax	412	412
Pro forma share-based compensation, net of tax	(2,143 )	(3,830 )
Pro forma net loss	\$ (5,125 )	\$ (14,097 )
Basic and diluted loss per share:		
As reported	\$ (0.07 )	\$ (0.21 )
Pro forma	\$ (0.10 )	\$ (0.28 )

## 6. GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS

### *Finite lived intangible assets*

Substantially all of the Company's recorded intangible assets are subject to amortization. Finite lived intangible assets are comprised of the following:

	December 31, 2005 (in 000s)	June 30, 2005
Amortizable intangible assets:		
Patents and gaming related products	\$ 32,044	\$ 31,083
Less: accumulated amortization	(7,219 )	(5,202 )
	24,825	25,881
Licenses and other		
	31,290	30,440
Less: accumulated amortization	(14,745 )	(12,154 )
	16,545	18,286
Total	\$ 41,370	\$ 44,167

### *Indefinite lived intangible assets*

The carrying amount of indefinite lived intangibles as of June 30, 2005 and December 31, 2005 was \$5,284,000.

### *Goodwill*

Changes in the carrying amount of goodwill for the six month period ended December 31, 2005, are as follows:

	(in 000s)
Balance at June 30, 2005	\$ 161,444
Tax refund related to an acquisition	(346 )
Foreign currency translation adjustment	(153 )
Balance at December 31, 2005	\$ 160,945

In March 2004, the Company acquired Sierra Design Group (SDG). During the six month period ended December 31, 2005, the Company received a federal tax refund related to SDG's pre-acquisition operations, which had not previously been recorded as an income tax receivable, and therefore, the cash received was recorded as an adjustment to goodwill.



*Amortization of Intangibles*

Aggregate amortization expense totaled \$2.6 million and \$2.6 million, and \$5.3 million and \$4.6 million for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, respectively. Future amortization of intangible assets is scheduled as follows:

	(in 000s)
2006	\$ 4,652
2007	7,983
2008	5,762
2009	5,132
2010	4,753
Thereafter	13,088
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 41,370</b>

**7. LONG-TERM DEBT**

Long-term debt consists of the following:

	December 31, 2005 (in 000s)	June 30, 2005
Term loan facility	\$ 313,132	\$ 314,882
Related party debt (see Note 8)	18,237	19,206
Other, generally unsecured	713	1,029
Long-term debt	332,082	335,117
Less current maturities	9,250	10,163
Long-term debt, less current maturities	\$ 322,832	\$ 324,954

The Company's debt structure at December 31, 2005 consists primarily of a term loan facility, a \$75.0 million revolving credit facility, which is limited by a current leverage ratio and debt owed to related parties. The term loan requires principal reductions of approximately 1% per annum paid quarterly, with a balloon payment due in September 2009. The revolving credit facility commitment reduces annually until it comes due in September 2008. Based on the current leverage ratio at December 31, 2005, the Company had approximately \$15.4 million of availability under the revolving credit facility; however, there were no borrowings outstanding under the revolving credit facility. As of December 31, 2005, the interest rate in effect on the term loan was 10.75%, which was determined based on the interest rate formula of PRIME plus 1.75% plus a 2.00% default rate. On January 3, 2006 and July 3, 2006, the Company initiated its next LIBOR-based term loan interest rate periods (for a term of six months) based on the interest rate formula of LIBOR plus 3.50% and 3.75%, respectively, which was 8.18% and 9.33%, respectively.

The term loan and the revolving credit facility are collateralized by substantially all of the Company's domestic property and are guaranteed by each of the Company's domestic subsidiaries, other than the entity that holds the Company's interest in its Mississippi operations, and are secured by a pledge agreement. The loan agreement governing the term loan and the revolving credit facility (the Loan Agreement) contains a number of maintenance and other significant covenants that, among other things, restrict the ability of the Company and the ability of certain of its subsidiaries to dispose of assets, incur additional indebtedness and issue preferred stock, pay dividends or make other distributions, enter into certain acquisitions, repurchase equity interests or subordinated indebtedness, issue or sell equity interests of the Company's subsidiaries, engage in mergers or acquisitions or certain transactions with subsidiaries and affiliates, and that otherwise restrict corporate activities. The Company was in compliance with these covenants as of December 31, 2005.

