SMITH MICRO SOFTWARE INC Form 10-K/A April 29, 2009

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

#### **FORM 10-K/A**

(Mark One)

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

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008

OR

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

For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

Commission file number 0-26536

# SMITH MICRO SOFTWARE, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 95-0029027 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

51 Columbia, Suite 200
Aliso Viejo, California
(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (949) 362-5800
Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

None
Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: Common Stock (Title of Class)

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act. Yes o No b

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is not required to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Act. Yes o No  $\flat$ 

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 b No o

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation of S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of the registrant sknowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K.

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. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer b Accelerated filer b Non-accelerated filer o Smaller reporting (Do not check if a smaller reporting company o company)

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

The aggregate market value of the voting and non-voting common equity held by non-affiliates of the registrant as of the last business day of the registrant s most recently completed second fiscal quarter, based upon the closing sale price of the registrant s common stock on June 30, 2008 (the last trading day in the second calendar quarter of 2008) as reported on the NASDAQ Global Market was \$159,319,685.\*

As of February 23, 2009, there were 31,399,593 shares of common stock outstanding.

Excludes shares of Common Stock held by executive officers, directors and stockholders whose ownership exceeds 5% of the shares outstanding at June 30, 2008. This calculation does not reflect a determination that such persons are

affiliates for any other purposes.

# **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

The registrant hereby amends in its entirety Part III of its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008 as set forth in the pages attached hereto. Except as noted herein, this Form 10-K/A does not reflect events occurring after the filing of the original Annual Report on Form 10-K and does not modify or update the disclosures in the original Annual Report on Form 10-K.

#### **PART III**

#### Item 10. Directors, Executive Officers and Corporate Governance

The following table provides the name, age, position(s) and a brief account of the business experience of each of our directors and executive officers as of April 1, 2009:

Name	Age	Position(s)
William W. Smith, Jr.	61	Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive
		Officer
Andrew C. Schmidt	47	Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
David P. Sperling	40	Vice President and Chief Technical Officer
Jonathan Kahn	51	Executive Vice President Business Operations
Von Cameron	45	Executive Vice President Sales
Robert Elliott	57	Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer
Thomas G. Campbell(1)(2)(3)	58	Director
Samuel Gulko(1)(4)	77	Director
Ted L. Hoffman(2)(4)	62	Director
William C. Keiper(2)(3)	58	Director
Gregory J. Szabo(1)(4)	61	Director

- (1) Member of Audit
  - Committee.
- (2) Member of Compensation Committee.
- (3) Member of
  Governance and
  Nominating
  Committee
- (4) Member of the Mergers and Acquisitions

Committee

*Mr. Smith* co-founded Smith Micro and has served as our Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer since inception in 1982. Mr. Smith was employed by Rockwell International Corporation in a variety of technical and management positions from 1975 to 1984. Mr. Smith served with Xerox Data Systems from 1972 to 1975 and RCA Computer Systems Division from 1969 to 1972 in mainframe sales and pre-sale technical roles. Mr. Smith received a B.A. in Business Administration from Grove City College.

*Mr. Schmidt* joined the Company in June 2005 and serves as the Company's Chief Financial Officer. Prior to joining Smith Micro, Mr. Schmidt was the Chief Financial Officer of Genius Products, Inc., a publicly traded entertainment company from August 2004 to June 2005. From April 2003 to June 2004, he was Vice President (Finance) and acting Chief Accounting Officer of Peregrine Systems, Inc., a publicly held provider of enterprise level software then in Chapter 11 reorganization. From July 2000 to January 2003, he was Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Mad Catz Interactive, Inc., a publicly traded provider of console video game accessories. He holds a B.B.A. in Finance from the University of Texas and an M.S. in Accountancy from San Diego State University.

*Mr. Sperling* joined us in April 1989 and has been our Director of Software Engineering since April 1992. He assumed the Chief Technology Officer position in September 1999. Mr. Sperling began his professional career as a software engineer with us and he currently has two patents and three patents pending for various telephony and Internet technologies. Mr. Sperling holds a B.S. degree in Computer Science and an MBA from the University of California, Irvine.

*Mr. Kahn* joined the company with the acquisition of Allume Systems, Inc. in July 2005. Prior to the acquisition, Mr. Kahn was President of the company. Mr. Kahn was one of the co-founders of Aladdin Systems, Inc. which later became Allume Systems. Mr. Kahn was Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Monterey Bay Tech, Inc (OTC BB:MBYI), a public company from 1999 to May 2005 until its merger with SecureLogic Inc. Mr. Kahn is a member of the Digital River Advisory Board and is a graduate of the University of Rhode Island with a B.A. in Economics. Mr. Kahn assumed the position as Executive Vice President Business Operations in late 2007.

*Mr. Cameron* joined the Company in April of 2008 as the Executive Vice President of Worldwide Sales. Mr. Cameron has held executive management positions with Openwave, Oracle, FoxT and Booz Allen & Hamilton. Mr. Cameron served proudly in the United States Air Force and earned his B.S. in Math-Operations Research from the United States Air Force Academy in Colorado, Springs, CO and an MBA from Golden Gate University in San Francisco, CA.

*Mr. Elliott* joined the company in May of 1999 and soon after was appointed General Manager of Smith Micros Mac Division, then later as Vice President of Corporate Marketing, which he has held to date. An experienced technology and marketing leader with over fifteen years of executive level experience managing business units in the information technology industry, he has held executive level positions with Informix Software, DataStorm Technologies and QuarterDeck Corporation. Mr. Elliott is a graduate of Northwood University, Midland, MI.

*Mr. Campbell* became a director in July 1995. From March 1999 to the present, he has served as the Executive Vice President of King Printing, Inc. From July 1996 to March 1999, he was the Vice President of Operations of Complete Concepts, Ltd., a manufacturer and distributor of women s accessories. From November 1995 to July 1996, Mr. Campbell was an independent management consultant specializing in corporate turnarounds. From February 1995 to November 1995, he served as the Chief Operating Officer of Laser Atlanta Optics, Inc. From 1985 to February 1995, he served in several senior management positions at Hayes, Inc., including Vice President of Operations and Business Development and as Chief Operating Officer and a member of the Board of Directors of Practical Peripherals, a Hayes subsidiary. Prior to 1985, Mr. Campbell was employed by Digital Equipment Corporation. Mr. Campbell attended Boston University.

Mr. Gulko became a director in October 2004. Since October 2006, Mr. Gulko has served as Chief Financial Officer, on a part-time basis, of Royal Standard Minerals Inc., an exploration and development company. In addition, since September 2002, he has provided tax and consulting services on a part-time basis to a limited number of clients. From July 1996 until his retirement in September 2002, Mr. Gulko functioned as the Chief Financial Officer, and as the Vice President of Finance, Secretary and Treasurer of Neotherapeutics, Inc., a publicly traded biotechnology company (now known as Spectrum Pharmaceuticals, Inc.). During this same period he also served as a member of the Board of Directors of Neotherapeutics, Inc. From April 1987 to July 1996, Mr. Gulko was self employed as a Certified Public Accountant and business consultant, as well as the part time Chief Financial Officer of several privately-owned companies. Mr. Gulko was a partner in the audit practice of Ernst & Young LLP, an accounting and business services firm, from September 1968 until March 1987. Mr. Gulko holds a B.S. in Accounting from the University of Southern California.

