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Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

July 27, 2015

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

HARMONIC INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 000-25826 Commission File Number 77-0201147 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

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(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of Registrant's principal executive offices)

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 27, 2015, Harmonic Inc. ("Harmonic") issued a press release regarding its preliminary unaudited financial results for the quarter ended July 3, 2015. In the press release, Harmonic also announced that it would be holding a conference call on July 27, 2015 to discuss its financial results for the quarter ended July 3, 2015. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto, and the information in Exhibit 99.1 is incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K and the exhibit attached hereto is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, and this Current Report on Form 8-K and the exhibit furnished herewith shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing by Harmonic under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or under the Exchange Act.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit
NumberDescription99.1Press release of Harmonic Inc., issued on July 27, 2015

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: July 27, 2015

HARMONIC INC.

By: /s/ Carolyn V. Aver

Carolyn V. Aver Chief Financial Officer

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Harmonic Announces Second Quarter 2015 Results

SAN JOSE, Calif.-July 27, 2015-Harmonic Inc. (NASDAQ: HLIT), the worldwide leader in video delivery infrastructure, announced today its preliminary and unaudited results for the second quarter of 2015.

Net revenue for the second quarter of 2015 was \$103.1 million, compared with \$104.0 million for the first quarter of 2015 and \$109.6 million for the second quarter of 2014.

Bookings for the second quarter of 2015 were \$99.3 million, compared with \$97.3 million for the first quarter of 2015 and \$113.4 million for the second quarter of 2014.

Total backlog and deferred revenue was \$120.6 million as of July 3, 2015, compared to \$122.2 million as of April 3, 2015.

GAAP net loss for the second quarter of 2015 was (1.0) million, or (0.01) per diluted share, compared with a GAAP net loss for the first quarter of 2015 of (2.7) million, or (0.03) per diluted share, and a GAAP net loss of (37.1) million, or (0.39) per diluted share, for the second quarter of 2014.

Non-GAAP net income for the second quarter of 2015 was \$4.2 million, or \$0.05 per diluted share, compared with a non-GAAP net income for the first quarter of 2015 of \$4.5 million, or \$0.05 per diluted share, and a non-GAAP net income of \$1.8 million, or \$0.02 per diluted share, for the second quarter of 2014. See "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" and "GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations" below.

GAAP gross margin was 52.7% and GAAP operating margin was (0.3)% for the second quarter of 2015, compared with 52.9% and 0.01%, respectively, for the first quarter of 2015, and 45.5% and (7.9)%, respectively, for the same period in 2014.

Non-GAAP gross margin was 53.2% and non-GAAP operating margin was 5.1% for the second quarter of 2015, compared with 53.9% and 5.9%, respectively, for the first quarter of 2015, and 50.1% and 2.2%, respectively, for the same period in 2014. See "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" and "GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations" below.

Total cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments were \$105.1 million at the end of the second quarter of 2015, up \$3.2 million from \$101.9 million at the end of the prior quarter. In the second quarter of 2015, the Company generated approximately \$11.6 million of cash from operations, and used approximately \$7.0 million to repurchase approximately one million shares of common stock under its share repurchase program.

"Year-over-year earnings growth and margin expansion was driven by our Video business, as demand for our new VOS platform accelerated," said Patrick Harshman, President and CEO of Harmonic. "Cable edge segment revenue softened off of a record Q1 as cable industry demand slowed. Consequently, our near-term outlook on cable industry spending is cautious, although we remain confident in mid-to-longer-term cable demand trends and in our CCAP growth strategy. Looking ahead at our Video business, which addresses a wider array of customer verticals, we are encouraged by the competitive momentum of our new VOS offering and associated growth opportunities. We remain resolved to delivering earnings growth and enhanced shareholder value."

Exhibit 99.1

Press Release

Business Outlook

For the third quarter of 2015, Harmonic anticipates:

- Net revenue in the range of \$92 million to \$102 million
- GAAP gross margins in the range of 53% to 54%
- GAAP operating expenses in the range of \$54 million to \$55 million
- Non-GAAP gross margins in the range of 53% to 54%
- Non-GAAP operating expenses in the range of \$49 million to \$50 million

See "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" and "GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations" below.