As of December 31, 2005, the Company was also in compliance with its financial covenants consisting of a leverage ratio, a fixed charges coverage ratio and a minimum of Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization (EBITDA) (as EBITDA is defined in the Loan Agreement). The leverage ratio is computed as total average debt outstanding during the quarter divided by the trailing 12 months EBITDA, excluding certain cash and non-cash charges. The Company's leverage ratio as of December 31, 2005 was 4.3 times versus a maximum allowable of 4.5 times. The





maximum allowable leverage ratio declines to 4.25 as of March 31, 2006, 4.00 as of September 30, 2006, 3.75 as of December 31, 2006 and 3.50 as of September 30, 2007, through the remaining term of the Loan Agreement.

In October 2006, the Company executed an amendment to its bank facility, which, among other things, (i) extended the due date for the delivery of the Company's audited financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006 to December 31, 2006, (ii) provided that the Company shall deliver its quarterly reports on Form 10-Q for the Fiscal Quarters ended September 30, 2005, December 31, 2005 and March 31, 2006 no later than December 31, 2006, (iii) modified the definition of EBITDA to exclude up to \$10 million of certain cash charges and (iv) clarified that the definition of EBITDA includes interest income on trade receivables. The Company paid an administrative fee of \$964,000, which will be expensed in the quarter ended December 31, 2006, in exchange for the concessions granted under the amendment.

In December 2006, the Company executed an additional amendment to its bank facility, which extended the due date for the delivery of the Company's quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the Fiscal Quarter ended March 31, 2006 and its audited financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006 to March 15, 2007. The Company paid an administrative fee of \$1.2 million, which will be expensed in the quarter ended December 31, 2006, in exchange for the concessions granted under the amendment.

The Company's related party debt, which totaled approximately \$18.2 million as of December 31, 2005, consists primarily of the debt owed to the former principals of SDG, Micro Clever Consulting (MCC) and MindPlay LLC (MindPlay). See Note 8, Related Party Transactions, below regarding related party debt.

## 8. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

In the past two years, the Company completed the acquisition of all of the assets of MCC and SDG and substantially all of the assets and liabilities of MindPlay. In each acquisition, a portion of the consideration included subordinated debt issued to the former principals of each business. Certain of the former principals are now employees of the Company, and therefore, such debt is considered to be owed to related parties. The interest rates on the outstanding debt range from a variable rate of LIBOR plus 2% to a fixed rate of 6%. See the tables below for outstanding debt and interest rates as of December 31, 2005 and June 30, 2005.

	As of December 31, 2005		As of June 30, 2005	
	Interest Rate (in 000s)	Outstanding Debt	Interest Rate	Outstanding Debt
SDG	4.42 %	\$ 14,000	4.42 %	\$ 14,000
MindPlay	6.00 %	4,000	6.00 %	4,000
MCC	6.84 %	237	6.00 %	1,206
Related party debt		18,237		19,206
Less current maturities		5,037		6,006
Related party debt, less current maturities		\$ 13,200		\$ 13,200

In June 2005, the Company issued approximately 1.0 million shares of its common stock in connection with the conversion of \$14.0 million of the subordinated debt and accrued interest thereon owed to the former principals of SDG. The remaining note payable to the former principals of SDG of \$14.0 million is payable in annual installments through 2009. At the Company's discretion, the principal and accrued interest thereon can be paid in cash, or can be converted into shares of the Company's common stock using the average stock price for the 20 business days prior to the delivery of such shares.

In February 2004, the Company acquired substantially all of the assets and liabilities of MindPlay. The initial purchase price included, among other things, the issuance of a \$4.0 million note payable. As provided for in the acquisition agreement, the Company offset the entire amount due under the promissory note in connection with an indemnification claim against the former shareholders of MindPlay related to the Company's patent lawsuit with Shuffle Master, Inc.

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( Shuffle Master ) and IGT which are described below in Note 13, Commitments and Contingencies. Pursuant to the acquisition agreement, the Company is entitled to indemnification with respect to 50% of all of the Company's damages (including reasonable attorneys' fees) incurred in connection with the lawsuit, and is entitled to offset such amount against any amounts due under the \$4.0 million note payable. In March 2006, the Company paid the selling shareholders of MindPlay \$1.0 million under the promissory note and the parties agreed to cancel the note. The parties agreed to settle the remaining \$3.0 million obligation pending the outcome of the patent lawsuit.

