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Quarterly report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 for
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Transition report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 fo

Commission file number: 1-14128

EMERGING VISION, INC.(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter) NEW YORK(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 11-3096941(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) 100 Quentin Roosevelt BoulevardGarden City, NY 11530(Address and zip code of principal executive Telephone Number: (516) 390-2100(Registrant's telephone number, including area code) Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by S Yes X

No___

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, Large accelerated filer __________Accelerated filer ______

Non accelerated filer _____ Smaller reporting company X

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Yes $_$ No X

As of August 14, 2008, there were 125,292,806 outstanding shares of the Issuer's Common Stock, pa

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PART I - FINANCIAL INFORMATION Item 1. Financial Statements EMERGING VISION, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIESCONSOLIDATED CONDENSED BALANCE SHEETS(In Thousands, Except ASSETS June 30, December 31, 2008 2007 (unaudited) (audited) Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents \$2,074 \$2,846 Franchise receivables, net of allowance of \$124 and \$147, respectively 1,820 1,842 Optical purchasing group receivables, net of allowance of \$60 7,367 4,840 Other receivables, net of allowance of \$7 and \$5, respectively 414 369 Current portion of franchise notes receivable, net of allowance of \$38 228 191 Inventories, net 409 466

Prepaid expenses and other current assets 669 447 Deferred tax assets, current portion 615 600 Total current assets 13,596 11,601 Property and equipment, net 1,255 1,496 Franchise notes receivable 147 121 Deferred tax asset, net of current portion 1,324 1,074 Goodwill, net 4,249 4,237 Intangible assets, net 3,192 3,065 Other assets 254 271 Total assets \$24,017 \$21,865 LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY Current liabilities: Accounts payable and accrued liabilities \$4,526 \$5,607 Optical purchasing group payables 6,775 4,486 Accrual for store closings 268 300 Short-term debt 23 32 Related party obligations 399 404 Total current liabilities 11,991 10,829

Long-term debt 4,415 4,424 Related party borrowings, net of current portion 719 770 Franchise deposits and other liabilities 392 442 Total liabilities 17,517 16,465 Commitments and contingencies Shareholders' equity: Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value per share; 5,000,000 shares authorized: Senior Convertible Pref 74 74 Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share; 150,000,000 shares authorized; 125,475,143 shares issued 1,254 1,254 Treasury stock, at cost, 182,337 shares (204) (204) Additional paid-in capital 128,017 127,971 Accumulated comprehensive income 195 165 Accumulated deficit (122,836) (123,860) Total shareholders' equity 6,500 5,400 Total liabilities and shareholders' equity \$24,017 \$21,865 Table of Contents The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated condensed financial statements. EMERGING VISION, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIESCONSOLIDATED CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

For the Three Months Ended June 30, For the Six Months Ended June 30,

2007 2008 2007 Revenues: Optical purchasing group sales \$16,367 \$4,597 \$30,662 \$8,922 Franchise royalties 1,595 1,765 3,246 3,506 Retail sales - Company-owned stores 954 1,248 2,096 2,605 Membership fees - VisionCare of California 877 878 1,720 1,727 Franchise related fees and other revenues 18 75 248 128 Total revenue 19,811 8,563 37,972 16,888 Costs and operating expenses: Cost of optical purchasing group sales 15,626 4,300 29,159 8,303 Cost of retail sales 246 364 511 682 Selling, general and administrative expenses 3,723 3,818 7,444 7,453 Total costs and operating expenses 19,595 8,482 37,114 16,438 Operating income 216 81 858 450 Other income (expense): Interest on franchise notes receivable 7 12 14 23 Gain on sale of company-owned stores to franchisees - 5 19 5

Other income

7

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12 54 47
       25
Interest expense
  (80) (44) (186) (109)
Total other income (expense)
       (48) (15) (99) (34)
Income before income tax benefit
      168 66 759
                     416
Income tax benefit
      139 302 265 383
Net income
       307 368 1,024 799
Comprehensive income:
Foreign currency translation adjustments
      9 - 33 -
Comprehensive income
     $316 $368 $918 $799
Net income per share:
Basic
      $0.00 $0.01 $0.01 $0.01
Diluted
     $0.00 $0.00 $0.01 $0.01
Weighted-average number of common shares outstanding:
Basic
      125,293 70,324 125,293 70,324
Diluted
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130,783 127,012 131,175 123,635