Mr. Hoffman became a director in December 2005. He is the retired Vice President Technology Development of Verizon Wireless, a wireless voice and data carrier, where he was responsible for all technical product and service development. He was with Verizon Wireless, and its predecessor Bell Atlantic Mobile, from July 1993 until his retirement in August 2005. Mr. Hoffman was a member of the Board of Directors of Omnitel Pronto Italia, a Verizon Communications Wireless affiliate operating in Italy. He is a past officer and a member of the Board of Directors of the CDMA Development Group, an organization responsible for promotion, advancement, deployment and future developments of CDMA. He has served on the Wireless Engineering Advisory Board at Auburn University as well as on the Intel Communications Advisory Board. He is currently a member of the Board of Directors of w2bi, Incorporated, a developer of software solutions for wireless network operators and device manufacturers. Mr. Hoffman began his telecommunications career at Bell Telephone Laboratories, which designs products and services for communications technology and conducts fundamental research in fields important to communications, in June 1969 as a member of the technical staff. He joined Bell Atlantic, a telephone and communications company, in August 1976, holding a variety of engineering, operations, marketing, external affairs, corporate planning and headquarters positions. Mr. Hoffman holds a B.A. from Elizabethtown College, a B.S. in Electrical Engineering from Penn State University, an M.S. in Electrical Engineering from Northwestern University and an M.B.A. from Drexel University. He holds three patents.

*Mr. Keiper* became a director in May 2002. Mr. Keiper served as Chief Executive Officer of Hypercom Corporation (NYSE: HYC) from March 2005 through August 2007 and continued in a consulting capacity through the end of 2007. He was a member of the Hypercom Board of Directors from April 2000 through August 2007, and also

served as its Chairman. Prior to joining Hypercom, Mr. Keiper was Chief Executive Officer of Arrange Technology LLC, a software development services outsourcing company, from April 2003 to March 2005. From January 1998 to March 2003, he served as a principal in mergers and acquisitions firms serving middle market software and information technology services companies. From January 1991 to September 1997, Mr. Keiper was

Chief Executive Officer of Artisoft, Inc., a publicly traded networking and communications software company. He also served as Chairman of Artisoft from August 1993 to September 1997. Mr. Keiper holds a B.S. in Business degree (finance major) from Eastern Illinois University, a Juris Doctorate degree from Arizona State University and a Masters degree in International Management from the Thunderbird American Graduate School of International Management. In addition, Mr. Keiper is currently a director of Radyne Corporation, a publicly traded manufacturer of data transmission and reception products, systems and software, and Zones, Inc., a publicly traded direct marketing reseller of information technology products.

*Mr. Szabo* became a director in June 2001. From August 2002 to January 2004 Mr. Szabo served as the Chief Executive Officer of Ertek Solutions, LLC, a provider of antenna technology to the wireless industry focusing on high performance low cost RFID Tag antennas and inlays, which he co-founded. Mr. Szabo currently serves on the Board of Directors, and was formerly the Chairman, of Ertek. From April 1987 to June 2000 Mr. Szabo served in a series of senior management positions with AirTouch Cellular, Vodafone and Verizon Wireless. As Vice President-Network Services, he directed the engineering and operations of AirTouch s cellular systems in the eastern United States. As Executive Director Global Technology for Vodafone AirTouch he was a member of the Advanced Services Council and responsible for the Next Generation Network initiative. Prior to AirTouch, Mr. Szabo held managerial positions with Motorola and Martin Marietta. Mr. Szabo holds both a B.S. and an M.S. in Electrical Engineering from the Ohio University

# **Executive Officers and Directors**

All of our directors hold office until the next annual meeting of our stockholders and until their successors have been duly elected and qualified. Our officers are elected and serve at the discretion of our board of directors. There are no family relationships among any of our directors and executive officers.

# **Board Committees**

Our board of directors has established four standing committees: an Audit Committee; a Compensation Committee; a Governance and Nominating Committee; and a Mergers and Acquisitions Committee.

Audit Committee. Our Audit Committee is comprised of three members: Messrs. Campbell, Gulko and Szabo. The Board of Directors has determined that all of these members of the Audit Committee are independent within the meaning of the Nasdaq Stock Market listing standards and also within the meaning of Rule 10A-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), and that each member can read and has an understanding of fundamental financial statements. The Audit Committee reviews our financial statements and accounting practices, makes recommendations to the Board of Directors regarding the selection of our independent registered public accounting firm and reviews the results and scope of our annual audit and other services provided by our independent registered public accounting firm. The Audit Committee also is responsible for establishing, and has established, procedures for the receipt, retention and treatment of complaints regarding accounting, internal accounting controls or auditing matters, and for the confidential, anonymous submission by our employees of concerns regarding questionable accounting or auditing matters. In addition, all related party transactions are reviewed and approved by the Audit Committee. The Board of Directors has adopted and approved an amended and restated written charter for the Audit Committee. A current copy of this charter is posted on our web site at http://www.smithmicro.com under the Investor Relations section. Mr. Gulko is the Audit Committee Chairman and has been designated by the Board of Directors as the Audit Committee s financial expert, as that term is described in Item 407(d)(5) of Regulation S-K promulgated by the SEC.

Compensation Committee. The Compensation Committee is comprised of three members: Messrs. Campbell, Hoffman and Keiper. The Board of Directors has determined that all the members of the Compensation Committee are independent within the meaning of the Nasdaq Stock Market listing standards. The Compensation Committee administers our executive compensation programs and makes recommendations to the Board of Directors concerning officer and director compensation. The Compensation Committee also has the authority to administer the Amended and Restated Smith Micro 2005 Stock Option/Stock Issuance Plan (the 2005 Plan ) and to award stock options and direct stock issuances under that plan to our officers and employees. The Board of Directors has adopted and approved a written charter for the Compensation Committee. A current copy of this charter is posted on our web site at http://www.smithmicro.com under the Investor Relations section.

Governance and Nominating Committee. The Governance and Nominating Committee is comprised of two members: Messrs. Keiper and Campbell. The Board of Directors has determined that all the members of the

Governance and Nominating Committee are independent within the meaning of the Nasdaq Stock Market listing standards. The Governance and Nominating Committee receives proposed nominations to the Board of Directors, reviews the eligibility of each proposed nominee, and nominates, with the approval of the Board of Directors, new members of the Board of Directors to be submitted to the stockholders for election at each annual meeting. The Board of Directors has adopted and approved a written charter for the Governance and Nominating Committee. A current copy of this charter is posted on our web site at http://www.smithmicro.com under the Investor Relations section.

Mergers and Acquisitions Committee. The Mergers and Acquisitions Committee (the M&A Committee) is comprised of three members: Messrs. Hoffman, Gulko and Szabo. The M&A Committee evaluates and reviews potential acquisition targets, strategic investments and divestitures, and makes recommendations regarding the same to our Board of Directors. The M&A Committee is also charged with overseeing the due diligence process with respect to proposed acquisitions, strategic investments and divestitures. The Board of Directors has adopted and approved a written charter for the M&A Committee.

# Section 16(a) Beneficial Ownership Reporting Compliance

Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 requires our executive officers, directors and persons who beneficially own more than 10% of our common stock to file initial reports of ownership and reports of changes in ownership with the SEC. Such persons are required by SEC regulations to furnish us with copies of all Section 16(a) forms filed by such person.

Based solely on our review of such forms furnished to us and written representations from such reporting persons, we believe that all filing requirements applicable to our executive officers, directors and more than 10% stockholders were met in a timely manner with the exception of one Form 3 and one Form 4, disclosing one transaction each for Robert Elliott and Von Cameron. In addition, one Form 3 and two Form 4s, each disclosing one transaction were filed late for Steven Yasbek.

