## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K	_
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#### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 2, 2016

### **SABRE CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

001-36422 (Commission File Number) 20-8647322 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

3150 Sabre Drive Southlake, TX (Address of principal executive offices)

76092

(Zip Code)

(682) 605-1000 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:
□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
□ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 2, 2016, Sabre Corporation ("Sabre") issued a press release and will hold a conference call regarding its financial results for the quarter ended June 30, 2016. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this Item 2.02 of Form 8-K and the attached exhibit shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Sabre makes reference to non-GAAP financial measures in the press release. A reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP financial measures is contained in the attached press release.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number

Description

99.1 Press Release dated August 2, 2016.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Sabre Corporation

Dated: August 2, 2016 By: /s/ Richard A. Simonson

Name: Richard A. Simonson
Title: Chief Financial Officer

#### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release dated August 2, 2016.



#### Sabre Reports Second Quarter 2016 Results

- Second quarter revenue increased 19.5%
- Net income attributable to common stockholders increased 123.6% and diluted net income attributable to common stockholders per share increased 108.3%
- Adjusted EBITDA up 19.3% and Adjusted EPS up 37.0%
- Airline and Hospitality Solutions revenue increased 16.4%
- Travel Network revenue rose 20.9%, with bookings growth of 23.9%

SOUTHLAKE, Texas – August 2, 2016 – Sabre Corporation ("Sabre" or the "Company") (NASDAQ: SABR) today announced financial results for the guarter ended June 30, 2016.

"Sabre second quarter results build on our growing and consistent track record of solid execution," said Tom Klein, Sabre president and chief executive officer. "While the macro environment has offered little upside, our results demonstrate our ability to grow as we capitalize on strong demand for our Airline and Hospitality Solutions SaaS portfolio and as Travel Network continues to expand globally."

#### **Q2 2016 Financial Summary**

Sabre consolidated second quarter revenue increased 19.5% to \$845.2 million, compared to \$707.1 million for the same period last year.

Net income attributable to common stockholders totaled \$72.0 million, compared to \$32.2 million in the second quarter of 2015, an increase of 123.6%. The increase in net income attributable to common stockholders is primarily the result of strong operating income growth in both business segments and a loss on the extinguishment of debt in the year ago period. Second quarter consolidated Adjusted EBITDA was \$271.5 million, a 19.3% increase from \$227.6 million in the second quarter of 2015. The increase is the result of Adjusted EBITDA increases of 22.2% in Travel Network and 13.5% in Airline and Hospitality Solutions, respectively.

For the quarter, Sabre reported diluted net income attributable to common stockholders per share of \$0.25 per share compared to \$0.12 in the second quarter of 2015, an increase of 108.3%. Adjusted net income from continuing operations per share (Adjusted EPS) increased 37.0% to \$0.37 from \$0.27 per share in the second quarter of 2015.

Cash provided by operating activities totaled \$123.6 million, compared to \$136.2 million in the second quarter of 2015. Cash used in investing activities totaled \$95.4 million, compared to \$66.1 million in the second quarter of 2015. Cash used in financing activities totaled \$63.4 million, compared to cash provided by financing activities of \$56.5 million in the second quarter of 2015. Second quarter Free Cash Flow was \$34.5 million, compared to \$70.2 million in the year ago period. Capital expenditures totaled \$89.1 million, compared to \$66.1 million in the year ago period. Adjusted Capital Expenditures, which include capitalized implementation costs, totaled \$112.4 million, compared to \$81.3 million in the second quarter of 2015.

Financial Highlights		Three Months Ended June 30,					Six Months Ended June 30,				
(in thousands, except for EPS; unaudited):		2016		2015	% Change		2016		2015	% Change	
Total Company:											
Revenue	\$	845,242	\$	707,091	19.5	\$	1,704,785	\$	1,417,439	20.3	
Operating Income	\$	142,039	\$	122,605	15.9	\$	313,461	\$	241,597	29.7	
Net income attributable to common stockholders	\$	72,019	\$	32,207	123.6	\$	177,186	\$	239,701	(26.1)	
Diluted net income attributable to common stockholders per share	\$	0.25	\$	0.12	108.3	\$	0.63	\$	0.86	(26.7)	
Adjusted Gross Profit*	\$	373,265	\$	312,824	19.3	\$	761,461	\$	633,546	20.2	
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$	271,484	\$	227,573	19.3	\$	558,964	\$	471,159	18.6	
Adjusted Operating Income*	\$	193,163	\$	162,549	18.8	\$	406,153	\$	325,776	24.7	
Adjusted Net Income*	\$	104,047	\$	76,054	36.8	\$	218,695	\$	150,988	44.8	
Adjusted EPS*	\$	0.37	\$	0.27	37.0	\$	0.77	\$	0.54	42.6	
Cash provided by operating activities	\$	123,619	\$	136,226	(9.3)	\$	263,784	\$	267,999	(1.6)	
Cash (used in) investing activities	\$	(95,430)	\$	(66,051)	44.5	\$	(329,570)	\$	(127,815)	157.8	
Cash (used in) provided by financing activities	\$	(63,432)	\$	56,514	(212.2)	\$	(174,334)	\$	34,233	(609.3)	
Capital Expenditures	\$	89,121	\$	66,051	34.9	\$	164,593	\$	127,963	28.6	
Adjusted Capital Expenditures*	\$	112,432	\$	81,285	38.3	\$	207,861	\$	157,524	32.0	
Free Cash Flow*	\$	34,498	\$	70,175	(50.8)	\$	99,191	\$	140,036	(29.2)	
Net Debt (total debt, less cash)	\$	3,219,566	\$	2,627,358							
Net Debt / LTM Adjusted EBITDA*		3.1x		3.0x							
Airline and Hospitality Solutions:											
Revenue	\$	252,169	\$	216,632	16.4	\$	490,549	\$	421,532	16.4	
Operating Income	\$	55,390	\$	49,075	12.9	\$	102,535	\$	77,566	32.2	
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$	91,945	\$	80,985	13.5	\$	174,883	\$	152,473	14.7	
Passengers Boarded		199,788		139,265	43.5		383,180		265,439	44.4	
Travel Network:											
Revenue	\$	597,910	\$	494,515	20.9	\$	1,223,386	\$	1,002,445	22.0	
Transaction Revenue	\$	552,101	\$	427,781	29.1	\$	1,133,783	\$	875,076	29.6	
Subscriber / Other Revenue	\$	45,809	\$	66,734	(31.4)	\$	89,603	\$	127,369	(29.7)	
Operating Income	\$	217,252	\$	173,691	25.1	\$	458,796	\$	370,942	23.7	
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$	251,587	\$	205,957	22.2	\$	524,761	\$	438,044	19.8	
Total Bookings		127,794		103,129	23.9		262,681		208,563	25.9	
Air Bookings		111,902		88,442	26.5		231,768		179,865	28.9	
Non-air Bookings		15,892		14,687	8.2		30,913		28,698	7.7	
Bookings Share		36.7%		36.8%			37.1%		36.3%		

