

SABA SOFTWARE INC
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | |
| Â FirstMark Capital, L.L.C. | | (Month/Day/Year) | SABA SOFTWARE INC [SABA] | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 08/20/2008 | |
| 1221 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS | | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| (Street) | | | (Check all applicable) | |
| NEW YORK, NY 10020 | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Director | <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner |
| (City) | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Officer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other |
| (State) | | | (give title below) (specify below) | |
| (Zip) | | | See Footnote 1 | |
| | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person | |
| | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Common Stock | 2,769,840 ⁽²⁾ | I ⁽²⁾ | Investment Advisor ⁽¹⁾ |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|---|--|--|---|
| | | Title | | | |

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| Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Amount or Number of Shares | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| FirstMark Capital, L.L.C. 1221 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10020 | Â | Â | Â | See Footnote 1 |

Signatures

/s/ Brian Kempner, Chief Operating Officer & General Counsel 08/25/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
 Effective August 20, 2008, FirstMark Capital, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company ("FirstMark"), became the investment manager of certain funds formerly managed by the venture capital division of Pequot Capital Management, Inc., a Connecticut corporation ("Pequot"), including all of Pequot's interests in the Issuer as previously reported on Forms 3 and 4. FirstMark is an investment adviser acting on behalf of its clients' accounts. FirstMark disclaims any obligation to file this report, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that FirstMark is subject to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), with respect to the Issuer of such securities.
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