	Total Interest Expense for the Three Months Ended December 31, 2005		Total Interest Expense for the Six Months Ended December 31, 2005	
	(in 000s)	2004	2005	2004
SDG	\$ 160	\$	\$ 319	\$
MindPlay	72	98	143	159
MCC	9	30	22	56

Accrued interest totaled \$0.7 million and \$0.3 million as of December 31, 2005 and June 30, 2005, respectively.

Pursuant to an advisory agreement dated July 1, 2004 with Kirkland Investment Corporation, which is 100% owned by Joel Kirschbaum, a director of the Company, and therefore, treated as a related-party, the Company agreed to pay Kirkland \$600,000 annually for a period of 3.5 years for advisory and related services. In August 2006, the Company made its last payment under the advisory agreement as a result of Mr. Kirschbaum's death.

The Company also leases a warehouse and office facility from an entity owned by Mr. Robert Luciano, a former principal of SDG and the Company's Chief Technology Officer. Rental payments totaled \$103,000 and \$206,000 and \$137,000 and \$240,000 for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, respectively.

## 9. SEGMENTS AND GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

The Company currently operates in two business segments (exclusive of the business segments included in discontinued operations): (i) Bally Gaming Equipment and Systems which designs, manufactures, distributes and operates gaming machines and computerized monitoring systems for gaming machines, and (ii) Casino Operations which currently owns and operates a casino in Vicksburg, Mississippi. The accounting policies of these segments are consistent with the Company's policies for the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

The table below presents information as to the Company's revenues and operating loss by segment:

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2005		Six Months Ended December 31 2005	
	(in 000s)	2004	2005	2004
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Gaming Equipment and Systems	\$ 113,961	\$ 111,666	\$ 208,756	\$ 218,471
Casino Operations	14,492	12,769	26,047	25,605
Total revenues	\$ 128,453	\$ 124,435	\$ 234,803	\$ 244,076
<b>Inter-segment revenues:</b>				
Gaming Equipment and Systems	\$ 214	\$ 84	\$ 303	\$ 256
Casino Operations				
Total inter-segment revenues	\$ 214	\$ 84	\$ 303	\$ 256
<b>Operating income (loss):</b>				
Gaming Equipment and Systems	\$ (4,817 )	\$ (1,694 )	\$ (6,245 )	\$ (983 )
Casino Operations	5,107	4,082	8,428	7,878
Corporate/other	(6,785 )	(4,740 )	(13,480 )	(10,490 )
Total operating income (loss)	\$ (6,495 )	\$ (2,352 )	\$ (11,297 )	\$ (3,595 )



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The Company's operations are based primarily in the United States with sales and distribution offices in Europe and South America.

The table below presents information as to the Company's revenues and operating loss by geographic region:

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2005 (in 000s)	2004	Six Months Ended December 31, 2005	2004
<b>Revenues:</b>				
United States	\$ 120,172	\$ 116,980	\$ 221,277	\$ 231,237
Europe	4,749	3,828	8,204	6,538
Other foreign	3,532	3,627	5,322	6,301
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>\$ 128,453</b>	<b>\$ 124,435</b>	<b>\$ 234,803</b>	<b>\$ 244,076</b>
<b>Operating income (loss):</b>				
United States	\$ (6,028 )	\$ (664 )	\$ (10,383 )	\$ (1,065 )
Europe	(643 )	(2,264 )	(1,195 )	(3,602 )
Other foreign	176	576	281	1,072
<b>Total operating income (loss)</b>	<b>\$ (6,495 )</b>	<b>\$ (2,352 )</b>	<b>\$ (11,297 )</b>	<b>\$ (3,595 )</b>

## 10. RESTRUCTURING CHARGE

During the three month period ended September 30, 2004, the Company undertook a review of its operations and reduced its workforce. The reduction resulted in a restructuring charge and accrual totaling \$1.4 million, of which \$0.9 million was recorded at the Gaming Equipment and Systems segment and \$0.5 million was recorded at the corporate level. The balance of the accrued liability for unpaid severance costs is as follows:

	(in 000s)
Beginning balance at June 30, 2005	\$ 1,290
Amounts paid	(744 )
Ending balance at December 31, 2005	\$ 546

## 11. COMPREHENSIVE LOSS

The following is a reconciliation of the Company's reported comprehensive loss:

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2005 (in 000s)	2004	Six Months Ended December 31, 2005	2004
Net loss	\$ (8,903 )	\$ (3,394 )	\$ (17,282 )	\$ (10,679 )
Currency translation adjustments	(114 )	(162 )	(157 )	6
<b>Comprehensive loss</b>	<b>\$ (9,017 )</b>	<b>\$ (3,556 )</b>	<b>\$ (17,439 )</b>	<b>\$ (10,673 )</b>

**12. SUPPLEMENTAL CASH FLOW INFORMATION**

The following supplemental information is related to the condensed consolidated statements of cash flows:

	<b>Six Month Ended December 31,</b>	
	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>
	<b>(in 000s)</b>	
Cash paid for interest	\$ 14,041	\$ 7,218
Cash paid for income taxes	2,289	3,057
Non-cash investing and financing transactions:		
Transfer property, plant and equipment to inventory	\$ 7,891	\$ 3,423
Foreign currency translation	(134 )	493

**13. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

On September 25, 1995, Bally Gaming Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company ( BGI ), was named as a defendant in a class action lawsuit filed in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada. The plaintiffs filed suit against BGI and approximately 45 other defendants, each of which is involved in the gaming business as a gaming machine manufacturer, distributor or casino operator. The lawsuit arises out of alleged fraudulent marketing and operation of casino video poker machines and electronic slot machines. The plaintiffs alleged that the defendants have engaged in a course of fraudulent and misleading conduct intended to induce people into playing their gaming machines based on a false belief concerning how those machines actually operate, as well as the extent to which there is actually an opportunity to win on any given play. The plaintiffs allege that the defendants' actions constitute violations of the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act (RICO) and give rise to claims of common law fraud and unjust enrichment. The plaintiffs are seeking monetary damages in excess of \$1.0 billion. In July 2002, the federal district court denied the plaintiffs' request for class action certification. In August 2004, the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit affirmed the Federal District Court's denial of class action certification, and the plaintiffs did not appeal. Subsequently, two of the four named plaintiffs elected to continue their cases as individual, non-class actions. However, in September 2005, the court granted the defendants' motions for summary judgment, resolving all claims in defendants' favor without a trial. In October 2005, the plaintiffs appealed the District Court's granting of summary judgment in favor of the defendants to the Ninth Circuit. Thereafter, the plaintiffs/appellants agreed to dismiss their appeal in exchange for the defendants' agreement not to pursue a claim for costs. The appeal was dismissed on June 26, 2006.

In June and July 2004, putative class actions were filed against Bally and its officers, Robert Miodunski, Robert Saxton, Mark Lerner and Steven Des Champs, in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada. The nearly identical complaints alleged violations of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, stemming from revised earnings guidance, declines in the stock price and sales of stock by insiders. The complaints sought damages in unspecified amounts. The Federal District Court granted the plaintiffs' unopposed motions to consolidate the cases and to appoint a lead counsel and a lead plaintiff, and the plaintiffs filed a consolidated complaint, all as is customary in such cases. Bally and the other defendants have moved to dismiss the complaint. Thereafter, activity in the case was suspended and the parties participated in a mediation process. The parties have reached an agreement in principle and are negotiating settlement documents, which will require court approval.

In addition, in July 2004, two derivative lawsuits were filed in Nevada state court against the members of the board of directors and the officers listed above. The Company was named as a nominal defendant in the derivative lawsuits as the claims were purportedly asserted for the benefit of Bally. These lawsuits asserted claims for breach of fiduciary duty and waste of corporate assets arising out of the same events as those giving rise to the class actions described above, and sought injunctive relief and damages in unspecified amounts. These two cases were consolidated, and Bally and the other defendants moved to dismiss the case. In February 2005, the state district court granted the defendants' motion and dismissed the case. The plaintiffs appealed the dismissal to the Nevada Supreme Court, which referred the matter to its settlement conference program. The parties met with a court-appointed

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settlement judge on December 15, 2005, and agreed to settle the case for \$8,000, and on February 2, 2006, the Nevada Supreme Court entered its order formally dismissing the appeal, thereby terminating the case. Although management believes the plaintiffs' lawsuit and appeal were without merit, it determined that the settlement was in the best interests of the Company.