\*indicates non-GAAP financial measure; see descriptions and reconciliations below

#### **Sabre Airline and Hospitality Solutions**

Second quarter Airline and Hospitality Solutions revenue increased 16.4% to \$252.2 million compared to \$216.6 million for the same period in 2015. Contributing to the rise in revenue was a 43.5% increase in airline passengers boarded through the SabreSonic reservation solution. Passengers boarded growth was driven by a mix of new implementations and 6% organic passengers boarded growth in the existing customer base. Growth in Airline Solutions was also driven by increased revenue from the AirVision and AirCentre solutions suites. Strong Sabre Hospitality Solutions growth, both organic and acquisition-related, also contributed to the revenue increase.

Second quarter Airline and Hospitality Solutions operating income increased 12.9% to \$55.4 million from \$49.1 million in the prior year period. Second quarter Airline and Hospitality Solutions Adjusted EBITDA increased 13.5% to \$91.9 million from \$81.0 million in the prior year period. Adjusted EBITDA margin was 36.5%, compared to 37.4% for the prior year quarter.

#### Sabre Travel Network

Second quarter Travel Network revenue increased 20.9% to \$597.9 million, compared to \$494.5 million for the same period in 2015. Total bookings increased 23.9%, driven by the now wholly-owned Asia-Pacific region and incremental growth in all other regions. Excluding acquisitions, Travel Network global bookings increased 1.7% in the quarter, with 1.3% growth in North America, 3.2% growth in EMEA, and 1.5% growth in Latin America.

Second quarter Travel Network operating income increased 25.1% to \$217.3 million from \$173.7 million in the prior year period. Second quarter Travel Network Adjusted EBITDA increased 22.2% to \$251.6 million from \$206.0 million in the prior year period. Adjusted EBITDA margin was 42.1%, compared to 41.6% for the prior year quarter.

#### **Business Outlook and Financial Guidance**

On May 17, 2016, the Staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") issued additional Compliance and Disclosure Interpretations ("C&DIs") related to the use of publicly reported non-GAAP financial measures. These C&DIs are applicable to all companies with SEC reporting requirements and were effective immediately. As a result, Sabre has included the additional information below.

We are unable to provide forward guidance on a GAAP basis without unreasonable effort; however, the following information provides estimates of certain components of the non-GAAP adjustments contained in the guidance below. Full-year Adjusted Net Income guidance consists of full-year net income attributable to common stockholders less the estimated impact of income from discontinued operations, net of tax, of approximately \$10 million; net income attributable to noncontrolling interests of approximately \$5 million; acquisition-related amortization of approximately \$140 million; stock-based compensation expense of approximately \$50 million; other items (primarily consisting of litigation and restructuring costs) of approximately \$20 million; and the tax benefit of these adjustments of approximately \$80 million. Full-year Adjusted EPS guidance consists of Adjusted Net Income divided by our projected weighted-average diluted common share count for the full year of approximately 283 million.

Full-year Adjusted EBITDA guidance consists of Adjusted Net Income guidance less the impact of depreciation and amortization of property and equipment, amortization of capitalized implementation costs and amortization of upfront incentive consideration of approximately \$325 million; interest expense, net of approximately \$160 million; and provision for income taxes less tax impact of net income adjustments of approximately \$200 million.

Full-year Free Cash Flow guidance consists of full-year cash provided by operating activities of approaching \$700 million less additions to property and equipment of approximately \$325 million.