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EMERGING VISION, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIESCONSOLIDATED CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED) For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2008 2007 Cash flows from operating activities: Net income \$1,024 \$799 Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash (used in) provided by operating activities: Depreciation and amortization 313 220 Provision for doubtful accounts 12 (1) Deferred tax assets (265) (422) Gain on the sale of property and equipment (19) (5) Non-cash compensation charges related to options and warrants 46 73 Changes in operating assets and liabilities: Franchise and other receivables (42) (827) Optical purchasing group receivables (2,527) (936) Inventories 4 (33) Prepaid expenses and other current assets (222) (108) Other assets (7) 182 Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (1,081) 562 Optical purchasing group payables 2,289 771 Franchise deposits and other liabilities (82) (88)

Net cash (used in) provided by operating activities (557) 187 Cash flows from investing activities: Proceeds from franchise and other notes receivable 126 74 Costs associated with enhancing trademark value (228) (60) Franchise notes receivable issued (20) (131) Purchases of property and equipment (21) (504) Net cash used in investing activities (143) (621) Cash flows from financing activities: Borrowings under credit facility - 350 Payments on borrowings (74) (349) Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities (74) 1 Net cash used in operations (774) (433) Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash 2 Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents (772) (433) Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of period 2,846 1,289 Cash and cash equivalents - end of period \$2,074 \$856 Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information: Cash paid during the period for:

Interest

\$158 \$25

Taxes

\$32 \$29

Non-cash investing and financing activities:

Accounts and notes receivable in connection with the sale of two Company-owned stores (inclusive $\$169 \$ \$-

<u>Table of Contents</u> The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated condensed financial stateme

EMERGING VISION, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIESNOTES TO CONSOLIDATED CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDINOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION:

Business

Emerging Vision, Inc. and subsidiaries (collectively, the "Company") operates one of As of June 30, 2008, there were 151 Retail Stores in operation, consisting of 142 franchised store

Principles of Consolidation

The Consolidated Condensed Financial Statements include the accounts of Emerging Vision, I

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying Consolidated Condensed Financial Statements of the Company have been Effective January 1, 2008, the Company changed its basis of presentation for its business segment

NOTE 2 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

Share-Based Compensation

The Company accounts for share-based compensation in accordance with the fair value method provis Share-based compensation cost of approximately \$41,000 and \$69,000 is reflected in selling, gener On May 7, 2008, the Company's Compensation Committee granted an aggregate of 625,000 common stock There were no common stock option grants to any of the Company's employees, or warrant grants to Revenue Recognition

The Company recognizes revenues in accordance with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") The Company derives its revenues from the following five principal sources:

Optical purchasing group sales - Represents product pricing extended to the Company's optical pur Franchise royalties - Represents continuing franchise royalty fees based upon a percentage of the Retail sales - Company-owned stores - Represents sales from eye care products and related service Membership fees - VisionCare of California - Represents membership fees generated by VisionCare of Franchise related fees and other revenues - Represents certain franchise fees collected by the Co The Company also follows the provisions of Emerging Issue Task Force ("EITF") Issue 01-09, "Account Comprehensive Income

The Company follows the provisions of SFAS No. 130, "Reporting Comprehensive Income," which estab Foreign Currency Translation

The financial position and results of operations of TOG were measured using TOG's local currency

Income Taxes Effective January 1, 2007, the Company adopted the provisions of FASB's Interpretation ("FIN") No. The Company recognizes interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions as a reduction of The Company operates in multiple tax jurisdictions within the United States of America and Canada Use of Estimates The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principl Reclassification Certain reclassifications have been made to prior year's consolidated condensed financial stateme NOTE 3 - PER SHARE INFORMATION: In accordance with SFAS No. 128, "Earnings Per Share", basic earnings per share of common stock (The following table sets forth the computation of basic and diluted per share information: For the Three Months Ended June 30, For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2008 2007 2008 2007 Numerator: Net income (in thousands): \$307 \$368 \$1,024 \$799 Denominator: Weighted-average shares of common stock outstanding 125,293 70,324 125,293 70,324 Dilutive effect of stock options, warrants and restricted stock 5,490 56,688 5.882 53,312 Weighted-average shares of common stock outstanding, assuming dilution 130,783 127,012 131,175 123,636 Net income per share: Basic \$0.00 \$0.01 \$0.01 \$0.01 Diluted \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.01 \$0.01