#### **Code of Ethics**

We have adopted a Code of Ethics for all of our employees, executive officers and directors. We will provide a copy of the Code of Ethics upon request made by email to investor-relations@smithmicro.com or in writing to Smith Micro Software, Inc. at 51 Columbia, Aliso Viejo, California 92656, Attention: Investor Relations. The full text of our Code of Ethics is posted on our web site at http://www.smithmicro.com under the Investor Relations section.

# **Item 11. Executive Compensation**

#### Overview

This compensation discussion and analysis explains the material elements of the compensation awarded to, earned by, or paid during our last completed fiscal year to each of William W. Smith, Jr., our President and Chief Executive Officer, Andrew C. Schmidt, our Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, David P. Sperling, our Vice President and Chief Technical Officer, Jonathan Kahn, our Executive Vice President Business Operations, Von Cameron, our Executive Vice President Sales, and Robert Elliott, our Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer. These individuals are also referred to herein as our named executive officers.

# **Compensation Program Objectives and Philosophy**

The Compensation Committee of our board of directors currently oversees the design and administration of our executive compensation program. Our Compensation Committee s primary objectives in structuring and administering our executive officer compensation program are to:

- 1. attract, motivate and retain talented and dedicated executive officers;
- 2. tie annual and long-term cash and stock incentives to achievement of measurable corporate and individual performance objectives; and
- 3. reinforce business strategies and objectives for enhanced stockholder value.

To achieve these goals, our Compensation Committee maintains compensation plans that tie a portion of executives—overall compensation to key strategic goals such as financial and operational performance, as measured by metrics such as revenue and sales. Our Compensation Committee evaluates individual executive performance along with our Chief Executive Officer (other than with respect to his own performance) as part of the review process. The Committee seeks to establish overall compensation (including cash and equity awards) at levels the Committee believes are roughly comparable with average levels of compensation for executives at other fast-growing technology companies of similar size. The Committee also seeks to maintain internal equity among executives based on their individual roles while setting compensation packages that are necessary to attract experienced executives who can manage a larger, more complex organization. Our Compensation Committee performs at least annually a review of our executive officers—compensation to determine whether we provide adequate incentives and motivation to our executive officers and whether we adequately compensate our executive officers relative to comparable officers in other similarly situated companies.

The principal elements of our executive compensation program are base salary, cash bonus awards, long-term equity incentives in the form of stock options and restricted stock, other benefits and perquisites, post-termination severance and acceleration of stock option and restricted stock vesting for certain named executive officers upon termination and/or a change in control. Our other benefits and perquisites consist of life and health insurance benefits and a qualified 401(k) savings plan.

We view these components of compensation as related but distinct. Although our Compensation Committee does review total compensation, we do not believe that significant compensation derived from one component of compensation should negate or offset compensation from other components. We determine the appropriate level for each compensation component based in part, but not exclusively, on competitive benchmarking consistent with our recruiting and retention goals, our view of internal equity and consistency, and other considerations we deem relevant, such as rewarding extraordinary performance.

# **Role of Executive Officers in Compensation Decisions**

Our Compensation Committee reviews and approves the compensation paid to our Chief Executive Officer. With regard to the compensation paid to each executive officer other than the Chief Executive Officer, the Chief Executive Officer reviews, on an annual basis, the compensation paid to each such executive officer during the past year and submits to the Compensation Committee his recommendations regarding the compensation to be paid to such persons during the next year. Following a review of such recommendations, the Committee will take such

action regarding such compensation as it deems appropriate, including approving compensation in an amount the Compensation Committee deems reasonable.

Management plays a significant role in the compensation-setting process for executive officers, other than the Chief Executive Officer, by:

evaluating employee performance;

recommending business performance targets and establishing objectives; and

recommending salary levels, bonuses and equity-based awards.

Management also prepares meeting information for most Compensation Committee meetings, and the Chief Executive Officer participates in Committee meetings at the Compensation Committee s request to provide: background information regarding our strategic objectives;

his evaluation of the performance of the executive officers; and

compensation recommendations as to executive officers (other than himself).

# **Benchmarking of Compensation**

The Compensation Committee believes it is important when making its compensation-related decisions to be informed as to current practices of similarly situated companies. As part of establishing compensation levels for 2008, the Compensation Committee informally reviewed third-party surveys and other information collected from public sources relating to compensation levels of executive officers at peer companies. Such review was not used to establish compensation levels, but rather as a market check to ensure that our overall compensation levels (including cash and equity awards) are roughly comparable to average levels of compensation for executives at other fast-growing technology companies of similar size. Historically, the compensation committee has not engaged third party consultants to advise the Compensation Committee on compensation matters.

In 2008, following the completion of a number of important acquisitions in fiscal 2007 and early 2008, the Compensation Committee engaged a third party consultant to prepare a compensation study to assist the Committee as it seeks to ensure that we are appropriately compensating our executives, given the increased size and complexity of the company. The compensation study peer group included 19 wireless/communications companies (software and hardware) with revenues of between \$80 million and \$200 million, similar market capitalization and employee size ranges. The study focused on three primary aspects of executive compensation; base salary, total target cash compensation, and equity awards. The results of the 2008 benchmark study demonstrated that our executives base salaries fall between the 25th and 50th percentiles as compared to our peers, while total cash compensation, including cash bonuses generally fall below the 25th percentile, and that our executive equity compensation is above the 75th percentile as compared with our peer group. No compensation decisions for fiscal 2008 were made on the basis of this study.

# **Base Compensation**

We provide our named executive officers and other executives with base salaries that we believe enable us to hire and retain individuals in a competitive environment and to reward individual performance and contribution to our overall business goals, while taking into account the unique circumstances of our company. We review base salaries for our named executive officers annually and increases are generally based on our performance and individual performance. We also take into account the base compensation that is payable by companies that we believe to be our competitors and by other public companies with which we believe we generally compete for executives.

The following table identifies actions taken during fiscal year 2008 with respect to annual base salaries of the named executive officers:

#### Named Executive Officer Changes in Annual Base Salary

William W. Smith, Jr.

Andrew C. Schmidt

David P. Sperling

Jonathan Kahn

Increased from \$200,000 to \$400,000, effective May 2008

Increased from \$210,000 to \$225,000, effective May 2008

Increased from \$200,000 to \$225,000, effective May 2008

Increased from \$200,000 to \$240,000, effective May 2008

Increased from \$200,000 to \$240,000, effective May 2008

Von Cameron

Initial base salary set at \$250,000

Robert Elliott Increased from \$160,000 to \$180,000, effective May 2008

The annual base salaries of Messrs. Smith, Schmidt, Sperling, Kahn and Elliott were increased based on the Board's decision to make their salaries more competitive with other technology companies and to recognize the value of their overall services to the company. The Board took into account each of their job responsibilities, historical salary levels, the performance of the company, individual contributions, competitive conditions in the marketplace and the relationship of their compensation levels to other officers of Smith Micro Software, and determined that the increases were appropriate to reward performance, ensure retention and maintain appropriate compensation differentials among officers of Smith Micro Software.

#### **Cash Bonus Awards**

As part of our compensation program and in order to maintain appropriate financial incentives, our executive officers are eligible for cash bonus compensation pursuant to an annual cash bonus plan. Under the plan, cash bonuses are determined and paid each fiscal year on a quarterly basis based upon the achievement of certain performance objectives. Our cash bonus plan is designed to focus our management on achieving key corporate financial objectives, to motivate certain desirable behaviors and to reward achievement of our key corporate financial objectives and individual goals. Under the terms of the bonus plan, the Compensation Committee establishes performance objectives and annual target bonus amounts for each named executive officer. In determining the appropriate level of target bonus for each officer the Compensation Committee considers information provided through independent, third-party surveys and other information collected from public sources for similar positions at peer companies, relative base salary and bonus amounts for each individual and the recommendations of our Chief Executive Officer.