#### Full-Year 2016 Guidance

"We are pleased with our strong first-half performance," said Rick Simonson, Sabre executive vice president and chief financial officer. "We continue to expect full-year income statement measures to be within our initial guidance ranges, reflecting strong full-year growth. However, looking over the balance of the year, the macro environment has deteriorated somewhat, which will impact bookings growth in the back half of the year. As a result, we now expect full-year revenue to be toward the lower end of our guidance range, or closer to 14.5%. We expect full-year Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted Net Income and Adjusted EPS to be near the midpoint of their ranges as we manage the business to deliver against our objectives.

"As it relates to the outlook for 2016 Free Cash Flow, we have made the decision to accelerate certain investments this year to capture some attractive commercial opportunities, which will result in an increase in capital expenditures. A meaningful percentage of this investment is directly tied to strong sales activity in Travel Network that has recently resulted in a number of recent agency wins and renewals that will drive bookings and share gains over the coming years, driving an expected strong return on invested capital. As a result, we are adjusting our expectations for 2016 Free Cash Flow to approaching \$375 million."

In summary, Sabre's full-year 2016 guidance is as follows:

(\$ millions, except for EPS)	Range	Growth Rate
Revenue	\$3,390 - \$3,430	14.5% - 15.8%
Adjusted EBITDA	\$1,080 - \$1,100	14.7% - 16.8%
Adjusted Net Income	\$395 - \$415	28.2% - 34.7%
Adjusted EPS	\$1.40 - \$1.47	27.3% - 33.6%
Free Cash Flow	Approaching \$375M	

#### **Conference Call**

Sabre will conduct its second quarter 2016 investor conference call today at 9:00 a.m. ET. The live webcast and accompanying slide presentation can be accessed via the Sabre Investor Relations website at <a href="investors.sabre.com">investors.sabre.com</a>. A replay of the event will be available on the website for at least 90 days following the event.

#### **About Sabre**

Sabre Corporation is the leading technology provider to the global travel industry. Sabre's software, data, mobile and distribution solutions are used by hundreds of airlines and thousands of hotel properties to manage critical operations, including passenger and guest reservations, revenue management, flight, network and crew management. Sabre also operates a leading global travel marketplace, which processes more than US\$120 billion of global travel spend annually by connecting travel buyers and suppliers. Headquartered in Southlake, Texas, USA, Sabre serves customers in more than 160 countries around the world.

#### **Website Information**

We routinely post important information for investors on the Investor Relations section of our website, <u>investors.sabre.com</u>. We intend to use this website as a means of disclosing material, non-public information and for complying with our disclosure obligations under Regulation FD. Accordingly, investors should monitor the Investor Relations section of our website, in addition to following our press releases, SEC filings, public conference calls, presentations and webcasts. The information contained on, or that may be accessed through, our website is not incorporated by reference into, and is not a part of, this document.

#### **Supplemental Financial Information**

In conjunction with today's earnings report, a file of supplemental financial information will be available on the Investor Relations section of our website, <u>investors.sabre.com</u>.

#### **Industry Data**

This release contains industry data, forecasts and other information that we obtained from industry publications and surveys, public filings and internal company sources, and there can be no assurance as to the accuracy or completeness of the included information. Statements as to our ranking, market position, bookings share and market estimates are based on independent industry publications, government publications, third-party forecasts and management's estimates and assumptions about our markets and our internal research. We have not independently verified this third-party information nor have we ascertained the underlying economic assumptions relied upon in those sources, and we cannot assure you of the accuracy or completeness of this information.

#### **Note on Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

This press release includes unaudited non-GAAP financial measures, including Adjusted Gross Profit, Adjusted Operating Income, Adjusted Net Income, Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EPS, Adjusted Capital Expenditures, Free Cash Flow, and the ratios based on these financial measures. We present non-GAAP measures when our management believes that the additional information provides useful information about our operating performance. Non-GAAP financial measures do not have any standardized meaning and are therefore unlikely to be comparable to similar measures presented by other companies. The presentation of non-GAAP financial measures is not intended to be a substitute for, and should not be considered in isolation from, the financial measures reported in accordance with GAAP. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" below for an explanation of the non-GAAP measures and "Tabular Reconciliations for Non-GAAP Measures" below for a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP measures.

#### **Forward-looking Statements**

Certain statements herein are forward-looking statements about trends, future events, uncertainties and our plans and expectations of what may happen in the future. Any statements that are not historical or current facts are forward-looking statements. In many cases, you can identify forward-looking statements by terms such as "outlook," "guidance," "expect," "will," "estimate," "positions," "momentum," "may," "should," "would," "intend," "believe," "potential" or the negative of these terms or other comparable terminology. Forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause Sabre's actual results, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future results, performances or achievements expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. The potential risks and uncertainties include, among others, dependency on transaction volumes in the global travel industry, particularly air travel transaction volumes, adverse global and regional economic and political conditions, including, but not limited to, the approval by voters in the U.K. for that country to exit the E.U., economic uncertainty over related negotiations and economic conditions in countries or regions with traditionally high levels of exports to China or that have commodities-based economies, risks arising from global operations, exposure to pricing pressure in the Travel Network business, the implementation and effects of new or renewed agreements, the financial and business effects of acquisitions, including integration of these acquisitions, dependence on maintaining and renewing contracts with customers and other counterparties, our ability to recruit, train and retain employees, including our key executive officers and technical employees, and the effort to identify a successor to our president and chief executive officer due to his intended resignation, dependence on relationships with travel buyers, changes affecting travel supplier customers, travel suppliers' usage of alternative distribution models, and competition in the travel distribution market and solutions markets. More information about potential risks and uncertainties that could affect our business and results of operations is included in the "Risk Factors" section in our Quarterly Report on Form 10-O filed with the SEC on April 28, 2016, in the "Risk Factors" and "Forward-Looking Statements" sections in our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the SEC on February 19, 2016 and in our other filings with the SEC. Although we believe that the expectations reflected in the forward-looking statements are reasonable, we cannot guarantee future events, outlook, guidance, results, actions, levels of activity, performance or achievements. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements. Unless required by law, Sabre undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements to reflect circumstances or events after the date they are made.

