MOORING DAVID G

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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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 * MOORING DAVID G | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RAMBUS INC [RMBS] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | |
|---|-----------|----------|---|---|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | |
| 4440 EL CA | MINO REAL | | (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2006 | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | |
| LOS ALTOS, CA 94022 | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tal | ble I - Non- | Derivative : | Securi | ities Acquire | ed, Disposed of, o | or Beneficially | Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|-----------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | onDisposed of (Instr. 3, 4 | f (D) and 5) (A) or | | 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) |
| Common Stock | 03/02/2006 | | Code V M | Amount 20,000 | (D) | Price \$ 15.6719 | 710,622 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/02/2006 | | M | 100,000 | A | \$ 15.6719 | 810,622 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/02/2006 | | S <u>(1)</u> | 100,000 | D | \$ 32.991 | 710,622 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/03/2006 | | M | 100,000 | A | \$ 15.6719 | 810,622 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/03/2006 | | S <u>(1)</u> | 100,000 | D | \$ 32.2968 | 710,622 | D | |

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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) | Secu Acqu Disp | umber of vative rities aired (A) or osed of (D) r. 3, 4, and | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|----------------------|--|--|--------------------|--|--------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amo Num Shar |
| Employee Stock Option 03 | \$ 15.6719 | 03/02/2006 | | M | | 20,000 | 01/31/2003(2) | 10/20/2009 | Common Stock | 20 |
| Employee Stock Option 03 | \$ 15.6719 | 03/02/2006 | | M | | 100,000 | 01/31/2003(2) | 10/20/2009 | Common Stock | 100 |
| Employee Stock Option 03 | \$ 15.6719 | 03/03/2006 | | M | | 100,000 | 01/31/2003(2) | 10/20/2009 | Common Stock | 100 |

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

By: Raquel Peasley For: David J.
Mooring
03/03/2006

**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 vests monthly and becomes fully vested on 12/31/2004.

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Reporting Owners 2

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