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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).												
(Print or Type Respo	onses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Pinto Mark			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RAMBUS INC [RMBS]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4440 EL CAMINO REAL			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/10/2006			(Check all applicable) <u>X</u> Director Officer (give title Dother (specify below)						
LOS ALTOS, C	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 								
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-l	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of. or Beneficia	llv Owned			
	ransaction Date nth/Day/Year)	2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da	ed Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securit nAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	ies (A) or of (D)	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			
Reminder: Report o	n a separate line	e for each cla	ass of sec	urities bene	ficially ow	ned directly of	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount o
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)		

	Derivative Security				or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Instr. 3, 4,				
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Director Stock Option 01	\$ 31.36	03/10/2006	A		40,000		09/10/2006 <u>(1)</u>	03/10/2016	Common Stock	40,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Pinto Mark 4440 EL CAMINO REAL LOS ALTOS, CA 94022	Х							
Signatures								
By: Raquel Peasley For: Mark Pinto		03/13/2006						
**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) $\frac{5000 \text{ Shares become fully vested on 9-10-06. Beginning 10-10-06 the remaining shares vest monthly becoming fully vested on <math>\frac{3}{10}$

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