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# SABRE CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (In thousands, except per share amounts) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,				
		2016		2015		2016		2015
Revenue	\$	845,242	\$	707,091	\$	1,704,785	\$	1,417,439
Cost of revenue (1) (2)		556,317		461,126		1,110,582		930,124
Selling, general and administrative (2)		146,886		123,360		280,742		245,718
Operating income		142,039		122,605		313,461		241,597
Other income (expense):								
Interest expense, net		(37,210)		(42,609)		(78,412)		(89,062)
Loss on extinguishment of debt		_		(33,235)		_		(33,235)
Joint venture equity income		763		5,307		1,526		13,826
Other, net		876		197		4,236		(4,248)
Total other expense, net		(35,571)		(70,340)		(72,650)		(112,719)
Income from continuing operations before income taxes		106,468		52,265		240,811		128,878
Provision for income taxes		31,273		19,676		72,697		46,959
Income from continuing operations		75,195		32,589		168,114		81,919
(Loss) income from discontinued operations, net of tax		(2,098)		696		11,252		159,607
Net income		73,097		33,285		179,366		241,526
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests		1,078		1,078		2,180		1,825
Net income attributable to common stockholders	\$	72,019	\$	32,207	\$	177,186	\$	239,701
Basic net income per share attributable to common stockholders:								
Income from continuing operations	\$	0.27	\$	0.12	\$	0.60	\$	0.30
(Loss) income from discontinued operations		(0.01)		_		0.04		0.59
Net income per common share	\$	0.26	\$	0.12	\$	0.64	\$	0.89
Diluted net income per share attributable to common stockholders:								
Income from continuing operations	\$	0.26	\$	0.11	\$	0.59	\$	0.29
(Loss) income from discontinued operations		(0.01)		_		0.04		0.57
Net income per common share	\$	0.25	\$	0.12	\$	0.63	\$	0.86
Weighted-average common shares outstanding:							-	
Basic		277,392		271,948		276,480		270,574
Diluted		283,001		279,101		282,648		278,082
Dividends per common share								
Dividends per common snare	\$	0.13	\$	0.09	\$	0.26	\$	0.18
(1) Includes amortization of upfront incentive consideration	\$	0.13 13,896	\$	0.09	\$	0.26	\$	0.18 22,050
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(1) Includes amortization of upfront incentive consideration								

# SABRE CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (In thousands, except share amounts) (Unaudited)

	June 30, 2016		De	ecember 31, 2015
Assets				
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	68,312	\$	321,132
Accounts receivable, net		466,691		375,789
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		94,253		81,167
Total current assets		629,256		778,088
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$851,364 and \$850,587		689,712		627,529
Investments in joint ventures		25,203		24,348
Goodwill		2,543,515		2,440,431
Acquired customer relationships, net of accumulated amortization of \$605,912 and \$561,876		438,353		416,887
Other intangible assets, net of accumulated amortization of \$504,068 and \$480,037		421,836		419,666
Deferred income taxes		90,443		44,464
Other assets, net		709,104		642,214
Total assets	\$	5,547,422	\$	5,393,627
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Liabilities and stockholders' equity				
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	141,115	\$	138,421
Accrued compensation and related benefits		74,040		99,382
Accrued subscriber incentives		219,451		185,270
Deferred revenues		193,367		165,124
Other accrued liabilities		200,569		221,976
Current portion of debt		174,048		190,315
Tax Receivable Agreement		111,678		_
Total current liabilities		1,114,268		1,000,488
Deferred income taxes		107,680		83,562
Other noncurrent liabilities		530,869		656,093
Long-term debt		3,081,919		3,169,344
Stockholders' equity				
Common Stock: \$0.01 par value; 450,000,000 authorized shares; 282,305,528 and 279,082,473 shares				
issued, 277,798,062 and 274,955,830 shares outstanding at June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015,		2,823		2 700
respectively		•		2,790
Additional paid-in capital Treasury Stock, at cost, 4,507,466 and 4,126,643 shares at June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015,		2,057,341		2,016,325
respectively		(121,130)		(110,548)
Retained deficit		(1,136,831)		(1,328,730)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(93,135)		(97,135)
Noncontrolling interest		3,618		1,438
Total stockholders' equity	-	712,686		484,140
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	5,547,422	\$	5,393,627
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# SABRE CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (In thousands) (Unaudited)

