#### **ROSETTA STONE INC**

Form 4 April 23, 2009

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* ABS PARTNERS IV LLC

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ROSETTA STONE INC [RST]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

400 E. PRATT STREET, SUITE 910 04/21/2009

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_X\_\_ 10% Owner \_X\_\_ Director \_\_ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person \_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BALTIMORE, MD 21202

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities 2 coor Disposed 6 (Instr. 3, 4 an	of (D)	red (A)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/21/2009		C	6,800,508	A	\$ 0	7,556,120	I	By limited partnership (1)
Common Stock	04/21/2009		S	2,456,502	D	\$ 16.74	5,099,618	I	By limited partnership (2) (3)

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

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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Series A-1 Preferred	<u>(4)</u>	04/21/2009		C		261,558	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,800,508

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ABS PARTNERS IV LLC 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	X	X					
ABS CAPITAL PARTNERS IV A LP 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	X	X					
ABS CAPITAL PARTNERS IV OFFSHORE LP 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	X	X					
ABS CAPITAL PARTNERS IV SPECIAL OFFSHORE LP 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	X	X					
ABS CAPITAL PARTNERS IV LP 400 E. PRATT STREET SUITE 910 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	X	X					
Signatures							

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Michael Wu, by power of	04/22/2009
attorney	04/22/2007

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beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.

- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
  - Shares of common stock upon conversion of preffered stock include (i) 6,017,752 shares by ABS Capital Partners IV, L.P., (ii) 201,474 shares by ABS Capital Partners IV-A, LP, (iii) 345,618 shares by ABS Capital Partners Offshore, LP, and (iv) 235,664 shares by ABS
- (1) Capital Partners Special Offshore, LP. ABS Partners IV, LLC is the general partner of each such entity and has voting and dispositive power over these shares. Laura Witt and Phillip Clough are managing members of ABS Partners IV, LLC and may be deemed to share voting or dispositive power over such shares. Ms. Witt and Mr. Clough disclaim beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
  - Shares sold include (i) 2,173,753 shares of common stock owned by ABS Capital Partners IV, L.P., (ii) 72,777 shares of common stock owned by ABS Capital Partners IV-A, LP., (iii) 124,845 shares of common stock owned by ABS Capital Partners IV Offshore, L.P., and (iv) 85,127 shares of common stock owned by ABS Capital Partners IV Special Offshore, L.P. ABS Partners IV, LLC is the general partner of each such entity and has voting and dispositive power over these shares. Laura Witt and Phillip Clough are managing members of ABS Partners IV, LLC and may be deemed to share voting or dispositive power over such shares. Ms. Witt and Mr. Clough disclaim
  - Shares of common stock held after sale include (i) 4,512,641 shares by ABS Capital Partners IV, LP, (ii) 151,083 shares by ABS Capital Partners IV-A, LP, (iii) 259,175 shares by ABS Capital Partners Offshore, LP, and (iv) 176,719 shares by ABS Capital Partners Special
- (3) Offshore, LP. ABS Partners IV, LLC is the general partner of each such entity and has voting and dispositive power over these shares.

  Laura Witt and Phillip Clough are managing members of ABS Partners IV, LLC and may be deemed to share voting or dispositive power over such shares. Ms. Witt and Mr. Clough disclaim beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- (4) The Series A-1 Preferred Stock automatically converted into common stock upon the closing of the initial public offering of the issuer for no additional consideration.

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