#### 2008 Bonus Plan

In the first quarter of 2008, the Compensation Committee worked with senior management to establish the annual target bonus amounts and performance objectives under the bonus plan. For each performance objective the committee assigned a relative weighting to provide guidelines for setting actual cash payouts for each executive officer based on a percentage of the individual starget bonus.

The Compensation Committee retained wide discretion to interpret the terms of the bonus plan, including interpreting and determining whether the performance objectives had been met and the amount of cash bonus that may be paid pursuant to the bonus plan.

Our bonus plan contains one or two performance objectives with a dollar value ascribed to each objective, so that the sum total equals the approved cash bonus potential for each executive officer. In 2008 the objectives (a) for Messrs. Smith, Schmidt and Kahn were (1) revenue achievement, and (2) profitability achievement; (b) for Messrs. Sperling and Elliott were a combination of (1) revenue achievement, (2) profitability achievement and (3) specific performance objectives; and (c) for Mr. Cameron was revenue achievement. We believe that the performance objectives were moderately difficult to achieve and that performance at a high level while devoting full time and attention to their responsibilities is required for our executive officers to earn their respective cash bonuses.

Achievement of the performance objectives was determined on a quarterly basis based on our financial results of the preceding quarter. The table below outlines the quantitative performance objectives for each executive officer identified above.

(In Thousands)	Q42007	Q12008	Q22008	Q32008
Revenue	\$21,191	\$22,788	\$23,200	\$26,545
Adjusted (non-GAAP) Profitability (1)	5,330	4,423	4,233	5,801

(1) Amortization of intangibles, stock-based compensation excluded from operating income.

For 2008, based on the achievement of the objectives for our executive officers under our bonus plan, we paid bonuses of \$64,281 (103% attained) to Mr. Smith, \$46,027 (103% attained) to Mr. Schmidt, \$50,515 (105 % attained) to Mr. Sperling, \$57,506 (96% attained) to Mr. Kahn, \$62,885 (108% attained) to Mr. Cameron, and 43,742 (104% attained) to Mr. Elliott. The cash bonuses paid to our chief executive officer accounted for approximately 5.0% of his total compensation in 2008. For our other named executive officers in 2008, their cash bonuses, on average, accounted for 6.0% to 20.6% of their total compensation.

# **Equity Compensation**

We believe that for growth companies in the technology sector, equity awards are a significant compensation-related motivator in attracting and retaining executive-level employees. Accordingly, we have provided our named executive officers and other executives with long-term equity incentive awards that incentivize those individuals to stay with us for long periods of time, which in turn should provide us with greater stability over such periods than we would experience without such awards. While the majority of our long-term equity compensation awards historically have been in the form of stock options, we provided grants of restricted stock to each of our executive officers in 2008. We felt that granting restricted stock in 2008 provided additional incentive to our executives by providing them with immediate stock ownership, which helped align their interests with those of our stockholders.

We grant equity compensation to our executive officers and other employees under the 2005 Plan. We account for equity compensation paid to our employees under the rules of SFAS No. 123R, which requires us to estimate and record compensation expense over the vesting period of the award. All equity awards to our employees, including executive officers, and to our directors have been granted and reflected in our consolidated financial statements, based upon the applicable accounting guidance, at fair market value on the grant date.

Generally, we grant long-term equity awards to our named executive officers upon commencement of their employment, and the terms of those awards typically vest over four years. Additionally, from time to time, we grant subsequent long-term equity awards to our named executive officers based upon a number of factors, including: rewarding executives for superior performance, maintaining a sufficient number of unvested long-term equity awards as a means to retain the services of such executives, providing increased motivation to such executives and ensuring that the total long-term equity awards are competitive with those of other companies competing for our named executive officers.

Mr. Cameron was granted 50,000 shares of Restricted Stock on the commencement of his employment in April 2008. In May, 2008 we granted shares of Restricted Stock to each of our other named executive officers as follows:

#### Shares of Restricted Stock

William W. Smith, Jr.	150,000
Andrew C. Schmidt	75,000
David P. Sperling	50,000
Jonathan Kahn	50,000
Robert Elliott	50,000

All of the above awards vest monthly over a period of four years from the date of grant. In 2008, the Compensation Committee approved grants of restricted stock as a retention tool and due to the Committee s sense, based in part on the benchmarking study discussed above, that our total cash compensation paid to our named executive officers was likely at the lower end of the market for technology companies of similar size. Differing levels of restricted stock awards were made to executives based on the individuals relative duties and responsibilities.

# **Executive Benefits and Perquisites**

We provide the opportunity for our named executive officers and other executives to receive certain perquisites and general health and welfare benefits. We also offer participation in our defined contribution 401(k) plan. We provide a 20% match on all eligible employee contributions to our 401(k) plan. We provide these benefits to create additional incentives for our executives and to remain competitive in the general marketplace for executive talent.

# **Change in Control and Severance Benefits**

We provide the opportunity for certain of our named executive officers to receive additional compensation or benefits under the severance and change in control provisions contained in their employment agreements. We provide this opportunity to attract and retain an appropriate caliber of talent in key positions. Our severance and change in control provisions for certain of our named executive officers are summarized below in Employment Agreements and Potential Payments Upon Termination or Change in Control.

# Code Section 162(m)

It is our policy generally to qualify compensation paid to executive officers for deductibility under Section 162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code. Section 162(m) generally prohibits us from deducting the compensation of officers that exceeds \$1,000,000 unless that compensation is based on the achievement of objective performance goals. We believe our 2005 Plan is structured to qualify stock options, restricted share and stock unit awards under such plan as performance-based compensation and to maximize the tax deductibility of such awards. However, we reserve the discretion to pay compensation to our officers that may not be deductible.

# **2009 Compensation Decisions**

The following table identifies actions taken during fiscal year 2009 with respect to annual base salaries of the named executive officers:

Named Executive Officer	Changes in Annual Base Salary
William W. Smith, Jr.	Increased from \$400,000 to \$450,000, effective March 2009
Andrew C. Schmidt	Increased from \$300,000 to \$337,500, effective March 2009
David P. Sperling	Increased from \$225,000 to \$235,000, effective March 2009
Jonathan Kahn	Increased from \$240,000 to \$250,000, effective March 2009
Von Cameron	Initial base salary set at \$250,000, no change for 2009
Robert Elliott	Increased from \$180,000 to \$198,000, effective March 2009
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The annual base salaries of Messrs. Schmidt, Sperling, Kahn and Elliott were increased based on the Compensation Committee s decision to make their salaries more competitive with other technology companies and to recognize the value of their overall services to the company. The Compensation Committee took into account each of their job responsibilities, historical salary levels, the performance of the company, individual contributions, competitive conditions in the marketplace and the relationship of their compensation levels to other officers of Smith Micro Software, and determined that the increases were appropriate to reward performance, ensure retention and maintain appropriate compensation differentials among officers of Smith Micro Software.

The following table identifies actions taken during 2009 with respect to eligibility for a performance-based annual cash bonus by each of the named executive officers:

#### Named Executive Officer Changes in Cash Based bonus eligibility

William W. Smith, Jr.