	Six Months E	Ended June 30,
	2016	2015
Operating Activities		
Net income	\$ 179,366	\$ 241,526
Adjustments to reconcile net income to cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	194,726	166,617
Amortization of upfront incentive consideration	26,233	22,050
Litigation-related credits	(25,527)	(32,557)
Stock-based compensation expense	23,099	16,124
Allowance for doubtful accounts	6,131	5,329
Deferred income taxes	59,315	36,757
Joint venture equity income	(1,526)	(13,826)
Dividends received from joint venture investments	_	28,700
Amortization of debt issuance costs	3,892	3,181
Loss on extinguishment of debt	_	33,235
Other	3,030	7,505
Income from discontinued operations	(11,252)	(159,607)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Accounts and other receivables	(83,551)	(47,647)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	(15,354)	(631)
Capitalized implementation costs	(43,268)	(29,561)
Upfront incentive consideration	(47,228)	(22,994)
Other assets	(13,639)	(43,618)
Accrued compensation and related benefits	(25,663)	(22,802)
Accounts payable and other accrued liabilities	12,963	62,039
Deferred revenue including upfront solution fees	22,037	18,179
Cash provided by operating activities	263,784	267,999
Investing Activities		
Additions to property and equipment	(164,593)	(127,963)
Acquisition, net of cash acquired	(164,977)	_
Other investing activities		148
Cash used in investing activities	(329,570)	(127,815)
Financing Activities		
Proceeds of borrowings from lenders	378,000	600,000
Payments on borrowings from lenders	(485,796)	(491,215)
Debt prepayment fees and issuance costs	_	(40,215)
Net proceeds on the settlement of equity-based awards	4,808	18,239
Cash dividends paid to common stockholders	(72,060)	(48,919)
Other financing activities	714	(3,657)
Cash (used in) provided by financing activities	(174,334)	34,233
Cash Flows from Discontinued Operations		
Cash used in operating activities	(12,407)	(26,036)
Cash provided by investing activities	<u> </u>	278,834
Cash (used in) provided by in discontinued operations	(12,407)	252,798
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(293)	(4,861)
(Decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(252,820)	422,354
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	321,132	155,679
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 68,312	\$ 578,033
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#### **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

We have included both financial measures compiled in accordance with GAAP and certain non-GAAP financial measures, including Adjusted Gross Profit, Adjusted Operating Income, Adjusted Net Income, Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted Net Income from continuing operations per share (Adjusted EPS), Adjusted Capital Expenditures, Free Cash Flow and ratios based on these financial measures.

We define Adjusted Gross Profit as operating income (loss) adjusted for selling, general and administrative expenses, amortization of upfront incentive consideration, and the cost of revenue portion of depreciation and amortization and stock-based compensation.

We define Adjusted Operating Income as operating income adjusted for joint venture equity income, acquisition-related amortization, restructuring and other costs, acquisition-related costs, litigation (reimbursements) costs, net, and stock-based compensation.

We define Adjusted Net Income as net income attributable to common stockholders adjusted for income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax, net income attributable to noncontrolling interests, acquisition-related amortization, loss on extinguishment of debt, other, net, restructuring and other costs, acquisition-related costs, litigation costs (reimbursements), net, stock-based compensation and the tax impact of net income adjustments.

We define Adjusted EBITDA as Adjusted Net Income adjusted for depreciation and amortization of property and equipment, amortization of capitalized implementation costs, amortization of upfront incentive consideration, interest expense, net, and remaining provision (benefit) for income taxes.

We define Adjusted EPS as Adjusted Net Income divided by the applicable share count.

We define Adjusted Capital Expenditures as additions to property and equipment and capitalized implementation costs.

We define Free Cash Flow as cash provided by operating activities less cash used in additions to property and equipment.

These non-GAAP financial measures are key metrics used by management and our board of directors to monitor our ongoing core operations because historical results have been significantly impacted by events that are unrelated to our core operations as a result of changes to our business and the regulatory environment. We believe that these non-GAAP financial measures are used by investors, analysts and other interested parties as measures of financial performance and to evaluate our ability to service debt obligations, fund capital expenditures and meet working capital requirements. Adjusted Capital Expenditures include cash flows used in investing activities, for property and equipment, and cash flows used in operating activities, for capitalized implementation costs. Our management uses this combined metric in making product investment decisions and determining development resource requirements. We also believe that Adjusted Gross Profit, Adjusted Operating Income, Adjusted Net Income, Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EPS and Adjusted Capital Expenditures assist investors in company-to-company and period-to-period comparisons by excluding differences caused by variations in capital structures (affecting interest expense), tax positions and the impact of depreciation and

amortization expense. In addition, amounts derived from Adjusted EBITDA are a primary component of certain covenants under our senior secured credit facilities.

Adjusted Gross Profit, Adjusted Operating Income, Adjusted Net Income, Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EPS, Adjusted Capital Expenditures, Free Cash Flow, and ratios based on these financial measures are not recognized terms under GAAP. These non-GAAP financial measures and ratios based on them have important limitations as analytical tools, and should not be viewed in isolation and do not purport to be alternatives to net income as indicators of operating performance or cash flows from operating activities as measures of liquidity. These non-GAAP financial measures and ratios based on them exclude some, but not all, items that affect net income or cash flows from operating activities and these measures may vary among companies. Our use of these measures has limitations as an analytical tool, and you should not consider them in isolation or as substitutes for analysis of our results as reported under GAAP. Some of these limitations are:

- these non-GAAP financial measures exclude certain recurring, non-cash charges such as stock-based compensation expense and amortization of acquired intangible assets;
- although depreciation and amortization are non-cash charges, the assets being depreciated and amortized may have to be replaced in the future, and Adjusted Gross Profit and Adjusted EBITDA do not reflect cash requirements for such replacements;
- Adjusted Operating Income, Adjusted Net Income and Adjusted EBITDA do not reflect changes in, or cash requirements for, our working capital needs;
- Adjusted EBITDA does not reflect the interest expense or the cash requirements necessary to service interest or principal
  payments on our indebtedness;
- Adjusted EBITDA does not reflect tax payments that may represent a reduction in cash available to us;
- Free Cash Flow removes the impact of accrual-basis accounting on asset accounts and non-debt liability accounts, and does not reflect the cash requirements necessary to service the principal payments on our indebtedness; and
- Other companies, including companies in our industry, may calculate Adjusted Gross Profit, Adjusted Operating Income, Adjusted Net Income, Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted Capital Expenditures, Adjusted EPS or Free Cash Flow differently, which reduces their usefulness as comparative measures.