On March 27, 2006, shortly after the aforementioned derivative suit was dismissed in the Nevada state court, another derivative lawsuit was filed in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada against individual defendants Robert Miodunski, Robert Saxton, Steven Des Champs, Mark Lerner, David Robbins, Anthony DiCesare, Joel Kirschbaum, Kevin Verner, Richard Hadrill, Stephen Race, Jacques André and nominal defendant Bally Technologies, Inc., in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada. Based on allegations that are similar to those alleged in the federal securities class action complaints and the previous derivative actions that were dismissed by the District Court, the derivative complaint alleges breach of fiduciary duty, abuse of control, gross mismanagement, waste of corporate assets, unjust enrichment and violation of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. The parties have reached an agreement in principle and are negotiating settlement documents.

During the six months ended December 31, 2005, the Company accrued \$1.3 million related to the anticipated settlement of the class action litigation and the March 27, 2006 derivative suit. The Company also accrued approximately \$0.5 million for legal fees related to the litigation in the six months ended December 31, 2005, which totaled \$1.9 million for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006.

In August 2004, Shuffle Master, Inc. sued the Company in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada, alleging infringement of various patents in connection with the Company's MindPlay product line and seeking injunctive relief and damages in an unspecified amount. In June 2005, it was announced that IGT had acquired an interest in the patents at issue in the case, and thereafter IGT joined the case as a plaintiff. In December 2005, the Court issued a ruling construing the claim terms of all the patents in the suit. Management believes the plaintiffs' lawsuit to be without merit, and the Company is vigorously defending against the lawsuit.

In September 2004, a United States District Court jury in the District of Nevada entered a \$7.4 million verdict against the Company in a suit filed by AGI and IGT. The suit alleged that the multi-hand video poker game deployed by the Company's former subsidiary, United Coin, infringed the plaintiffs' patents. The Federal District Court ruled on summary judgment that the game does not infringe the patents. However, the court left to the jury the question whether the use of autohold, a specific, optional feature of the game, caused it to infringe under the doctrine of equivalents, a doctrine of patent law. After a two-week trial, the jury determined that the game with the autohold option enabled did infringe under the doctrine of equivalents and awarded damages accordingly. The feature has been disabled on all affected games in the field, and the decision permits continued deployment of the game as long as the autohold feature is not included. The Company appealed the decision to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit and has posted a cash bond totaling \$7.6 million to stay payment of the judgment and accrued interest pending the appeal. The cash bond is included in other non-current assets and the accrued liability is included in accrued liabilities in the accompanying balance sheets. This amount has been accrued and the expense for this charge is included in discontinued operations in the accompanying statement of operations for 2004. On July 11, 2006, the federal circuit court of appeals affirmed the district court judgment, denying the appeals for both parties, and thereafter the judgment was satisfied out of the posted bond.

On December 7, 2004, IGT filed a patent infringement lawsuit against Bally in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada. The complaint asserts that Bally's wheel-based games, such as Monte Carlo, Lucky Wheel and Cash For Life, its games with a reel in the top box, such as Bonus Frenzy, and its iView products infringe on patents held by IGT, and seeks injunctive relief and damages in unspecified amounts. Bally believes IGT's claims are without merit and is vigorously defending itself against the lawsuit. As part of its defense, Bally has asserted counterclaims against IGT, including claims that IGT's patents are invalid, unenforceable and not infringed, as well as several claims that IGT has engaged in anti-competitive conduct in violation of state and federal antitrust laws. By its counterclaims, Bally is seeking damages and other relief from IGT. IGT's motion to dismiss Bally's antitrust claims was denied on January 10, 2006. The litigation is in the discovery phase and no trial date has been set.

