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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

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X QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2007

OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from

Commission file number 001-06033

UAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)
77 W. Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois (Address of principal executive offices)

36-2675207

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) **60601** (Zip Code)

(312) 997-8000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

1200 East Algonquin Road, Elk Grove Township, Illinois 60007

(Former address)

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 or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of accelerated filer and large accelerated filer in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

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 by check mark whether the registrant has filed all documents and reports required to be filed by Section 12, 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 subsequent to the distribution of securities under a plan confirmed by a court. Yes x No o

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

Class Common Stock (\$0.01 par value) Outstanding at April 30, 2007 115,585,795

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

UAL Corporation and Subsidiary Companies

Condensed Statements of Consolidated Operations (Unaudited)

(In millions, except per share amounts)

	Successor Three Months Ended March 31, 2007		Period fro February to March 2006	1	Predece Period f January to Janu 2006	from y 1	
Operating revenues:							
Passenger United Airlines	\$ 3,264			182	\$	1,074	
Passenger Regional Affiliates	675		465		204		
Cargo	168		124		56		
Other operating revenues	266		236		124		
	4,373		3,007		1,45	58	
Operating expenses:							
Salaries and related costs	1,068		726		358		
Aircraft fuel	1,041		705		362		
Regional affiliates	692		468		228		
Purchased services	301		206		98		
Aircraft maintenance materials and outside repairs	281		179		80		
Landing fees and other rent	238		145		75		
Depreciation and amortization	220		148		68		
Distribution expenses	188		141		60		
Aircraft rent	100		75		30		
Cost of third party sales	93		128		65		
Special operating items (Note 2)	(22)					
Other operating expenses	265		205		86		
	4,465		3,126		1,5	10	
Loss from operations	(92)	(119)	(52)	
Other income (expense):							
Interest expense (Note 11)	(206)	(141)	(42)	
Interest income	58		28		6		
Interest capitalized	5		3				
Miscellaneous, net	(2)	6				
	(145)	(104)	(36)	
Loss before reorganization items, income taxes and equity in earnings of							
affiliates	(237)	(223)	(88))	
Reorganization items, net					22,9	934	
Earnings (loss) before income taxes and equity in earnings of affiliates	(237)	(223)	22,8	346	
Income tax benefit	(84)					
Earnings (loss) before equity in earnings of affiliates	(153)	(223)	22,8	346	
Equity in earnings of affiliates, net of tax	1				5		
Net income (loss)	\$ (152)	\$ (2	23)	\$	22,851	
Earnings (loss) per share, basic and diluted	\$ (1.32)	\$ (1	.95)	\$	196.61	

 $See\ accompanying\ Notes\ to\ Condensed\ Consolidated\ Financial\ Statements\ (Unaudited).$

UAL Corporation and Subsidiary Companies

Condensed Statements of Consolidated Financial Position (Unaudited)

(In millions, except shares)

	March 31, 2007	December 31, 2006
Assets		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,176	\$ 3,832
Restricted cash	356	341
Short-term investments	193	312
Receivables, less allowance for doubtful accounts (2007 \$28; 2006 \$27)	1,071	820
Prepaid fuel	327	283
Aircraft fuel, spare parts and supplies, less		
obsolescence allowance (2007 \$9; 2006 \$6)	205	218
Deferred income taxes	73	122
Prepaid expenses and other	360	345
	5,761	6,273
Operating property and equipment: Owned		
Flight equipment	8,986	8,958
Advances on flight equipment	103	103
Other property and equipment	1,462	1,441
	10,551	10,502
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	(635)	(503)
•	9,916	9,999
Capital leases:		
Flight equipment	1,511	1,511
Other property and equipment	33	34
	1,544	1,545
Less accumulated amortization	(104)	(81)
	1,440	1,464
	11,356	11,463
Other assets:		
Intangibles, less accumulated amortization (2007 \$208; 2006 \$169)	2,989	3,028
Goodwill	2,690	2,703
Aircraft lease deposits	554	539
Restricted cash	500	506
Investments	115	113
Other, net	774	744
	7,622	7,633
	\$ 24,739	\$ 25,369

See accompanying Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited).

UAL Corporation and Subsidiary Companies

Condensed Statements of Consolidated Financial Position (Unaudited)

(In millions, except shares)

	Iarch 31, 007	December 31, 2006		
Liabilities and Stockholders Equity				
Current liabilities:				
Advance ticket sales	\$ 2,367	\$ 1,669		
Mileage Plus deferred revenue	1,339	1,111		
Accrued salaries, wages and benefits	852	795		
Accounts payable	734	667		
Advanced purchase of miles	694	681		
Long-term debt maturing within one year (Note 11)	565	1,687		
Fuel purchase commitments	327	283		
Accrued interest	250	241		
Current obligations under capital leases	98	110		
Other	592	701		
	7,818	7,945		
Long-term debt (Note 11)	7,275	7,453		
Long-term obligations under capital leases	1,358	1,350		
Other liabilities and deferred credits:				
Mileage Plus deferred revenue	2,481	2,569		
Postretirement benefit liability	1,963	1,955		
Deferred income taxes	562	688		
Deferred pension liability	133	130		
Other	755	770		
	5,894	6,112		
Mandatorily convertible preferred securities	361	361		
Commitments and contingent liabilities (Note 13)				
Stockholders equity (deficit):				
Preferred stock				
Common stock at par, \$0.01 par value; authorized 1,000,000,000 shares; outstanding 113,331,864				
and 112,280,629 shares at March 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006, respectively	1	1		
Additional capital invested	2,094	2,053		
Retained earnings (deficit)	(136)	16		
Stock held in treasury, at cost (Note 4)	(15)	(4)		
Accumulated other comprehensive income	89	82		
	2,033	2,148		
	\$ 24,739	\$ 25,369		

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Condensed Statements of Consolidated Cash Flows (Unaudited)

(In millions)

	Successor Three Months Ended March 31, 2007		Period from February 1 to March 31, 2006		Predecessor Period from January 1 to January 31, 2006	
Cash flows provided (used) by operating activities:						
Net loss before reorganization items	\$ (152)	\$ (223)	\$ (83)
Adjustments to reconcile to net cash provided (used) by operating activities						
Increase in advance ticket sales	698		395		109	
Increase in receivables	(256)	(69)	(88))
Depreciation and amortization	220		148		68	
Mileage Plus deferred revenue and advanced purchase of miles	153		44		14	
Other, net	(37)	(3)	141	
	626		292		161	
Cash flows provided (used) by reorganization activities:						
Reorganization items, net					22,934	
Increase in other liabilities					37	
Increase in non-aircraft claims accrual					429	
Discharge of claims and liabilities					(24,628)
Revaluation of Mileage Plus frequent flyer deferred revenue					2,399	
Revaluation of other assets and liabilities					(2,106)
Pension curtailment, settlement and employee claims					912	
					(23)
Cash flows provided (used) by investing activities:						
Decrease in short-term investments	119		71		2	
Additions to property and equipment	(68)	(62)	(30)
(Increase) decrease in restricted cash	(9)	268		(203)
(Increase) decrease in segregated funds	(1)	200			
Other, net	(7)	(14)	(7)
	34		463		(238)
Cash flows provided (used) by financing activities:						
Proceeds from Credit Facility			2,961			
Repayment of Credit Facility	(986)	(161)		
Repayment of DIP Financing			(1,157)		
Repayment of other long-term debt	(318)	(338)	(24)
Principal payments under capital leases	(13)	(3)	(5)
Other, net	1		(55)	(1)
	(1,316)	1,247			