### Tabular Reconciliations for Non-GAAP Measures (In thousands, except per share amounts; unaudited)

Reconciliation of Net income to Adjusted Net Income from continuing operations and Adjusted EBITDA:

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,				
		2016		2015		2016		2015
Net income attributable to common stockholders	\$	72,019	\$	32,207	\$	177,186	\$	239,701
Loss (income) from discontinued operations, net of tax		2,098		(696)		(11,252)		(159,607)
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests <sup>(1)</sup>		1,078		1,078		2,180		1,825
Income from continuing operations		75,195		32,589		168,114		81,919
Adjustments:								
Acquisition-related amortization <sup>(2a)</sup>		34,018		23,211		68,148		44,886
Loss on extinguishment of debt		_		33,235		_		33,235
Other, net (4)		(876)		(197)		(4,236)		4,248
Restructuring and other costs (5)		1,116		_		1,240		_
Acquisition-related costs <sup>(6)</sup>		516		2,053		624		3,864
Litigation costs (reimbursements), net (7)		1,901		2,043		(1,945)		5,479
Stock-based compensation		12,810		7,330		23,099		16,124
Tax impact of net income adjustments		(20,633)		(24,210)		(36,349)		(38,767)
Adjusted Net Income from continuing operations	\$	104,047	\$	76,054	\$	218,695	\$	150,988
Adjusted Net Income from continuing operations per share	\$	0.37	\$	0.27	\$	0.77	\$	0.54
Diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding		283,001		279,101		282,648		278,082
Adjusted Net Income from continuing operations	\$	104,047	\$	76,054	\$	218,695	\$	150,988
Adjustments:								
Depreciation and amortization of property and equipment <sup>(2b)</sup>		56,214		46,244		109,879		107,907
Amortization of capitalized implementation costs <sup>(2c)</sup>		8,211		7,902		16,699		15,426
Amortization of upfront incentive consideration <sup>(3)</sup>		13,896		10,878		26,233		22,050
Interest expense, net		37,210		42,609		78,412		89,062
Remaining provision for income taxes		51,906		43,886		109,046		85,726
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	271,484	\$	227,573	\$	558,964	\$	471,159

Reconciliation of Operating Income to Adjusted Operating Income:

	 Three Months Ended June 30,					Six Months Ended June 30,			
	2016		2015		2016		2015		
Operating income	\$ 142,039	\$	122,605	\$	313,461	\$	241,597		
Adjustments:									
Joint venture equity income	763		5,307		1,526		13,826		
Acquisition-related amortization <sup>(2a)</sup>	34,018		23,211		68,148		44,886		
Restructuring and other costs (5)	1,116		_		1,240		_		
Acquisition-related costs <sup>(6)</sup>	516		2,053		624		3,864		
Litigation costs (reimbursements), net <sup>(7)</sup>	1,901		2,043		(1,945)		5,479		
Stock-based compensation	12,810		7,330		23,099		16,124		
Adjusted Operating Income	\$ 193,163	\$	162,549	\$	406,153	\$	325,776		

### Reconciliation of Adjusted Capital Expenditures:

Additions to property and equipment
Capitalized implementation costs
Adjusted Capital Expenditures

Three Months	Ended	June 30,	Six Months Ended June 30,					
2016	2015		2016			2015		
\$ 89,121	\$	66,051	\$	164,593	\$	127,963		
23,311		15,234		43,268		29,561		
\$ 112,432	\$	81,285	\$	207,861	\$	157,524		

#### Reconciliation of Free Cash Flow:

Cash provided by operating activities
Cash used in investing activities
Cash used in financing activities

Cash provided by operating activities
Additions to property and equipment
Free Cash Flow

Three Months	Ended	June 30,		June 30,		
2016		2015		2016		2015
\$ 123,619	\$	136,226	\$	263,784	\$	267,999
(95,430)		(66,051)		(329,570)		(127,815)
(63,432)		56,514		(174,334)		34,233

 Three Months	Ended	June 30,	Six Months Ended June 30,					
2016		2015	2016			2015		
\$ 123,619	\$	136,226	\$	263,784	\$	267,999		
(89,121)		(66,051)		(164,593)		(127,963)		
\$ 34,498	\$	70,175		99,191		140,036		

Net Debt (total debt, less cash)

