

Rubicon Technology, Inc.
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FORM 4

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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 *
Parvez Raja M

 (Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O RUBICON TECHNOLOGY INC., 900 EAST GREEN ST., UNIT A

 (Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Rubicon Technology, Inc. [RBCN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
07/01/2013

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President/CEO

BENSENVILLE, IL 60106

 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/01/2013		A	(A) or (D) A	31,367 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock					2,000 <u>(2)</u>	I	See Footnote <u>(2)</u>

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 3)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Parvez Raja M C/O RUBICON TECHNOLOGY INC. 900 EAST GREEN ST., UNIT A BENSENVILLE, IL 60106	X		President/CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Scott Glickson,
 attorney-in-fact

07/03/2013

__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).

- On July 1, 2013, the reporting person was granted 31,367 shares of restricted stock ("Restricted Stock"). Each one-third of the shares of Restricted Stock is independently subject to the Company's achievement of a particular performance goal. With respect to each of two of the performance goals, if the Company achieves such performance goal during 2013, the shares of Restricted Stock subject to such
- (1) performance goal vest in three equal increments on (i) December 31, 2013, (ii) December 31, 2014 and (iii) December 31, 2015. If the third performance goal is achieved at or prior to March 31, 2014, the shares of Restricted Stock subject to such performance goal vest in three equal increments on (i) the date of achievement of the performance goal, (ii) December 31, 2014 and (iii) December 31, 2015. All vesting is subject to the reporting person's continued employment with the Company through each applicable vesting date.
 - (2) By Raja M Parvez Rev Trust dtd 11/14/2008.

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