No change, remained at \$75,000

Andrew C. Schmidt

No change, remained at \$50,000

David P. Sperling

No change, remained at \$60,000

Jonathan Kahn

No change, remained at \$60,000

Von Cameron

No change, remained at \$100,000

Robert Elliott

No change, remained at \$50,000

The actions discussed above were made consistent with the findings of our compensation study (discussed above under Benchmarking of Compensation ) which determined that our total cash based compensation for our executives fell below the 50th percentile compared with our peer group, and that our cash based bonus pool compensation fell below the 25th percentile.

Consistent with the Board's compensation philosophy, the changes to the 2009 total cash compensation of our executives remains below the 50th percentile as compared to our peer group. Taking this into account, in March 2009 the Compensation Committee approved the issuance of restricted stock grants to our named executive officers. Mr. Smith received a grant of 150,000 shares, Mr. Schmidt 75,000 shares, and Messrs. Sperling, Kahn, Cameron and Elliot each received grants of 50,000 shares. Based on our benchmarking study, the Board maintained a vesting period for these restricted stock grants at four years. Consistent with our third party evaluation of our compensation strategy, we have modified these 2009 restricted stock grants to encompass performance criteria. While the 2009 grants vest over four years, half of the grants are subject to further vesting conditions based on the achievement by the Company of fiscal 2009 revenue and adjusted operating income goals set by the Board of Directors. The grants also provide for pro-rata reduction of the shares tied to performance vesting if the performance goals are not fully achieved. The 2009 performance goals are the same as those that were established for our 2009 cash-based performance bonus plan.

# **Summary Compensation Table**

The following table shows information concerning the annual compensation for services provided to us by our named executive officers during 2008 and 2007.

					ľ	Non-Equit Incentive	,	
				Stock	Option	Plan	All Other	
Name and Principal Position	Year	Salary (\$)	Bonus (\$)	Awards (\$) (1)	_	ompensati (\$) (3)	i <b>©o</b> mpensation (\$)	Total (\$)
William W. Smith, Jr. President and	2008 2007	\$381,250 350,000	\$ 25,000	\$ 576,533 1,147,258	\$ 1,360,000	\$64,281 54,095	\$274,868(4) 499,304(5)	\$1,296,932 3,435,657
Andrew C. Schmidt VP and Chief Financial Officer	2008 2007	285,000 256,666	25,000	310,648 681,373	680,000	46,027 43,276	133,423(6) 288,950(7)	775,098 1,975,265
David P. Sperling VP and Chief Technical	2008	219,375		190,221		50,515	82,901(8)	543,012
Officer	2007	208,333		379,250	680,000	43,105	162,203(9)	1,472,891
Jonathan Kahn EVP Business Operations	2008 2007	225,000 200,000		190,221 379,250	680,000	57,506 65,708	82,901(10) 162,203(11)	555,628 1,487,161
Von Cameron EVP Sales	2008	171,474		49,781		62,885	20,884(12)	305,024
Robert Elliott VP and Chief Marketing	2008	172,500		190,221		43,742	82,901(13)	489,364
Officer	2007	155,000		379,250	680,000	37,091	162,203(14)	1,413,544

The amounts shown in this column represents the income reported by the named executive for vesting of restricted stock which is the number of shares vesting times the closing stock price on the vesting date.

The amounts shown in this column represents the compensation costs of options for financial reporting purposes pursuant to FAS 123R. The assumptions we used with respect to the valuation of stock and option grants are set forth in Note 1 to our consolidated financial statements included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal vear ended December 31, 2008 and December 31, 2007.

- (3) The amounts in this column reflect the cash awards paid pursuant to our 2008 bonus plan
- (4) Consists of \$241,867 tax gross-up, \$18,261 of income tax preparation fees, \$11,640 of value from third-party rewards programs and \$3,100 of

401(k) matching contributions

- (5) Consists of \$481,298 tax gross-up, \$14,906 of income tax preparation fees and \$3,100 of 401(k) matching contributions.
- (6) Consists of \$130,323 tax gross-up and \$3,100 of 401(k) matching contributions.
- (7) Consists of \$285,850 tax gross-up and \$3,100 of 401(k) matching contributions.
- (8) Consists of \$79,801 tax gross-up and \$3,100 of 401(k) matching contributions.
- (9) Consists of \$159,103 tax gross-up and \$3,100 of 401(k) matching contributions.
- (10) Consists of \$78,801 tax gross-up and \$3,100 of 401(k) matching contributions.
- (11) Consists of \$159,103 tax gross-up and

\$3,100 of 401(k) matching contributions.

- (12) Consists of \$20,884 tax gross-up.
- (13) Consists of \$79,801 tax gross-up and \$3,100 of 401(k) matching contributions.
- (14) Consists of \$159,103 tax gross-up and \$3,100 of 401(k) matching contributions.

#### **Grants of Plan Based Awards in 2008**

The following table provides information with regard to (a) potential cash bonuses that were payable during 2008 under our performance-based, non-equity incentive bonus plan, and (b) grants of options to purchase common stock and shares of restricted stock made to our named executive officers during 2008. The actual amounts paid pursuant to the 2008 bonus plan are reported in the Summary Compensation Table under the column entitled Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation.

	Es	timated	All	
	Futu	re Payouts	Other Stock	
	Under	Non-Equity	Awards; Number	Grant Date Fair Value of
	Incentive 1	Plan Awards(1)	of Shares	Stock
	Target			
<b>Grant Date</b>	(\$)(2)	Maximum (\$)	of Stock	Awards
05/16/08	\$62,500		150,000	1,231,500
05/16/08	\$45,000		75,000	615,750
05/16/08	\$48,000		50,000	410,500
05/16/08	\$60,000		50,000	410,500
05/16/08	\$42,000		50,000	410,500
04/14/08	\$58,000		50,000	374,500
	05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08	Target  Grant Date  05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 05/16/08 \$42,000	Grant Date (\$)(2) Maximum (\$) 05/16/08 \$62,500 05/16/08 \$45,000 05/16/08 \$48,000 05/16/08 \$60,000 05/16/08 \$42,000	Future Payouts Under Non-Equity Other Stock Awards; Number  Incentive Plan Awards(1) Target (\$)(2) Maximum (\$) 05/16/08 \$62,500 05/16/08 \$45,000 05/16/08 \$445,000 05/16/08 \$445,000 05/16/08 \$445,000 05/16/08 \$50,000 05/16/08 \$50,000 05/16/08 \$50,000

(1) Amounts shown in these columns are the estimated possible payouts under the 2008 bonus plan based on certain assumptions about the achievement of company and individual performance objectives. The performance objectives under the 2008 bonus plan, as well the compensation Committee s pay-out determinations for the 2008 bonus plan, are discussed above under

Compensation Discussion and Analysis Annual Cash Bonus Awards 2008 Bonus Plan.

(2) Amounts have been prorated based on the period of time during the year the program was in effect..

# Outstanding Equity Awards at December 31, 2008

The following table summarizes the number of securities underlying outstanding equity awards for each named executive officer as of December 31, 2008, as well as the number of outstanding unvested shares of restricted stock held by each named executive officer as of December 31, 2008.