Net Debt / LTM Adjusted EBITDA

		Three Mo	nths E	nded		
	 9/30/2015	12/31/2015		3/31/2016	6/30/2016	LTM
Net income attributable to common stockholders	\$ 176,340	\$ 129,441	\$	105,167	\$ 72,019	\$ 482,967
(Income) loss from discontinued operations, net of tax	(53,892)	(100,909)		(13,350)	2,098	(166,053)
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests <sup>(1)</sup>	 676	 980		1,102	1,078	 3,836
Income from continuing operations	123,124	29,512		92,919	75,195	320,750
Adjustments:						
Acquisition-related amortization <sup>(2a)</sup>	31,384	31,851		34,130	34,018	131,383
Loss on extinguishment of debt	_	5,548		_	_	5,548
Other, net (4)	(92,568)	(3,057)		(3,360)	(876)	(99,861)
Restructuring and other costs (5)	8,888	368		124	1,116	10,496
Acquisition-related costs <sup>(6)</sup>	9,350	1,223		108	516	11,197
Litigation costs (reimbursements), net <sup>(7)</sup>	9,318	1,912		(3,846)	1,901	9,285
Stock-based compensation	7,204	6,643		10,289	12,810	36,946
Depreciation and amortization of property and equipment <sup>(2b)</sup>	49,247	56,366		53,665	56,214	215,492
Amortization of capitalized implementation costs <sup>(2c)</sup>	7,606	8,409		8,488	8,211	32,714
Amortization of upfront incentive consideration <sup>(3)</sup>	9,525	11,946		12,337	13,896	47,704
Interest expense, net	40,581	43,655		41,202	37,210	162,648
Provision for income taxes	 38,007	 34,386		41,424	31,273	 145,090
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 241,666	\$ 228,762	\$	287,480	\$ 271,484	\$ 1,029,392
Net Debt (total debt, less cash)						\$ 3,219,566
Net Debt / LTM Adjusted EBITDA						3.1

		Three Moi	nths E	inded		
	Sep. 30, 2014	Dec. 31, 2014		Mar. 31, 2015	Jun. 30, 2015	 LTM
Net income attributable to common stockholders	\$ 36,563	\$ 46,400	\$	207,494	\$ 32,207	\$ 322,664
(Income) loss from discontinued operations, net of tax	3,946	(5,734)		(158,911)	(696)	(161,395)
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests (1)	720	564		747	1,078	3,109
Income from continuing operations	 41,229	 41,230		49,330	 32,589	 164,378
Adjustments:						
Acquisition-related amortization (2a)	21,899	22,639		21,675	23,211	89,424
Loss on extinguishment of debt	_	_		_	33,235	33,235
Other, net (4)	(1,124)	63,021		4,445	(197)	66,145
Restructuring and other costs (5)	5,150	1,636		_	_	6,786
Acquisition-related costs (6)	_	_		1,811	2,053	3,864
Litigation costs (reimbursements), net (7)	4,252	2,775		3,436	2,043	12,506
Stock-based compensation	5,365	6,245		8,794	7,330	27,734
Management fees	193	_		_	_	193
Depreciation and amortization of property and equipment (2b)	38,498	37,983		61,663	46,244	184,388
Amortization of capitalized implementation costs (2c)	9,083	8,790		7,524	7,902	33,299
Amortization of upfront incentive consideration (3)	10,388	12,181		11,172	10,878	44,619
Interest expense, net	50,153	51,545		46,453	42,609	190,760
Provision for income taxes	30,456	(49,371)		27,283	19,676	28,044
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 215,542	\$ 198,674	\$	243,586	\$ 227,573	\$ 885,375
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	Three Months Ended June 30, 2016						
		Travel Network	Airline and Hospitality Solutions		Corporate		Total
Operating income (loss)	\$	217,252	\$ 55,390	\$	(130,603)	\$	142,039
Add back:							
Selling, general and administrative		32,745	16,762		97,379		146,886
Cost of revenue adjustments:							
Depreciation and amortization <sup>(2)</sup>		18,093	36,317		10,962		65,372
Amortization of upfront incentive consideration <sup>(3)</sup>		13,896	_		_		13,896
Stock-based compensation		_	_		5,072		5,072
Adjusted Gross Profit		281,986	108,469		(17,190)		373,265
Selling, general and administrative		(32,745)	(16,762)		(97,379)		(146,886)
Joint venture equity income		763	_		_		763
Selling, general and administrative adjustments:							
Depreciation and amortization <sup>(2)</sup>		1,583	238		31,250		33,071
Restructuring and other costs (5)		_	_		1,116		1,116
Acquisition-related costs <sup>(6)</sup>		_	_		516		516
Litigation costs <sup>(7)</sup>		_	_		1,901		1,901
Stock-based compensation		_	_		7,738		7,738
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	251,587	\$ 91,945	\$	(72,048)	\$	271,484

	 Travel Network	Airline and Hospitality Solutions	Corporate	Total
Operating income (loss)	\$ 173,691	\$ 49,075	\$ (100,161)	\$ 122,605
Add back:				
Selling, general and administrative	26,600	15,036	81,724	123,360
Cost of revenue adjustments:				
Depreciation and amortization <sup>(2)</sup>	14,758	31,671	6,650	53,079
Amortization of upfront incentive consideration <sup>(3)</sup>	10,878	_	_	10,878
Stock-based compensation	_	_	2,902	2,902
Adjusted Gross Profit	 225,927	95,782	(8,885)	312,824
Selling, general and administrative	(26,600)	(15,036)	(81,724)	(123,360)
Joint venture equity income	5,307	_	_	5,307
Joint venture intangible amortization <sup>(2a)</sup>	801	_	_	801
Selling, general and administrative adjustments:				
Depreciation and amortization <sup>(2)</sup>	522	239	22,716	23,477
Acquisition-related costs <sup>(6)</sup>	_	_	2,053	2,053
Litigation costs <sup>(7)</sup>	_	_	2,043	2,043
Stock-based compensation	_	_	4,428	4,428
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 205,957	\$ 80,985	\$ (59,369)	\$ 227,573

