Kim Jae Form 4 August 07, 2017

FORM 4

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

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Kim Jae

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

RAMBUS INC [RMBS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 08/03/2017

1050 ENTERPRISE WAY, SUITE 700

(Street)

(First)

(Middle)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

below) SVP & GC

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

SUNNYVALE, CA 94089

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	-Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of	` ′	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	08/03/2017		M	495	A	\$ 7.31	120,126	D	
Common Stock	08/03/2017		M	2,432	A	\$ 5.46	122,558	D	
Common Stock	08/03/2017		M	1,459	A	\$ 5.46	124,017	D	
Common Stock	08/03/2017		M	243	A	\$ 5.63	124,260	D	
Common Stock	08/03/2017		M	110	A	\$ 5.63	124,370	D	

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Common Stock	08/03/2017	M	10,287	A	\$ 8.76	134,657	D
Common Stock	08/03/2017	M	5,134	A	\$ 11.26	139,791	D
Common Stock	08/03/2017	M	6,428	A	\$ 12.31	146,219	D
Common Stock	08/03/2017	S	39,195	D	\$ 12.7025 (1)	107,024	D
Common Stock	08/04/2017	S	3,254	D	\$ 12.8032 (2)	103,770	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.31	08/03/2017		M		495	(3)	02/01/2022	Common Stock	495
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.46	08/03/2017		M		2,432	<u>(4)</u>	02/01/2023	Common Stock	2,432
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 5.46	08/03/2017		M		1,459	<u>(4)</u>	02/01/2023	Common Stock	1,459

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Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.63	08/03/2017	M	243	(5)	08/02/2020	Common Stock	243
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.63	08/03/2017	M	110	<u>(5)</u>	02/01/2021	Common Stock	110
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.76	08/03/2017	M	10,287	<u>(6)</u>	02/03/2024	Common Stock	16,073
Employee Stock Option	\$ 11.26	08/03/2017	M	5,134	<u>(7)</u>	02/02/2025	Common Stock	10,534
Employee Stock Option	\$ 12.31	08/03/2017	M	6,428	(8)	02/01/2026	Common Stock	18,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Kim Jae 1050 ENTERPRISE WAY, SUITE 700 SUNNYVALE, CA 94089			SVP & GC					

Signatures

/s/ William Krause, by power of attorney

08/07/2017

**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).
- The sale price reported in Column 4 of Table 1 represents the weighted average sale price of the shares sold ranging from \$12.65 to (1) \$12.75. Upon request by the Commission Staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the Reporting Person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) All shares were sold at an exact sale price of \$12.8032.
- (3) Ten percent of the shares subject to the option vested on August 1, 2012 and the remaining shares vested monthly thereafter until fully vested on February 1, 2016.

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- (4) Ten percent of the shares subject to the option vested on August 1, 2013 and the remaining shares vested monthly thereafter until fully vested on February 1, 2017.
- (5) One-third of the shares subject to the option vested on June 22, 2013 and the remaining shares vested monthly thereafter until fully vested on June 22, 2015.
- (6) Ten percent of the shares subject to the option vested on August 3, 2014 and the remaining shares vested monthly thereafter until fully vested on February 3, 2018.
- (7) Ten percent of the shares subject to the option vested on August 2, 2015 and the remaining shares vest monthly thereafter until fully vested on February 2, 2019.
- (8) Ten percent of the shares subject to the option vested on August 1, 2016 and the remaining shares vest monthly thereafter until fully vested on February 1, 2020.

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