Conference Call Information

Harmonic will host a conference call to discuss its financial results at 2:00 p.m. Pacific (5:00 p.m. Eastern) on Monday, July 27, 2015. A listen-only broadcast of the conference call can be accessed either from the Company's website at www.harmonicinc.com or by calling +1.847.619.6547 or +1.888.895.5271 (passcode 40109041). A replay of the conference call will be available after 4:30 p.m. Pacific at the same website address or by calling +1.630.652.3042 or +1.888.843.7419 (passcode 40109041#).

About Harmonic Inc.

Harmonic (NASDAQ: HLIT) is the worldwide leader in video delivery infrastructure for emerging television and video services. Harmonic enables customers to produce, deliver, and monetize amazing video experiences, with unequalled business agility and operational efficiency, by providing market-leading innovation, high-quality service, and compelling total-cost-of-ownership. More information is available at www.harmonicinc.com.

Legal Notice Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, including statements related to our expectations regarding: our final results for the second quarter ended July 3, 2015 and our expectations concerning quarter-on-quarter growth; and net revenue, GAAP gross margins, GAAP operating expenses, non-GAAP gross margins and non-GAAP operating expenses for the third quarter of 2015. Our expectations regarding these matters may not materialize, and actual results in future periods are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected. These risks include, in no particular order, the following: the trends toward more high-definition, on-demand and anytime, anywhere video will not continue to develop at its current pace or will expire; a strong U.S. dollar may have a negative impact on our business in certain international markets; the possibility that our products will not generate sales that are commensurate with our expectations or that our cost of revenue or operating expenses may exceed our expectations; the mix of products and services sold in various geographies and the effect it has on gross margins; delays or decreases in capital spending in the cable, satellite and telco and broadcast and media industries; customer concentration and consolidation; the impact of general economic conditions on our sales and operations; our ability to develop new and enhanced products in a timely manner and market acceptance of our new or existing products; losses of one or more key customers; risks associated with our international operations, including in Ukraine; risks associated with our CCAP and VOSTM product initiatives, dependence on market acceptance of various types of broadband services, on the adoption of new broadband technologies and on broadband industry trends; inventory management; the lack of timely availability of parts or raw materials necessary to produce our products; the impact of increases in the prices of raw materials and oil; the effect of competition, on both revenue and gross margins; difficulties associated with rapid technological changes in our markets; risks associated with unpredictable sales cycles; our dependence on contract manufacturers and sole or limited source suppliers; the effect on our business of natural disasters; and the risk that our share repurchase program will not continue to result in material purchases of our common stock. The forwardlooking statements contained in this press release are also subject to other risks and uncertainties, including those more fully described in Harmonic's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including our most recent Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended April 3, 2015 and our Current Reports on Form 8-K. The forward-looking statements in this press release are based on information available to the Company as of the date hereof, and Harmonic disclaims any obligation to update any forward-looking statements.

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

In establishing operating budgets, managing its business performance, and setting internal measurement targets, we exclude a number of items required by GAAP. Management believes that these accounting charges and credits, most of which are non-cash or non-recurring in nature, are not useful in managing its operations and business. Historically, the Company has also publicly presented these supplemental non-GAAP measures in order to assist the investment community to see the Company "through the eyes of management," and thereby enhance understanding of its operating performance. The non-GAAP measures presented here are: gross profit, operating expenses, income (loss) from operations and net income (loss) (including those amounts as a percentage of revenue), and net income (loss) per diluted share. The presentation of non-GAAP information is not intended to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for results prepared in accordance with GAAP, and is not necessarily comparable to non-GAAP results published by other companies. A reconciliation of the historical non-GAAP financial measures discussed in this press release to the most directly comparable historical GAAP financial measures is included with the financial statements provided with this press release. The non-GAAP adjustments described below have historically been excluded from our GAAP financial measures. These adjustments are restructuring and related charges, impairment of long-term investment and non-cash items, such as stock-based compensation expense, amortization of intangibles, and adjustments that normalize the tax rate. With respect to our expectations under "Business Outlook" above, reconciliation of non-GAAP guidance measures to corresponding GAAP measures is not available without unreasonable efforts on a forward-looking basis due to the high variability and low visibility with respect to the charges which are excluded from these non-GAAP measures. The effects of stock-based compensation expense specific to common stock options are direct