Three Months Ended June 30, 2015

Six Months	Ended June	30.	2016
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	ı	Travel Network	Н	irline and Iospitality Solutions	c	Corporate	Total
Operating income (loss)	\$	458,796	\$	102,535	\$	(247,870)	\$ 313,461
Add back:							
Selling, general and administrative		66,118		35,003		179,621	280,742
Cost of revenue adjustments:							
Depreciation and amortization <sup>(2)</sup>		35,753		71,807		24,319	131,879
Amortization of upfront incentive consideration <sup>(3)</sup>		26,233		_		_	26,233
Stock-based compensation						9,146	9,146
Adjusted Gross Profit		586,900		209,345		(34,784)	761,461
Selling, general and administrative		(66,118)		(35,003)		(179,621)	(280,742)
Joint venture equity income		1,526		_		_	1,526
Selling, general and administrative adjustments:							
Depreciation and amortization <sup>(2)</sup>		2,453		541		59,853	62,847
Restructuring and other costs (5)		_		_		1,240	1,240
Acquisition-related costs <sup>(6)</sup>		_		_		624	624
Litigation reimbursements, net <sup>(7)</sup>		_		_		(1,945)	(1,945)
Stock-based compensation						13,953	13,953
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	524,761	\$	174,883	\$	(140,680)	\$ 558,964

Six Months Ended June 30, 2015

Operating income (loss)	Travel Network	H	irline and ospitality solutions	Corporate	Total
Operating income (loss)	\$ 370,942	\$	77,566	\$ (206,911)	\$ 241,597
Add back:					
Selling, general and administrative	48,484		33,015	164,219	245,718
Cost of revenue adjustments:					
Depreciation and amortization <sup>(2)</sup>	28,570		74,400	14,776	117,746
Amortization of upfront incentive consideration <sup>(3)</sup>	22,050		_	_	22,050
Stock-based compensation	_		_	6,435	6,435
Adjusted Gross Profit	 470,046		184,981	 (21,481)	633,546
Selling, general and administrative	(48,484)		(33,015)	(164,219)	(245,718)
Joint venture equity income	13,826		_	_	13,826
Joint venture intangible amortization <sup>(2a)</sup>	1,602		_	_	1,602
Selling, general and administrative adjustments:					
Depreciation and amortization <sup>(2)</sup>	1,054		507	47,310	48,871
Acquisition-related costs <sup>(6)</sup>	_		_	3,864	3,864
Litigation costs <sup>(7)</sup>	_		_	5,479	5,479
Stock-based compensation	_		_	9,689	9,689
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 438,044	\$	152,473	\$ (119,358)	\$ 471,159

#### **Non-GAAP Footnotes**

- (1) Net Income attributable to noncontrolling interests represents an adjustment to include earnings allocated to noncontrolling interests held in (i) Sabre Travel Network Middle East of 40%, (ii) Sabre Seyahat Dagitim Sistemleri A.S. of 40%, and (iii) Abacus International Lanka Pte Ltd of 40% beginning in July 2015.
- (2) Depreciation and amortization expenses:
  - a. Acquisition-related amortization represents amortization of intangible assets from the take-private transaction in 2007 as well as intangibles associated with acquisitions since that date and amortization of the excess basis in our underlying equity in joint ventures.
  - b. Depreciation and amortization of property and equipment includes software developed for internal use.
  - c. Amortization of capitalized implementation costs represents amortization of upfront costs to implement new customer contracts under our SaaS and hosted revenue model.
- (3) Our Travel Network business at times provides upfront incentive consideration to travel agency subscribers at the inception or modification of a service contract, which are capitalized and amortized to cost of revenue over an average expected life of the service contract, generally over three to five years. Such consideration is made with the objective of increasing the number of clients or to ensure or improve customer loyalty. Such service contract terms are established such that the supplier and other fees generated over the life of the contract will exceed the cost of the incentive consideration provided upfront. Such service contracts with travel agency subscribers require that the customer commit to achieving certain economic objectives and generally have terms requiring repayment of the upfront incentive consideration if those objectives are not met.
- (4) In the first quarter of 2016, we recognized a gain of \$6 million associated with the receipt of an earn-out payment related to the sale of a business in 2013. In the third quarter of 2015, we recognized a gain of \$86 million associated with the remeasurement of our previously-held 35% investment in Abacus International Pte Ltd. In the fourth quarter of 2014, we recognized a charge of \$66 million as a result of an increase to our tax receivable agreement liability. In addition, other, net includes foreign exchange gains and losses related to the remeasurement of foreign currency denominated balances included in our consolidated balance sheets into the relevant functional currency.
- (5) Restructuring and other costs represent charges associated with business restructuring and associated changes implemented which resulted in severance benefits related to employee

terminations, integration and facility opening or closing costs and other business reorganization costs.

- (6) Acquisition-related costs represent fees and expenses incurred associated with the acquisition of the Trust Group, Abacus and Airpas Aviation.
- (7) Litigation costs (reimbursements), net represent charges and legal fee reimbursements associated with antitrust litigation.