In February 2005, the SEC initiated an informal inquiry and requested documents and information regarding matters related to the allegations in the class actions and similar matters. In August 2005, the SEC notified the Company that

its investigation had entered a formal phase, and requested additional information from the Company covering the same general areas that were addressed in the informal inquiry. Management is cooperating fully with the SEC in this matter.

In May 2006, IGT filed a patent infringement lawsuit against Bally in the United States District Court for the District of Delaware. The complaint asserts that Bally's Power Bonusing products infringe patents held by IGT, and seeks injunctive relief and damages in unspecified amounts. IGT's motion for a preliminary injunction is pending. Bally believes IGT's claims are without merit, including its request for preliminary relief and is vigorously defending itself against the lawsuit.

In September 2006, Bally filed a patent infringement lawsuit against IGT in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada. The complaint asserts that certain of IGT's bonus wheel games infringe patents held by Bally, and seeks injunctive relief and damages. IGT filed an answer generally denying the claims. The case is in the discovery phase and no trial date has been set.

The Company is also a party to various lawsuits relating to routine matters incidental to its business. Except as described above, management does not believe the outcome of such litigation, individually or in the aggregate, will have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial position or results of operations.

#### **14. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

During the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2006, the Company determined certain of its leased gaming equipment was no longer deployable as a result of a shifting market demand towards newer Bally products that incorporate more innovative features. As a result, the Company committed to a plan to abandon certain of these assets. The Company expects to record a charge of \$1.0 million in the quarter ended March 31, 2006 relating to the abandonment.

In accordance with the Company's accounting policy, during the fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2006, the Company evaluated the carrying value of goodwill and other intangible assets and determined that certain intangible assets were impaired. As a result, the Company expects to record an impairment charge of approximately \$5.5 to \$6.5 million in the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2006.

Additionally, during the fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2006, the Company evaluated the carrying value of its prepaid royalties, which are classified as other assets, and determined that certain amounts were not recoverable based on expected sales of the related products. As a result, the Company expects to record a charge of approximately \$2.5 to \$3.5 million in the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2006.



## **ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

We begin Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations with a brief description of the restatement, as well as an overview of our key operating business divisions and significant trends. This overview is followed by a detailed analysis of our results of operations and our financial condition as of, and for, the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2005.

### **Forward-Looking Statements**

Certain matters in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2005 and our other filings with the SEC, including, without limitation, certain matters discussed in this Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and in Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures about Market Risk, constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and are subject to the safe harbor created thereby. Those statements reflect the intent, belief or current expectations of the Company, its directors or its officers with respect to, among other things, future events and financial trends affecting the Company.

Forward-looking statements are typically identified by the words *believes*, *expects*, *anticipates* and similar expressions. In addition, any statements that refer to expectations or other characterizations of future events or circumstances are forward-looking statements. Readers are cautioned that any such forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and that matters referred to in such forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause actual results, performance or achievements of the Company to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Such factors include, among other things, the impact of competition and uncertainties concerning such matters as the Company's ability to service debt, product development, customer financing, sales to non-traditional gaming markets, foreign operations, dependence on key personnel, the ability to integrate future acquisitions, strict regulation by gaming authorities, the outcome of pending litigation matters including the pending securities class actions, gaming taxes, currency fluctuations and market risk and the potential adverse effects to our financial condition, results of operations or prospects as a result of the restatement of our prior period financial statements. Certain of these factors are discussed in the *Risk Factors* contained in the 2005 10-K. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise these forward-looking statements because of new information, future events or otherwise.

### **Restatement**

The condensed consolidated statements of operations and cash flows for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2004, have been restated. The restatement related primarily to revenue recognition, accounting for inventory costs and other miscellaneous adjustments that were the result of certain accounting errors, as more fully discussed in Note 2 to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements. The financial information set forth in the following Management's Discussion and Analysis gives effect to the restatement.

### **Our Business**

We are a worldwide leader in designing, manufacturing, distributing and operating gaming machines and computerized monitoring systems for gaming facilities. We also own and operate the Rainbow Casino, a dockside casino in Vicksburg, Mississippi.