NOTE 4 - CREDIT FACILITY: On August 8, 2007, the Company entered into a Revolving Line of Credit Note and Credit Agreement On August 10, 2007, the Company borrowed \$3,609,423 to fund the purchase price payable in connect

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NOTE 5 - SEGMENT REPORTING
Business Segments
Operating segments are organized internally primarily by the type of services provided, and in ac
The Optical Purchasing Group Business segment consists of the operations of Combine, acquired in
The Franchise segment consists of 142 franchise locations as of June 30, 2008. Revenues generate
The Company Store segment consists of 8 Company-owned retail optical stores as of June 30, 2008.
The VisionCare of California ("VCC") segment consists of optometric services provided to patients
The Corporate Overhead segment consists of expenses not allocated to one of the other segments.
The Other segment includes revenues and expenses from other business activities that do not fall
Certain business segment information is as follows (in thousands):
   As of June 30,
       As of December 31,
   2008
        2007
Total Assets:
     Optical Purchasing Group Business
       $14,746 $11,682
     Franchise
        4,063 4,507
     Company Store
       1,036 1,301
    VisionCare of California
        628 568
    Corporate Overhead
        3,358 3,731
    Other
       186
            76
Total assets
      $24,017 $21,865
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For the Three MonthsEnded June 30,
For the Six MonthsEnded June 30,
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2008

2007 2008 2007

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Net Revenues:
    Optical Purchasing Group Business
      $16,367 $4,597 $30,662 $8,922
    Franchise
      1,605 1,840 3,406 3,634
    Company Store
       954 1,248 2,096 2,605
    VisionCare of California
      877 878 1,720 1,727
    Corporate Overhead
       - -
    Other
      8 - 88 -
Net revenues
      $19,811 $8,563 $37,972 $16,888
 Income (Loss) before Income Tax Benefit:
    Optical Purchasing Group Business
      $319 $95 $640 $186
    Franchise
       985 1,005 2,168 2,137
    Company Store
       (186) (175) (203) (266)
    VisionCare of California
      4 16 6 25
    Corporate Overhead
       (898) (875) (1,785) (1,666)
    Other
       (56) - (67) -
Income before income tax benefit
     $168 $66 $759 $416
Depreciation and Amortization:
    Optical Purchasing Group Business
      $77 $39 $153 $77
    Franchise
      27 20 55 42
    Company Store
       16 28 35 53
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VisionCare of California
      5 3 11 6
    Corporate Overhead
     27 20 55 42
    Other
      4 - 4 -
Total depreciation and amortization
      $156 $110 $313 $220
Interest Expense:
    Optical Purchasing Group Business
     $67 $32 $159 $87
    Franchise
      - - - -
    Company Store
      - - - -
    VisionCare of California
      - - - -
    Corporate Overhead
      13 12 27 22
    Other
     - - - -
Total interest expense
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$80 $44 $186 $109
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The following table shows certain unaudited pro forma results of the Company, assuming the Company
For the Three MonthsEnded June 30,
For the Six MonthsEnded June 30,
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2008

2007 2008 2007

Net Revenues:

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Optical Purchasing Group Business
      $16,367 $15,937 $30,662 $28,665
    Franchise
      1,605 1,840 3,406 3,634
    Company Store
       954 1,248 2,096 2,605
    VisionCare of California
      877 878 1,720 1,727
    Corporate Overhead
      - -
              - -
    Other
      8 - 88 -
Net revenues
      $19,811 $19,903 $37,972 $36,631
 Income (Loss) before Income Tax Benefit:
    Optical Purchasing Group Business
      $319 $210 $640 $485
    Franchise
      985 1,005 2,168 2,137
    Company Store
       (186) (175) (203) (266)
    VisionCare of California
      4 16 6 25
    Corporate Overhead
       (898) (875) (1,785) (1,666)
    Other
       (56) - (67) -
Income before income tax benefit
     $168 $181 $759 $715
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