		Option av	vards		Stock A	wards Market
	Number of	Number of			Number of Shares	Value of
	Securities Underlying	Securities Underlying			or Units of Stock	Shares or Units of
	Unexercised Options	Unexercised Options	Option	Option	that Have Not	Stock that Have Not
Name William W. Smith, Jr.	Exercisable (#) 12,500(2) 56,250(2) 170,833(2)	Unexercisable (#) 29,167	<b>Exercise Price</b> \$ 0.24 1.91 4.95	Expiration Date 2/15/2012 7/1/2014 7/27/2015	Vested (#)	Vested (\$) (1)
	91,667(2)	108,333	12.55	2/18/2017	8,333(3) 128,126(5)	\$ 46,331 \$ 712,381
Andrew C. Schmidt	45,833(2)	54,167	12.55	2/18/2017	2,083(3) 64,063(5)	11,581 356,190
David P. Sperling	22,917(2) 60,417(2) 45,833(2)	14,583 54,167	1.91 4.95 12.55	7/1/2014 7/27/2015 2/18/2017	2,500(3)	13,900
					42,709(5)	237,462
Jonathan Kahn	69,250(4) 45,833(2)	54,167	4.95 12.55	7/27/2015 2/18/2017	2,500(3) 42,709(5)	13,900 237,462
Robert Elliott	17,187(2) 35,417(2) 45,833(2)	14,583 54,167	1.91 4.95 12.55	7/1/2014 7/27/2015 2/18/2017	2,500(3)	13,900
Von Cameron					42,709(5) 41,667(5)	237,462 231,669
(1)					, -, -, (-)	

Determined by multiplying the number of shares by \$5.56, the closing price for our stock on the Nasdaq Global Market on December 31, 2008.

- (2) 25% vested after one year, the balance over 36 successive monthly installments.
- (3) Vests in 24 equal monthly installments.
- (4) 25% vested after six months, the balance over 18 successive monthly installments.
- (5) Vests in 48 equal monthly installments.

#### **Option Exercises and Stock Vested**

The following table provides information regarding exercises of stock options and vesting of restricted stock awards held by each of our named executive officers during 2008.

	Option Awards		Stock Awards	
	Number of			Value
	Shares Acquired	Value Realized	Shares Acquired	Realized
	on	on	on	On Vesting
	Exercise	Exercise		
Name	(#)	(\$)	Vesting (#)	<b>(\$) (1)</b>
William W. Smith, Jr.		\$	83,333	\$576,533
Andrew C. Schmidt			44,792	310,648
David P. Sperling			27,500	190,221
Jonathan Kahn			27,500	190,221
Von Cameron			7,292	49,781
Robert Elliott			27,500	190,221

(1) Represents the market value per share times the number of shares vested on the vesting date.

# **Employment Agreements**

Letter Agreement with Andrew C. Schmidt

Effective on June 14, 2005 we entered into a letter agreement with Andrew C. Schmidt, our Chief Financial Officer. The agreement provides for an initial base salary of \$220,000 per annum and eligibility to receive bonus awards at the discretion of the Compensation Committee of the board of directors. Mr. Schmidt is also eligible to participate in any and all plans providing general benefits to our employees, subject to the provisions, rules and regulations applicable to each such plan. Effective March 5, 2009, Mr. Schmidt s base salary is \$337,500.

Mr. Schmidt s employment letter agreement also provides that he is eligible to participate in our 2005 Plan. In 2007 Mr. Schmidt received grants of 50,000 shares of restricted stock, which vest ratably over 24 months. In addition, he was granted options to purchase 100,000 shares of stock at an exercise price of \$12.55. These options vest over four years. In 2008 Mr. Schmidt received grants of 75,000 shares of restricted stock, which vest ratably over 48 months.

Mr. Schmidt s employment may be terminated at any time, with or without cause and with or without notice, by Mr. Schmidt or by us. If Mr. Schmidt s employment is terminated by us without cause within twelve months following a Corporate Transaction (as defined in the agreement), we will provide Mr. Schmidt payment of salary for the six months following the termination of employment.

The letter agreement states that Mr. Schmidt s employment is of no set duration.

Employment Agreement with Jonathan Kahn

We entered into an employment agreement on July 1, 2005 with Jonathan Kahn in connection with our purchase of Allume Systems, Inc., where Mr. Kahn was President. Mr. Kahn s employment agreement was in effect during the first six months of 2008 and expired on June 30, 2008. The employment agreement provided for an initial base salary of \$200,000 per annum, plus an annual bonus based on the attainment of certain targets. The agreement also provided that Mr. Kahn would be eligible to participate in plans providing general benefits to our employees, subject to the provisions, rules and regulations applicable to each such plan. Effective March 5, 2009, Mr. Kahn s base salary is \$250,000.

Under the employment agreement which expired on June 30, 2008, Mr. Kahn would have been entitled to certain severance payments if his employment was terminated by us other than for cause (as defined in the agreement) or if Mr. Kahn terminates his employment for good reason following a Change of Control (as defined in the agreement). In this situation, the agreement called for severance payments to Mr. Kahn equal to eighteen months at his then-current base salary and all of Mr. Kahn s unvested stock options would immediately vest and become exercisable in full within two years of termination.

Agreement with William W. Smith, Jr.

In June 2005, we entered into an agreement with William W. Smith, Jr., Chief Executive Officer, pursuant to which we agreed to a lifetime payment of \$6,000 annually, subject to annual increases of 5%, in connection with his future retirement or resignation from employment. The agreement provides that we may, at our option, discharge our obligations under the agreement by purchasing a single premium annuity for the benefit of Mr. Smith, the estimated cost of which was approximately \$150,000.

Other than as disclosed above, none of the named executive officers has an employment agreement with us, and the employment of each of the named executive officers may accordingly be terminated at any time at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

# **Potential Payments Upon Termination or Change in Control**

The Compensation Committee believes that change in control agreements are appropriate and serve an important business purpose for the company. The Committee believes that these benefits aid in recruiting and retaining talent in a competitive market. Also, benefits are provided in the event of termination of employment following a change in control, which are intended to motivate executive officers to remain with the company despite the uncertainty and dislocation that arises in the context of change in control situations. The change in control agreements are an important part of our overall compensation objectives, particularly our goal of retaining the best qualified executive officers, and do not affect the decisions made with respect to other compensation elements.

Mr. Schmidt

Pursuant to the employment letter agreement with Mr. Schmidt, if his employment is terminated without cause within twelve months following a Corporate Transaction he is entitled to a severance benefit equal to six months base salary, subject to required withholding and payable in accordance with our regular and customary payroll practices. In addition, pursuant to his stock option and restricted stock agreements, he is entitled to accelerated vesting of options and restricted stock in the event of a Corporate Transaction. Assuming the employment of Mr. Schmidt were to be terminated without cause within twelve months following a Corporate Transaction as of December 31, 2008, he would be entitled to an aggregate of \$517,771 in change in control benefits, consisting of (i) \$150,000 to be paid over the six month period following such termination, subject to required withholding and in accordance with our regular and customary payroll practices, (ii) accelerated vesting of 54,167 outstanding stock options with a value of \$0 (based on the number of shares times the December 31, 2008 closing market price for our stock, less the exercise price of the options), and (iii) accelerated vesting of 66,146 shares of restricted stock with a value of \$367,771 (based on the number of shares times the December 31, 2008 closing market price for our stock). We are not required to make any cash payments to Mr. Schmidt if his employment is terminated by us for cause or on account of death or disability or by Mr. Schmidt.

For purposes of Mr. Schmidt s employment letter agreement, (i) Corporate Transaction is defined as any of the following stockholder approved transactions to which we are a party: (a) a merger or consolidation in which securities possessing more than fifty percent (50%) of the total combined voting power of our outstanding securities are transferred to a person or persons different from the persons holding those securities immediate prior to such transaction, or (b) the sale, transfer or other disposition of all or substantially all of our assets in complete liquidation or dissolution of Smith Micro; and (ii) cause is not defined. We gave these benefits to Mr. Schmidt in order to retain his services.

