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

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

x QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2008

OR

o TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Commission file number: 000-50976

Huron Consulting Group Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 01-0666114 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

550 West Van Buren Street
Chicago, Illinois
60607
(Address of principal executive offices)
(Zip Code)

(312) 583-8700

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

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Large accelerated filer x Non-accelerated filer o Accelerated filer o Smaller reporting company o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes o No x

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

As of July 29, 2008, approximately 20,749,965 shares of the registrant's common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, were outstanding.

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PART I — FINANCIAL INFORMATION ITEM 1. CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

HURON CONSULTING GROUP INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(In thousands, except share and per share amounts) (Unaudited)

	June 30, 2008			December 31, 2007	
Assets					
Current assets:	Φ	14 225	Φ	2.002	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	14,335	\$	2,993	
Receivables from clients, net		90,198		86,867	
Unbilled services, net Income tax receivable		43,255		28,245	
Deferred income taxes		7,636 13,960		13,492	
		13,900		13,680	
Prepaid expenses and other current		13,298		10,435	
assets Total current assets				155,712	
		182,682 44,378			
Property and equipment, net Deferred income taxes		2,662		38,147 3,628	
Other non-current assets		12,876		8,737	
		10,519		13,936	
Intangible assets, net Goodwill		246,386		223,053	
Total assets	\$	499,503	\$	443,213	
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Liabilities and stockholders' equity					
Current liabilities:					
Accounts payable	\$	8,138	\$	5,823	
Accrued expenses		16,206		17,748	
Accrued payroll and related		,		,	
benefits		29,490		58,279	
Accrued consideration for business		,			
acquisitions		_	_	32,422	
Income tax payable		2,843		1,342	
Deferred revenues		7,377		5,278	
Note payable and current portion of capital lease obligations		23,246		1,309	
Total current liabilities		87,300		122,201	
Non-current liabilities:					
Deferred compensation and other					
liabilities		5,233		3,795	
Capital lease obligations, net of current					
portion		127		234	
Bank borrowings		179,500		123,500	
Deferred lease incentives		9,046		9,699	
Total non-current liabilities		193,906		137,228	

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Commitments and			
contingencies	_	_	_
Stockholders' equity			
Common stock; \$0.01 par value; 500,000,000 shares authorized; 19,553,211 and			
19,279,176 shares issued at June 30, 2008 and			
December 31, 2007, respectively	185		182
Treasury stock, at cost, 328,428 and 589,755 shares at June 30, 2008 and December 31,			
2007, respectively	(18,297)		(20,703)
Additional paid-in capital	128,128		116,148
Retained earnings	108,123		88,101
Accumulated other comprehensive			
income	158		56
Total stockholders' equity	218,297		183,784
Total liabilities and stockholders'			
equity	\$ 499,503	\$	443,213

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

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HURON CONSULTING GROUP INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(In thousands, except per share amounts) (Unaudited)

	Three months ended June 30,			Six months ended June 30,			
	2008 2007			2008		2007	
Revenues and reimbursable expenses:							
Revenues	\$ 143,408	\$	118,266	\$ 282,802	\$	234,275	
Reimbursable							
expenses	12,565		10,910	24,178		20,945	
Total revenues and reimbursable expenses	155,973		129,176	306,980		255,220	
Direct costs and reimbursable expenses (exclusive of							
depreciation and amortization shown in							
operating expenses):							
Direct costs	85,991		66,508	169,435		133,411	
Intangible assets							
amortization	24		2,304	48		4,544	
Reimbursable							
expenses	12,578		10,814	24,188		20,931	
Total direct costs and reimbursable expenses	98,593		79,626	193,671		158,886	
Operating expenses:							
Selling, general and							
administrative	31,780		25,606	61,942		49,433	
Depreciation and							
amortization	5,370		4,177	10,508		8,219	
Total operating							
expenses	37,150		29,783	72,450		57,652	
Operating	·						
income	20,230		19,767	40,859		38,682	
Other income (expense):							
Interest income (expense),							
net	(2,294)		(1,825)	(4,127)		(3,250)	
Other income			• • • •			, , ,	
(expense)	(35)		95	(329)		125	
Total other							
expense	(2,329)		(1,730)	(4,456)		(3,125)	
Income before provision for							
income taxes	17,901		18,037	36,403		35,557	
Provision for income	·						
taxes	8,092		7,936	16,381		15,645	
Net income	\$ 9,809	\$	10,101	\$ 20,022	\$	19,912	
Earnings per share:							
Basic	\$ 0.56	\$	0.60	\$ 1.15	\$	1.19	

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Diluted	\$ 0.54	\$ 0.56	\$ 1.	.10 \$	1.11
Weighted average shares used in calculating earnings per					
share:					
Basic	17,558	16,842	17,4	65	16,784
Diluted	18,178	17,993	18,1	.97	17,881

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HURON CONSULTING GROUP INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY (In thousands, except share amounts) (Unaudited)

Common Stock
Shares Amount