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Harmonic Inc. Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (Unaudited)

		July 3, 2015	December 31, 2014
		(In thousands, exc	ept par value amounts)
ASSETS			
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	76,049	\$ 73,032
Short-term investments		29,034	31,847
Accounts receivable, net		76,079	74,144
Inventories		31,241	32,747
Deferred income taxes, short-term		3,375	3,375
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		30,118	17,539
Total current assets		245,896	232,684
Property and equipment, net		27,087	27,221
Goodwill, intangibles and other assets		216,235	220,613
Total assets	\$	489,218	\$ 480,518
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$	21,286	\$ 15,318
Income taxes payable	φ	112	893
Deferred revenue		46,922	38,601
Accrued liabilities		29,985	35,118
Total current liabilities		98,305	89,930
		98,505	67,750
Income taxes payable, long-term		4,923	4,969
Deferred tax liabilities, long-term		3,095	3,095
Other non-current liabilities		11,679	10,711
Total liabilities		118,002	108,705
Stockholders' equity:			
Preferred stock, \$0.001 par value, 5,000 shares authorized; no shares issued or outstanding			
Common stock, \$0.001 par value, 150,000 shares authorized; 88,485 and 87,700 shares issued and outstanding at July 3, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively		88	
Additional paid-in capital		2,264,312	2,261,952
Accumulated deficit		(1,891,898)	(1,888,247)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(1,891,898)	(1,888,247)
Total stockholders' equity	_	371,216	371,813
	\$	489,218	\$ 480,518
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	¢	409,218	400,318

Harmonic Inc. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

		Three months ended					ths ended					
	Ju	July 3, 2015 June 27, 20			Jı	uly 3, 2015	ļ	June 27, 2014				
		(in thousands, except per share amounts)										
Net revenue	\$	103,103	\$	109,589	\$	207,119	\$	217,621				
Cost of revenue		48,718		59,772		97,706		115,492				
Gross profit		54,385		49,817		109,413		102,129				
Operating expenses:												
Research and development		21,816		23,485		44,145		47,373				
Selling, general and administrative		31,281		32,979		62,477		66,526				
Amortization of intangibles		1,446		1,718		2,892		3,668				
Restructuring and related charges		185		284		229		433				
Total operating expenses		54,728		58,466		109,743		118,000				
Loss from operations		(343)		(8,649)		(330)		(15,871)				
Interest and other income (expense), net		76		(60)		(375)		29				
Loss on impairment of long-term investment				—		(2,505)		_				
Loss before income taxes		(267)		(8,709)		(3,210)	-	(15,842)				
Provision for income taxes		727		28,353		441		26,630				
Net loss	\$	(994)	\$	(37,062)	\$	(3,651)	\$	(42,472)				
Net loss per share:												
Basic and diluted	\$	(0.01)	\$	(0.39)	\$	(0.04)	\$	(0.44)				
Shares used in per share calculation:												
Basic and diluted		88,426		93,966		88,541		95,899				