We derive our revenues from the following four divisions:

*Gaming Equipment* - Sale of gaming machines;

*Gaming Operations* - Operation of wide-area progressive systems and lease of gaming machines;

*Systems* - Sales of computerized monitoring systems and related recurring hardware and software maintenance



revenue; and

#### *Casino Operations - Operation of the Rainbow Casino.*

We design, manufacture and sell a variety of electronic slot and video gaming machines through our Gaming Equipment division and have marketed over 100,000 machines during the past five years. Each gaming machine contains an operating system, also referred to as a game platform. The machine's operating system manages the software needed to run the machine. In the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005, we successfully completed our migration from the EVO platform to the Linux based ALPHA OS platform. ALPHA OS distinguishes itself from other industry platforms as an operating system designed for complete separation between the underlying operating system and the game applications, providing enhanced efficiency in game development and speed to market. ALPHA OS also incorporates free spin, scatter, bonusing and other advanced game features, while the related game interface provides internal and third-party developers with a secure, easy-to-use programming environment that incorporates an advanced set of development tools. Moreover, ALPHA OS was designed to support server-based gaming initiatives, including download of game results, configuration and game content.

Our Gaming Operations division offers three general types of games that are placed in casinos or other permissible gaming locations. The three general types of games are those that are linked on a proprietary wide-area progressive system, those that operate on a proprietary near-area progressive system and those that are non-linked niche games. These gaming machines earn recurring revenues and cash flows for us rather than being sold on a one-time basis.

We believe the growth of the Gaming Equipment and Gaming Operations divisions is dependent on providing new titles and technologies with high entertainment value to casino patrons. We spent approximately 9% of our revenue for the six months ended December 31, 2005 on research and development to accelerate the use of technology in our gaming products.

We also design and sell casino enterprise systems under our Systems division. Our primary casino enterprise systems products are designed to streamline casino business processes through the use of technology and include slot monitoring, casino management and cashless systems. We market our casino enterprise system product solutions under the broad categories of Bally CMS® (Casino Management Systems), Bally SMS® (Slot Management Systems) and Bally TMS® (Table Management Systems).

Competition in our Systems division continues to intensify. Our goal is to maintain a first or second position in each of our software product categories and to grow our software revenues faster than our competitors. We have also continued to focus on improving the overall quality of our software products and services levels. In addition, substantially all our customers renew their software licenses updates and product support contracts annually, thereby eliminating the need to repurchase new software licenses when new upgrades are released.

Our Rainbow Casino is one of four casinos currently operating in the Vicksburg, Mississippi market and is run through our Casino Operations division. The casino, which has approximately 12 table games and approximately 905 gaming devices, draws customers primarily from a 75-mile radius surrounding Vicksburg, which includes Jackson, Mississippi. While a number of properties located on the gulf coast sustained heavy damage during the 2005 hurricane season, our casino did not sustain any significant damage. Although it was temporarily closed following Hurricane Katrina, we reopened the property for business within four days of the storm, once power was restored to the general area. The play levels at our casino have generally increased following the reopening. The Company announced in October 2006 that it is evaluating alternatives with respect to the possible sale of the Rainbow Casino. There can be no assurance that the Company will complete the sale of the Rainbow Casino.

#### **Results of Operations**

Our results of operations include the accounts of Bally Technologies, Inc., and its wholly-owned and partially-owned subsidiaries. We report our revenue and income in two segments, the Bally Gaming Equipment and Systems segment, which includes our Gaming Equipment, Systems and Gaming Operations divisions, and our Casino Operations segment. Revenue from our Bally Gaming and Systems segment represents approximately 89% of our total revenues. The table below sets forth our consolidated results of operations for the three months and six month periods ended December 31, 2005 and 2004.

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	Three Months Ended December 31,					Six Months Ended December 31,				
	2005	% Rev	2004	% Rev	Increase/ (Decrease)	2005	% Rev	2004	% Rev	Increase/ (Decrease)
	(dollars in millions)									
Revenues	\$ 128.4	100 %	\$ 124.5	100 %	3 %	\$ 234.8	100 %	\$ 244.1	100 %	(4)%
Gross profit	\$ 58.3	45 %	\$ 53.8	43 %	8 %	\$ 111.4	47 %	\$ 113.8	47 %	(2)%
Operating loss	\$ (6.5 )	(5)%	\$ (2.4 )	(2)%	171 %					