PAR TECHNOLOGY CORP Form 8-K October 23, 2007

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D. C. 20549

FORM 8-K

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 23, 2007

PAR TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION _____ (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware _____ (State or other jurisdiction of organization)

1-09720 _____ Number)

16-1434688 _____ (Commission File (I.R.S. Employer incorporation or Identification Number)

PAR Technology Park 8383 Seneca Turnpike New Hartford, NY 13413-4991 _____ _____ (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (315) 738-0600

Not Applicable _____

(Former Name or Former Address, if changed since Last Report)

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

- (a) The information, including Exhibits attached hereto, in this Current Report is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as otherwise expressly stated in such filing.
- (b) On October 23, 2007, PAR Technology Corporation issued a press release

announcing its results of operation for the quarterly period ending September 30, 2007. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

99.1 Press Release dated October 23, 2007.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

PAR TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION (Registrant)

Date: October 23, 2007

/s/Ronald J. Casciano

Ronald J. Casciano

Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number

Description

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Press Release dated October 23, 2007.

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RELEASE: NEW HARTFORD, NY, October 23, 2007 CONTACT: Christopher R. Byrnes (315) 738-0600 ext. 226 cbyrnes@partech.com, www.partech.com

PAR TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION REPORTS THIRD QUARTER RESULTS

NEW HARTFORD, NY, PAR TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION (NYSE:PTC)

New Hartford, NY- October 23, 2007 PAR Technology Corporation (NYSE: PTC), a provider of integrated hardware, software and service solutions to the restaurant, hotel/resort, hospitality industries and information-technology services to the United States Government, today reported third quarter financial results.

For the third quarter ended September 30, 2007, PAR Technology Corporation reported revenues of \$51.6 million compared to \$48.5 million in the third quarter 2006, an increase of 6.3%. A net loss was reported of \$862,000, down from the \$550,000 earned in the third quarter one year ago. The Company reported diluted loss per share of \$0.06 for this past quarter, compared to the diluted earnings per share of \$0.04 reported for the same period a year earlier.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2007, PAR Technology Corporation reported revenues of \$149.3 million, a 3.4% decrease when compared to the \$154.5 million reported one year ago. The Company also reported a net loss of \$3.2 million in the first nine months of 2007 versus net income of \$4.9 million for the first nine months of 2006. Diluted loss per share for the first nine months of 2007 was reported at \$0.22, compared to diluted net income per share of \$0.33 reported for the same period in 2006.

John W. Sammon, Chairman and CEO of PAR Technology commented, "Generally speaking, the Q3 numbers were within expectations. We continued to make solid strategic progress this quarter in our ongoing internal investment strategy. This strategy requires effort and resources but when completed will result in a stronger company that is more prepared to compete on a global basis in our industry." Sammon went on to say, "While not satisfied with our third quarter results we have returned to growing revenues which highlights the resilience of our franchise in hospitality technology. With a broad array of technology products designed for the hospitality industry, we believe PAR is positioned to capitalize on evolving market demand. Our focus remains on the design and delivery of innovative products, the addition of channel partners, and producing global operational excellence."

Certain Company information in this release or by its spokespersons from time to time may contain forward-looking statements. Any statements in this document that do not describe historical facts are forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements are made pursuant to the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Investors are cautioned that all forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties, including without limitation, delays in new product introduction, risks in technology development and commercialization, risks in product development and market acceptance of and demand for the Company's products, risks of downturns in economic conditions generally, and in the quick service sector of the restaurant market specifically, risks of intellectual property rights associated with competition and competitive pricing pressures, risks associated with foreign sales and high customer concentration, and other risks detailed in the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

ABOUT PAR TECHNOLOGY

PAR Technology Corporation develops, markets and supports hardware and software products that improve the ability of restaurant, hotel/resort and retail business professionals to make timely, fact-based business decisions. The Company is the world's largest supplier of Point-of-Sale systems to the quick service restaurant market with over 45,000 systems installed in over 105 countries. In addition PAR is a leader in providing computer based system design and engineering services to the Department of Defense and Federal Government

Agencies. PAR Technology Corporation's stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol PTC. For additional information visit PAR's website at www.partech.com.

PAR TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (in thousands, except share amounts) (unaudited)

	September 30, 2007	December 31, 2006
Assets		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,506	\$ 4,273
Accounts receivable-net	39,398	46,791
Inventories-net	,	35,948
Income tax refunds	983	1,103
Deferred income taxes	6 , 355	5,139
Other current assets	3,328	2,737
Total current assets		95,991
Property, plant and equipment - net	7,215	7,535
Goodwill	26,767	25,734
Intangible assets - net	10,163	10,695
Other assets	3,526	2,841
	\$ 140,523	\$ 142 , 796
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity Current liabilities:		
Current portion of long-term debt	\$ 694	\$ 240
Borrowings under lines of credit		7,713
Accounts payable		12,470
Accrued salaries and benefits		8,279
Accrued expenses		1,861
Customer deposits		3,656
Deferred service revenue	12,413	12,254
Total current liabilities		46,473
Long-term debt		7,708
Deferred income taxes	1,080	653
Other long-term liabilities	2,878	1,879
<pre>Shareholders' Equity: Preferred stock, \$.02 par value, 1,000,000 shares authorized Common stock, \$.02 par value, 29,000,000 shares authorized;</pre>		

16,031,035 and 15,980,486 shares issued;		
14,378,280 and 14,327,731outstanding	321	320
Capital in excess of par value	39,048	38,602
Retained earnings	49,968	53 , 159
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	364	(489)
Treasury stock, at cost, 1,652,755 shares	(5,509)	(5,509)
Total shareholders' equity	84,192	86,083
	\$ 140 , 523	\$ 142,796

PAR TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (in thousands, except per share amounts) (unaudited)

	For the th ended Sep	tember 30,	For the nine mon ended September		
		2006	2007	2	
Net revenues:					
Product	\$ 18,066	\$ 17,975		\$6	
Service	,		48,635	4	
Contract	16,505	15,467	47,558	4	
	51,577		149,285	15	
Costs of sales:					
Product	10,681	10,370	31,688	3	
Service	13,238	11,387	37,290	3	
Contract	15,256	14,600	44,462	4	
	39,175	36,357	113,440	 11 	
Gross margin	12,402			4	
Operating expenses:					
Selling, general and administrative	8,581	8,241	26,476	2	
Research and development		2,613			
Amortization of identifiable intangible assets	397		1,181		
		11,161		3	
Operating income (loss)	(1,138)	1,016	(4,575)		
Other income, net	350	62	744		
Interest expense	(310)	(206)			
Income (loss) before provision for income taxes	(1,098)	 872	(4,600)		
Benefit (provision) for income taxes	236	(322)		(
Net income (loss)					

Net income (loss)

	\$	(862)	\$	550	\$	(3,191)	\$
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Earnings (loss) per share							
Basic	\$	(.06)	\$.04	\$	(.22)	\$
Diluted	\$	(.06)	\$.04	\$	(.22)	\$
Weighted average shares outstanding							
Basic		14,351	-	L4,181		14,340	1
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Diluted		14,351	-	L4,646		14,340	1
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