

MOORING DAVID G  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MOORING DAVID G

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
4440 EL CAMINO REAL  
(Street)

LOS ALTOS, CA 94022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
RAMBUS INC [RMBS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/27/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	01/27/2006		M		45,001	A	\$ 8.637
Common Stock	01/27/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>		45,001	D	\$ 33.1668
Common Stock	01/27/2006		M		54,999	A	\$ 9.3
Common Stock	01/27/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>		54,999	D	\$ 33.1668
Common Stock	01/30/2006		M		45,001	A	\$ 9.3

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Common Stock	01/30/2006	S <sup>(1)</sup>	45,001	D	\$ 31.0711	580,622	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	M	48,619	A	\$ 14.8281	629,241	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S <sup>(1)</sup>	48,619	D	\$ 31.0711	580,622	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	M	6,380	A	\$ 14.8281	587,002	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S <sup>(1)</sup>	6,380	D	\$ 31.0711	580,622	D
Common Stock	01/31/2006	M	43,800	A	\$ 14.8281	624,422	D
Common Stock	01/31/2006	S <sup>(1)</sup>	43,800	D	\$ 30.5997	580,622	D

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 (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option 02	\$ 14.8281	01/30/2006		M	48,619	02/01/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	11/05/2008	Common Stock	48,619
Employee Stock Option 02	\$ 14.8281	01/30/2006		M	6,380	02/01/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	11/05/2008	Common Stock	6,380
Employee Stock Option 02	\$ 14.8281	01/31/2006		M	43,800	02/01/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	11/05/2008	Common Stock	43,800
Employee Stock	\$ 9.3	01/27/2006		M	54,999	01/31/2005 <sup>(3)</sup>	11/15/2011	Common Stock	54,999

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Option 06

Employee  
Stock \$ 9.3 01/30/2006  
Option 06

M 45,001 01/31/2005<sup>(3)</sup> 11/15/2011

Common  
Stock 45,0

Employee  
Stock \$ 8.637 01/27/2006  
Option 07

M 45,001 10/31/2002<sup>(4)</sup> 11/21/2012

Common  
Stock 45,0

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MOORING DAVID G 4440 EL CAMINO REAL LOS ALTOS, CA 94022	X		EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER	

## Signatures

By: Robert Eulau For: David J. Mooring 01/31/2006

\_\_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) The sale reported in this Form 4 is effective pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on 11/22/2005.
- (2) This option is fully vested.
- (3) This option vests monthly beginning 1/31/05 and becomes fully vested on 12/31/05.
- (4) This option vests monthly and becomes fully vested on 9/30/2007.

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