

RAMBUS INC  
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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 \*  
STARK LAURA

(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)  
05/01/2006

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)  
Senior Vice-President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/01/2006		M		7,392	A	\$ 14.8281
Common Stock	05/01/2006		S		7,392	D	\$ 37.9419
Common Stock	05/01/2006		M		12,608	A	\$ 15.3125
Common Stock	05/01/2006		S		12,608	D	\$ 37.9419
Common Stock	05/02/2006		M		3,772	A	\$ 15.3125

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Common Stock	05/02/2006	S	3,772	D	\$ 38.6622	23,916	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2006	M	16,000	A	\$ 15.6719	39,916	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2006	S	16,000	D	\$ 38.6622	23,916	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2006	M	228	A	\$ 15.6719	24,144	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2006	S	228	D	\$ 38.6622	23,916	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2006	M	19,772	A	\$ 15.6719	43,688	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2006	S	19,772	D	\$ 36.5216	23,916	D	
Common Stock						9,335	I	by Spouse

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option 07	\$ 14.8281	05/01/2006		M	7,392	02/01/2002 <sup>(1)</sup>	11/05/2008	Common Stock	7,392
Employee Stock Option 08	\$ 15.3125	05/01/2006		M	12,608	01/31/2000 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/18/2009	Common Stock	12,608
Employee Stock Option 08	\$ 15.3125	05/02/2006		M	3,772	01/31/2000 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/18/2009	Common Stock	3,772

Employee Stock Option 17	\$ 15.6719	05/02/2006	M	228	01/31/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	10/20/2009	Common Stock	228
Employee Stock Option 17	\$ 15.6719	05/03/2006	M	19,772	01/31/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	10/20/2009	Common Stock	19,772
Employee Stock Option 19	\$ 15.6719	05/02/2006	M	16,000	10/31/2002 <sup>(1)</sup>	10/20/2009	Common Stock	16,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STARK LAURA 4440 EL CAMINO REAL LOS ALTOS, CA 94022			Senior Vice-President	

## Signatures

By: RAQUEL PEASLEY For: LAURA S. STARK  
Date: 05/03/2006

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) This option is fully vested.
- (2) This option vests monthly and becomes fully vested on 12/31/2004.

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