Mr. Schmidt is bound by the terms of a Proprietary Information and Inventions Agreement which survives the termination of his employment. This agreement provides in part that he will not disclose our confidential information to any third party.

Mr. Smith

We have an agreement with Mr. Smith pursuant to which we agreed to a lifetime payment of \$6,000 annually, subject to annual increases of 5%, in connection with his future retirement or resignation from employment; provided that we may, at our option, discharge our obligations under the agreement by purchasing a single premium annuity for the benefit of Mr. Smith, the estimated cost of which was approximately \$150,000. Assuming Mr. Smith s employment was terminated as of December 31, 2008, and further assuming that we determined to satisfy our obligations under his agreement by purchasing a single premium annuity for the benefit of Mr. Smith, we would have been obligated to expend \$150,000 to purchase the annuity.

Stock Options and Restricted Stock

Each of our named executive officers holds options and shares of restricted stock that would vest, subject to the satisfaction of certain other conditions included in the option agreements and restricted stock agreements, upon a Corporate Transaction. For purposes of these agreements, Corporate Transaction is defined as either of the following stockholder-approved transactions to which we are a party: (i) a merger or consolidation in which securities possessing more than fifty percent (50%) of the total combined voting power of our outstanding securities are transferred to a person or persons different from the persons holding those securities immediately prior to such transaction, or (ii) the sale, transfer or other disposition of all or substantially all of our assets in our complete liquidation or dissolution. We provide this benefit in order to properly incent our executives to support a Corporate Transaction that would be deemed beneficial to our shareholders.

Assuming a Corporate Transaction occurred as of December 31, 2008 and the other conditions included in the options agreements were satisfied, the following individuals would be entitled to accelerated vesting of their outstanding stock options as described in the table below:

#### Name

William W. Smith, Jr. Andrew C. Schmidt David P. Sperling Jonathan Kahn Robert Elliott

(1) Based on the number of shares times the December 31, 2008 closing market price, less the exercise price of the options (for those options with an exercise price less than the closing market price, shares with an exercise price greater than the closing market price have been excluded).

# Value of accelerated option awards following Change in Control

Immediate vesting of 29,167 options with a value of \$17,792 (1). Immediate vesting of 0 options with a value of \$0 (1). Immediate vesting of 14,583 options with a value of \$8,896 (1). Immediate vesting of 0 options with a value of \$0 (1). Immediate vesting of 14,583 options with a value of \$8,896 (1).

Assuming a Corporate Transaction occurred as of December 31, 2008 and the other conditions included in the restricted stock agreements were satisfied, the following individuals would be entitled to accelerated vesting of the following shares of restricted stock:

Name	Value of accelerated stock awards following Change in Control
William W. Smith, Jr.	Immediate vesting of 136,459 shares with a value of \$758,712 (1).
Andrew C. Schmidt	Immediate vesting of 66,146 shares with a value of \$367,771 (1).
David P. Sperling	Immediate vesting of 45,209 shares with a value of \$251,362 (1).
Jonathan Kahn	Immediate vesting of 45,209 shares with a value of \$251,362 (1).
Von Cameron	Immediate vesting of 41,667 shares with a value of \$231,669 (1).
Robert Elliott	Immediate vesting of 45,209 shares with a value of \$251,362 (1).

(1) Based on the December 31, 2008 closing market price of \$5.56.

# **Director Compensation**

The following table summarizes compensation that our directors (other than directors who are named executive officers) earned during 2008 for services as members of our board of directors.

	Fees earned			
	or paid	Stock Awards	Option Awards	
Name	in cash (\$)	(\$)	<b>(\$) (1)</b>	Total (\$)
Thomas G. Campbell(2)	\$10,000	\$ 82,100	\$ 11,579	\$103,679
Samuel Gulko(3)	10,000	82,100	11,579	103,679
Ted. L. Hoffman(4)	10,000	82,100	11,579	103,679
William C. Keiper(5)	10,000	82,100	11,579	103,679
Gregory J. Szabo(6)	10,000	82,100	11,579	103,679

- (1) Valuation based on the dollar amount of option grants recognized for financial statement reporting purposes pursuant to **SFAS 123R** with respect to 2008. The assumptions we used with respect to the valuation of option grants are set forth in Note 1 to our consolidated financial statements contained in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008.
- (2) Mr. Campbell has options to purchase 5,000 shares

outstanding as of December 31, 2008.

- (3) Mr. Gulko has options to purchase 15,000 shares outstanding as of December 31, 2008.
- (4) Mr. Hoffman has options to purchase 25,000 shares outstanding as of December 31, 2008.
- (5) Mr. Keiper has options to purchase 20,000 shares outstanding as of December 31, 2008.
- (6) Mr. Szabo has options to purchase 25,000 shares outstanding as of December 31, 2008.

# **Summary of Director Compensation**

Non-employee members of the Board of Directors receive fees of \$2,500 quarterly for Board and Committee service, and are reimbursed for their out-of-pocket expenses in connection with service on the Board of Directors. Non-employee members of the Board of Directors are eligible to receive periodic option grants pursuant to the Automatic Option Grant Program in effect under our 2005 Plan and are eligible to receive discretionary awards under the Plan s Discretionary Option Grant and Stock Issuance Programs.

Each non-employee director will receive an option grant for 10,000 shares in connection with his or her initial appointment to the Board of Directors. Each such option will have an exercise price per share equal to the closing sale price per share of common stock on the grant date and a maximum term of 10 years measured from the grant date. Each option will be immediately exercisable for all the option shares, but any shares purchased under the option will be subject to repurchase by us, at the option exercise price paid per share, in the event the optionee ceases to serve as a member of the Board of Directors prior to vesting in the option shares. The option shares will vest in a series of four successive equal annual installments over the optionee s period of service on the Board of Directors, with the first installment to vest upon his or her completion of one year of serving as a member of the Board of Directors measured from the grant date. The option shares will immediately vest in full upon certain changes in control or ownership or upon the optionee s death or disability while still serving as a member of the Board of Directors.

At each Annual Meeting of Stockholders, each individual who will continue to serve as a non-employee member of the Board of Directors will receive an additional option grant for 5,000 shares, provided such individual has served on the Board of Directors for at least six months. Each option will have an exercise price per share equal to the closing sale price per share of common stock on the date of the Annual Meeting and a maximum term of 10 years measured from such date, subject to earlier termination upon the optionee s cessation of service on the Board

of Directors. The option will be immediately exercisable for all the option shares, but any shares purchased under the option will be subject to repurchase by us, at the option exercise paid per share, should the optionee stop serving as a member of the Board of Directors prior to the completion of one year of service measured from the grant date. On May 16, 2008, each director received a special discretionary grant of 10,000 shares of Restricted Stock valued at \$8.21 per share and vesting in equal installments over the next 12 months.

# **Compensation Committee Interlocks and Insider Participation**

In fiscal 2008, the members of our Compensation Committee were Messrs. Campbell, Hoffman and Keiper, who are all non-employee directors. None of such Committee members (i) was during fiscal 2008 an officer or employee of us or any of our subsidiaries, or (ii) is formerly an officer of us or any of our subsidiaries.

# **Report of the Compensation Committee**

The Compensation Committee establishes and oversees the design and functioning of our executive compensation program. We have reviewed and discussed the foregoing Compensation Discussion and Analysis with the management of the Company. Based on this review and discussion, we recommended to the Board of Directors that the Compensation Discussion and Analysis be included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K/A for the year ended December 31, 2008.