Harmonic Inc. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

		Six months ended					
	Jı	ıly 3, 2015	June 27, 2014				
		(In thousar	nds)				
Cash flows from operating activities:							
Net loss	\$	(3,651) \$	(42,472)				
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by operating activities:							
Amortization of intangibles		3,439	12,866				
Depreciation		6,930	8,486				
Stock-based compensation		8,018	8,368				
Loss on impairment of long-term investment		2,505	—				
Deferred income taxes		—	27,407				
Provision for excess and obsolete inventories		843	1,377				
Allowance for doubtful accounts, returns and discounts		(179)	600				
Excess tax benefits from stock-based compensation		(22)	(304)				
Other non-cash adjustments, net		252	847				
Changes in assets and liabilities:							
Accounts receivable		(1,756)	(5,485)				
Inventories		663	5,379				
Prepaid expenses and other assets		(12,893)	(2,424)				
Accounts payable		6,415	2,324				
Deferred revenue		9,833	10,873				
Income taxes payable		(815)	562				
Accrued and other liabilities		(5,994)	(1,625)				
Net cash provided by operating activities		13,588	26,779				
Cash flows from investing activities:							
Purchases of investments		(12,986)	(26,599)				
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments		15,744	30,846				
Purchases of property and equipment		(7,505)	(6,479)				
Purchases of long-term investments		(85)	_				
Net cash used in investing activities		(4,832)	(2,232)				
Cash flows from financing activities:							
Payments for repurchase of common stock		(12,171)	(54,751)				
Net proceeds from (repurchases of) common stock issued to employees		6,491	(1,272)				
Excess tax benefits from stock-based compensation		22	304				
Net cash used in financing activities		(5,658)	(55,719)				
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		(81)	16				
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		3,017	(31,156)				
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		73,032	90,329				

Harmonic Inc. **Revenue Information** (Unaudited)

	Three months ended							Six months ended								
	 July 3, 2015 June 27, 2014*				July 3, 2	015	June 27, 20	14*								
				(In tho	usands, exo	cept	percentages)									
Product																
Video Products(1)	\$ 56,096	54%	\$	57,196	52%	\$	104,810	50%	\$	121,214	55%					
Cable Edge	21,351	21%		29,332	27%		53,110	26%		53,574	25%					
Services and Support	25,656	25%		23,061	21%		49,199	24%		42,833	20%					
Total	\$ 103,103	100%	\$	109,589	100%	\$	207,119	100%	\$	217,621	100%					
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Geography																
Americas ⁽²⁾	\$ 60,342	58%	\$	60,066	55%	\$	120,860	58%	\$	124,952	57%					
EMEA	27,360	27%		31,519	29%		52,033	25%		55,706	26%					
APAC	15,401	15%		18,004	16%		34,226	17%		36,963	17%					
Total	\$ 103,103	100%	\$	109,589	100%	\$	207,119	100%	\$	217,621	100%					
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Market																
Service Provider ⁽³⁾	\$ 64,041	62%	\$	75,048	68%	\$	132,015	64%	\$	146,558	67%					
Broadcast and Media	39,062	38%		34,541	32%		75,104	36%		71,063	33%					
Total	\$ 103,103	100%	\$	109,589	100%	\$	207,119	100%	\$	217,621	100%					
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(1) Video Products now include Video Processing and Production and Playout.
(2) Americas now include U.S., Canada and Latin America.
(3) Service Provider now includes Cable and Satellite and Telco.

* NOTE : The prior period information has been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation.

Harmonic Inc. Segment Revenue and Operating Income (Loss) (Unaudited)

		Three months ended Six mo						onths ended			
	Jı	ıly 3, 2015	J	June 27, 2014	J	fuly 3, 2015		June 27, 2014			
				(In thou	(sands)	1					
Net revenue:											
Video	\$	78,207	\$	77,311	\$	147,489	\$	158,463			
Cable Edge		24,896		32,278		59,630		59,158			
Total consolidated net revenue	\$	103,103	\$	109,589	\$	207,119	\$	217,621			
Operating income (loss):											
Video	\$	4,901	\$	382	\$	4,811	\$	2,817			
Cable Edge		357		2,014		6,545		3,058			
Total segment operating income		5,258		2,396		11,356		5,875			
Unallocated corporate expenses*		(185)		(284)		(229)		(512)			
Stock-based compensation		(3,884)		(4,561)		(8,018)		(8,368)			
Amortization of intangibles		(1,532)		(6,200)		(3,439)		(12,866)			
Income (loss) from operations		(343)		(8,649)		(330)		(15,871)			
Non-operating income (expense)		76		(60)		(2,880)		29			
Loss before income taxes	\$	(267)	\$	(8,709)	\$	(3,210)	\$	(15,842)			

*Unallocated corporate expenses include certain corporate-level operating expenses and charges such as restructuring and related charges.

