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This filing consists of a presentation to the employees of Microtune, Inc. regarding the proposed acquisition of Microtune, Inc. by Zoran Corporation.

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Important Additional Information Regarding the Merger will be filed with the SEC.

Microtune, Inc. (Microtune) plans to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) and mail to its stockholders a proxy statement in connection with the proposed merger with Maple Acquisition Corp., pursuant to

which Microtune would be acquired by Zoran Corporation (the Merger). Investors and stockholders are urged to read the proxy statement carefully when it becomes available because it will contain important information about the Merger and the parties to the merger. Investors and stockholders may obtain a free copy of the proxy statement (when available) and other documents filed by Microtune at the SEC website at http://www.sec.gov. The proxy statement and other documents also may be obtained for free at Microtune s Internet website at http://phx.corporate-ir.net/phoenix.zhtml?c=121862&p=irol-sec or from Microtune by contacting Investor Relations by telephone at 972-673-1850 or by mail at Microtune, Inc., 2201 10th Street, Plano, Texas, 75074, Attn: Investor Relations Department.

Microtune and Zoran and their respective directors, executive officers and other members of their management and employees, under SEC rules, may be deemed participants in the solicitation of proxies from its stockholders in connection with the proposed Merger. Information regarding Zoran's directors and officers is available in Zoran's proxy statement for its 2010 annual meeting of stockholders and Zoran's 2009 Annual Report on Form 10-K, which were filed with the SEC on April 29, 2010 and March 1, 2010, respectively. Information concerning the interests of Microtune s participants in the solicitation, which may, in some cases, be different than those of Microtune stockholders generally, is set forth in Microtune s proxy statement for its 2010 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 9, 2010 and available on Microtune's website at http://phx.corporate-ir.net/phoenix.zhtml?c=121862&p=irol-sec, and will be set forth in the proxy statement relating to the merger when it becomes available.

Translations

Microtune has only reviewed the English-language version of this presentation for accuracy and is not responsible for the accuracy of statements in subsequently translated versions of this document. Readers are strongly advised to review the English-language version of this presentation.

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is being acquired by Zoran in merger transaction for a purchase price of \$2.92 per share This transaction is the result of a sale process undertaken by our Board of Directors and management over the past several months We believe that Zoran is a great strategic fit and we are excited about the opportunities that the combined company offers to our employees, customers, business partners. Merged company will operate as Zoran

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Leading provider of digital solutions across digital entertainment and imaging markets

Complementary multi-market focus:

Home Entertainment: TV, STB and DVD

Imaging: Printer and Scanners

Mobile: Digital Cameras and HD Video

Recognized solutions experts: system integration, ICs, algorithms and software

Brand-leading customers: Cisco, DVN, Funai, LG, Nikon, Ricoh, Samsung, Sharp, Sony, Toshiba and others

Worldwide operations with headquarters in Sunnyvale, CA

Stable, financially strong: Approximately \$380 million in cash at the end of the second quarter Zoran products are now in more than 500 million homes and office products Who Is Zoran?

Connect Share Entertain

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The Microtune board entered into a definitive agreement to be acquired by Zoran Corporation
The process:
Microtune prepares a proxy statement to solicit

shareholder approval
Following SEC review, the proxy statement is mailed to shareholders
Subject to shareholder approval and the satisfaction of other conditions, we expect the merger to close before year end
The close date
is the day when the deal is consummated
What Are the Next-Steps?

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At close:
Zoran will buy all outstanding shares for \$2.92
All unvested stock options will accelerate and all options with an exercise price of less than \$2.92 will

be bought out for the excess of \$2.92 per share over the exercise price; all other options will be cancelled All RSUs will continue to vest and convert to Zoran RSUs based on a ratio of relative stock values at close

What Are the Next Steps, Continued?

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What Is the Transition Plan?
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benefits remain in force until January 1, 2011

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holiday schedule remains the same through 2010

Information on Zoran s

current benefit package is posted on

the Microtune

internal website

September

Dec

January

Planning Only

Close

Transition

Full

Integration

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How Does the Merger Impact Our Customers,
Partners and Suppliers Prior to Close?

Series of calls and visits are planned to inform customers,

partners and suppliers

It is business as usual

We expect minimal disruptions to our operations, customer s business and product flow

We will continue to execute on our business plan

Your action:

Continue to support customers and partners with the same high levels of quality and commitment; continue to deal with our long-term vendors as usual

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Co-founder, President, CEO and Director of Zoran Corporation

More than 25 years experience in high-tech industry across ICs, systems and software

Ph. D. in electrical engineering from Stanford University

Recognized industry thought leader and luminary

Senior Vice-President, General Manager of Home Entertainment Division

Over 20 years experience in semiconductor business, joined Zoran in 1991

B.S. in Electrical Engineering from Technion, the Israel Institute of Technology.

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Plans for the Next Few Weeks
Series of meetings over the next few weeks will help answer your questions
Departmental Q/As scheduled today and tomorrow

Levy Gerzberg and Ram Ofir will host an all-hands meetings In Plano (September 13), Ingolstadt (September 15) and Shanghai (September 17)

Series of update meetings over the next several months with

other Zoran executives

Its business as usual: our near-team goals and objectives are the

same

Please direct all inquiries to management team:

Investors or analysts: Justin Press or media: Kathleen

Customers: Rob Suppliers: Eddie