COMPENSATION COMMITTEE

Thomas G. Campbell Ted L. Hoffman William C. Keiper

# Item 12. Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management and Related Stockholder Matters

The following table sets forth certain information known to us as of April 1, 2009, with respect to beneficial ownership of our common stock by (i) each person (or group of affiliated persons) who is known by us to own beneficially more than five percent (5%) of our outstanding common stock, (ii) each director, (iii) each of our named executive officers, and (iv) all current directors and executive officers as a group, together with the approximate percentages of outstanding common stock owned by each of them. The following table is based upon information supplied by directors, executive officers, and principal stockholders. Beneficial ownership has been determined in accordance with Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act. Unless otherwise indicated the address of each beneficial owner is c/o Smith Micro Software, Inc., 51 Columbia, Aliso Viejo, CA 92656. The percentage of beneficial ownership is based on 32,261,475 shares of our common stock outstanding as of April 1, 2009.

	Shares Beneficially			
	Own	ed		
Name or Group of Beneficial Owners	Number	Percent		
Named Executive Officers and Directors:				
William W. Smith, Jr. (1)	3,213,032	9.85%		
Andrew C. Schmidt (2)	276,250	*		
David P. Sperling (3)	285,000	*		
Jonathan Kahn (4)	270,500	*		
Von Cameron	100,000	*		
Robert Elliott (5)	240,350	*		
Thomas G. Campbell (6)	19,500	*		
Samuel Gulko (7)	57,000	*		
Ted L. Hoffman (8)	72,500	*		
William C. Keiper(9)	55,000	*		
Gregory J. Szabo(10)	71,000	*		
All executive officers and directors as a group (11 persons)(11)	4,660,132	14.05%		
5% Stockholders				
NorthPointe Capital, LLC(12)	2,293,884	7.1%		
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Troy, MI 48084				

<sup>\*</sup> Represents less than 1%.

(1) Includes
2,336,115
shares held in
the name of The
William W.
Smith, Jr.
Revocable
Trust, of which
Mr. Smith is the
trustee, and
372,917 shares
issuable upon
the exercise of

options that are currently exercisable or will become exercisable within 60 days after April 1, 2009.

- (2) Includes 56,250 shares issuable upon the exercise of options that are currently exercisable or will become exercisable within 60 days after April 1, 2009.
- (3) Includes
  150,000 shares
  issuable upon
  the exercise of
  options that are
  currently
  exercisable or
  will become
  exercisable
  within 60 days
  after April 1,
  2009.
- (4) Includes
  125,500 shares
  issuable upon
  the exercise of
  options that are
  currently
  exercisable or
  will become
  exercisable
  within 60 days
  after April 1,
  2009.
- (5) Includes 102,083 shares issuable upon

the exercise of options that are currently exercisable or will become exercisable within 60 days after April 1, 2009.

- (6) Includes 5,000 shares issuable upon the exercise of options that are currently exercisable or will become exercisable within 60 days after April 1, 2009.
- (7) Includes 15,000 shares issuable upon the exercise of options that are currently exercisable or will become exercisable within 60 days after April 1, 2009.
- (8) Includes 25,000 shares issuable upon the exercise of options that are currently exercisable or will become exercisable within 60 days after April 1, 2009.
- (9) Includes 20,000 shares issuable

upon the exercise of options that are currently exercisable or will become exercisable within 60 days after April 1, 2009.

# (10) Includes 25,000 shares issuable upon the exercise of options that are currently exercisable or will become exercisable within 60 days after April 1, 2009.

# (11) Includes 896,750 shares issuable upon the exercise of options that are currently exercisable or will become exercisable within 60 days after April 1, 2009.

(12) Based solely upon a Schedule 13G dated February 13, 2009.

# Securities Authorized for Issuance Under An Equity Compensation Plan

The following table provides information as of December 31, 2008 with respect to the shares of common stock that may be issued under our existing equity compensation plans.

	Number of	Weighted	Number of
	Shares to be	Average	Shares
	Issued Upon	<b>Exercise Price</b>	Remaining
	Exercise of	of	Available for
	Outstanding	Outstanding	
(In thousands, except per share amounts)	Options	Options	Future Issuance
Equity Compensation Plan Approved by Shareholders (1)	4,289	\$ 10.94	1,263
Equity Compensation Plan Not Approved by Shareholders			
Total	4,289	\$ 10.94	1,263

(1) The number of shares to be

issued upon exercise

includes options

granted under

both the 1995

Stock

Option/Stock

Issuance Plan

and the 2005

Stock

Option/Stock

Issuance Plan.

The number of

shares

remaining

available for

future issuance

consists only of

the 2005 Plan.

#### Item 13. Certain Relationships and Related Transactions, and Director Independence

Since January 1, 2008, there has not been, nor is there currently proposed, any transaction or series of similar transactions to which we were or are a party in which the amount involved exceeds \$120,000 and in which any director, executive officer or beneficial holder of more than 5% of any class of our voting securities or members of such person s immediate family had or will have a direct or indirect material interest.

# **Procedures for Approval of Related Party Transactions**

Pursuant to the charter of our Audit Committee, all transactions between us and any of our directors, executive officers or related parties are subject to review by our Audit Committee.

# **Board Member Independence**

The Board of Directors has determined that, except for Mr. Smith, all of the members of the Board of Directors are independent as independence is defined in the Nasdaq Stock Market qualification standards. Mr. Smith is not considered independent because he is currently employed by the Company.

# **Item 14. Principal Accounting Fees and Services**

The following table sets forth the aggregate fees billed to us for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007 by Singer Lewak Greenbaum & Goldstein LLP:

	2008	2007
Audit Fees(1)	\$1,087,000	\$1,029,000
Audit Related Fees(2)	30,000	25,000
Tax Fees(3)	0	0
All Other Fees	0	0

(1) This category consists of fees billed for professional services rendered for the audit of our consolidated annual financial statements and internal control over financial reporting, review of the interim consolidated financial statements included in quarterly reports, and services that are normally provided by our independent registered public accounting firm in connection with statutory and regulatory filings or engagements.

(2) This category consists of assurance and related services that are reasonably

related to the performance of the audit or review of our financial statements and are not reported above under Audit Fees.

(3) This category consists of fees billed for professional services rendered for tax compliance, tax advice and tax planning.

The Audit Committee pre-approves all audit and permissible non-audit services provided by our independent registered public accounting firm. These services may include audit services, audit-related services, and other services. The Audit Committee has adopted a policy for the pre-approval of services provided by the independent registered public accounting firm. Under the policy, pre-approval is generally provided for up to one year and any pre-approval is detailed as to the particular service or category of services and is subject to a specific budget. In addition, the Audit Committee may also pre-approve particular services on a case-by-case basis. For each proposed service, the independent registered public accounting firm is required to provide detailed back-up documentation at the time of approval. The Audit Committee may delegate pre-approval authority to one or more of its members. Such a member must report any decisions to the Audit Committee at the next scheduled meeting.

The Audit Committee has determined that all non-audit services provided by Singer Lewak were compatible with such firm s audit independence, and pre-approved all non-audit services provided by Singer Lewak.

# **PART IV**

# Item 15. Exhibits, Financial Statement Schedules

(b) Exhibits:

Exhibit Number 31.1	<b>Description of Documents</b> Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Rules 13a-14 and 15d-14 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
31.2	Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Rules 13a-14 and 15d-14 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

# **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) 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. April 29, 2009
Smith Micro Software, Inc.

By /s/ William W. Smith, Jr.
William W. Smith, Jr.
President and Chief Executive Officer
(Principal Executive Officer)