Harmonic Inc. GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations (Unaudited) (In thousands, except percentages and per share data)

	Three months ended									
	July 3, 2015									
		Gross Profit		Total Operating Expense	h	ncome (Loss) from Operations	Ne	t Income (Loss)		
GAAP	\$	54,385	\$	54,728	\$	(343)	\$	(994)		
Stock-based compensation in cost of revenue		422		—		422		422		
Stock-based compensation in research and development		—		(1,027)		1,027		1,027		
Stock-based compensation in selling, general and administrative		—		(2,435)		2,435		2,435		
Amortization of intangibles		86		(1,446)		1,532		1,532		
Restructuring and related charges		—		(185)		185		185		
Discrete tax items and tax effect of non-GAAP adjustments		—		—		—		(393)		
Non-GAAP	\$	54,893	\$	49,635	\$	5,258	\$	4,214		
As a % of revenue (GAAP)		52.7%	6	53.1%		(0.3)%		(1.0)%		
As a % of revenue (Non-GAAP)		53.2%	6	48.1%		5.1 %		4.1 %		

Diluted net income (loss) per share:	
Diluted net loss per share-GAAP	\$ (0.01)
Diluted net income per share-Non-GAAP	\$ 0.05
Shares used to compute diluted net income (loss) per share:	
GAAP	 88,426
Non-GAAP	89,444

		Three months ended							
		April 3, 2015							
		Gross Profit		Total Operating Expense		Income from Operations	N	et Income (Loss)	
GAAP	\$	55,028	\$	55,015	\$	13	\$	(2,657)	
Stock-based compensation in cost of revenue		528		—		528		528	
Stock-based compensation in research and development		—		(1,148)		1,148		1,148	
Stock-based compensation in selling, general and administrative		—		(2,458)		2,458		2,458	
Amortization of intangibles		461		(1,446)		1,907		1,907	
Restructuring and related charges		—		(44)		44		44	
Loss on impairment of long-term investment		—		—		—		2,505	
Discrete tax items and tax effect of non-GAAP adjustments		—		—		—		(1,472)	
Non-GAAP	\$	56,017	\$	49,919	\$	6,098	\$	4,461	
As a % of revenue (GAA	P)	52.9%	6	52.9%		0.01 %		(2.6)%	
As a % of revenue (Non-GAA	P)	53.9%	6	48.0%		5.9 %		4.3 %	
Diluted net income (loss) per share:									
Diluted net loss per share-GAAP							\$	(0.03)	
Diluted net income per share-Non-GAAP							\$	0.05	
Shares used to compute diluted net income (loss) per share:									
GAAP								88,655	
Non-GAAP								90,100	

	Three months ended								
	June 27, 2014								
		Gross Profit		Total Operating Expense	In	come (Loss) from Operations	Net Income (Loss)		
GAAP	\$	49,817	\$	58,466	\$	(8,649) 5	\$ (37,062)		
Stock-based compensation in cost of revenue		623		—		623	623		
Stock-based compensation in research and development		—		(1,269)		1,269	1,269		
Stock-based compensation in selling, general and administrative		—		(2,669)		2,669	2,669		
Amortization of intangibles		4,482		(1,718)		6,200	6,200		
Restructuring and related charges		—		(284)		284	284		
Discrete tax items and tax effect of non-GAAP adjustments							27,863		
Non-GAAP	\$	54,922	\$	52,526	\$	2,396	\$ 1,846		
As a % of revenue (GAAP,)	45.5%	6	53.4%		(7.9)%	(33.8)%		
As a % of revenue (Non-GAAP))	50.1%	6	47.9%		2.2 %	1.7 %		
Diluted net income (loss) per share:									
Diluted net loss per share-GAAP							\$ (0.39)		
Diluted net income per share-Non-GAAP						5	\$ 0.02		
Shares used to compute diluted net income (loss) per share:						_			
GAAP							93,966		
Non-GAAP							95,294		