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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): July 27, 2017
SPS COMMERCE, INC.
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)


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:
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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2). Emerging growth company [ ]

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. [ ]

On July 27, 2017, we issued a press release disclosing our results of operations and financial condition for our three and six months ended June 30, 2017. In accordance with General Instruction B. 2 of Form 8-K, the information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99, shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, and shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document filed under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in that filing.

## Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

## SIGNATURE

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.

SPS COMMERCE, INC.

By: //s/ Kimberly K. Nelson
Kimberly K. Nelson
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

No. Description

## Manner of Filing

## SPS Commerce Reports Second Quarter 2017 Financial Results

Company delivers $16 \%$ recurring revenue growth over the second quarter of 2016
MINNEAPOLIS, July 27, 2017 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- SPS Commerce, Inc. (NASDAQ:SPSC), a leader in retail cloud services, today announced financial results for the second quarter ended June 30, 2017.

Revenue was $\$ 54.3$ million in the second quarter of 2017, compared to $\$ 47.4$ million in the second quarter of 2016 , reflecting $15 \%$ growth in revenue from the second quarter 2016. Recurring revenue grew $16 \%$ from the second quarter of 2016.

Net income in the second quarter of 2017 was $\$ 1.8$ million or $\$ 0.11$ per diluted share, compared to net income of $\$ 352,000$, or $\$ 0.02$ per diluted share, in the second quarter of 2016 . Non-GAAP income per diluted share was $\$ 0.23$, compared to non-GAAP income per diluted share of $\$ 0.15$ in the second quarter of 2016 . Non-GAAP income per diluted share now reflects an adjustment for the tax effects of the add-back of share-based compensation and the amortization of intangibles to non-GAAP income. Detail on retrospective tax effects on non-GAAP income for historical periods that were originally presented without this adjustment can be found on the financial data sheet posted at investors.spscommerce.com.

Adjusted EBITDA for the second quarter of 2017 increased $35 \%$ to $\$ 7.7$ million, compared to the second quarter of 2016 .
"We had a great second quarter and the increasing need for retailers and suppliers to adopt truly omnichannel strategies continues to drive our success," said Archie Black, President and CEO of SPS Commerce. "The SPS Commerce network empowers retailers and suppliers to reach the greatest number of consumers and remain competitive by enabling them to communicate and collaborate in real time to address changing consumer demands and increasingly complex omnichannel strategies. We look forward to leveraging our retail expertise and broad network to extend our market leadership."
"In the second quarter, we continued to execute on our growth strategy of expanding our network and increasing wallet share," said Kim Nelson, CFO of SPS Commerce. "As the retail industry increasingly adopts omnichannel strategies, we will continue to go after the multibillion opportunity in front of us."

## Guidance

For the third quarter of 2017, revenue is expected to be in the range of $\$ 55.8$ to $\$ 56.3$ million. Third quarter net income per diluted share is expected to be in the range of $\$ 0.05$ to $\$ 0.07$ with fully diluted weighted average shares outstanding of approximately 17.7 million shares. Non-GAAP income per diluted share is expected to be in the range of $\$ 0.18$ to $\$ 0.20$. Adjusted EBITDA is expected to be in the range of $\$ 7.4$ to $\$ 7.9$ million. Non-cash, share-based compensation expense is expected to be approximately $\$ 2.6$ million, depreciation expense is expected to be approximately $\$ 2.1$ million and amortization expense is expected to be approximately $\$ 1.2$ million.

For the full year of 2017 , revenue is expected to be in the range of $\$ 220.2$ to $\$ 221.3$ million, representing approximately $14 \%$ growth over 2016. Full year net income per diluted share is expected to be in the range of $\$ 0.40$ to $\$ 0.42$ with fully diluted weighted average shares outstanding of approximately 17.6 million shares. Non-GAAP income per diluted share is expected to be in the range of $\$ 0.86$ to $\$ 0.88$. Adjusted EBITDA is expected to be in the range of $\$ 32.0$ to $\$ 32.5$ million. Non-cash, share-based compensation expense is expected to be approximately $\$ 9.8$ million, depreciation expense is expected to be approximately $\$ 8.0$ million, and amortization expense is expected to be approximately $\$ 4.8$ million.

## Quarterly Conference Call

SPS Commerce will discuss its quarterly results today via teleconference at 3:30 p.m. CT ( $4: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. ET). To access the call, please dial (877) 312-7508, or outside the U.S. (253) 237-1184, with Conference ID \#42314283 at least five minutes prior to the 3:30 p.m. CT start time. A live webcast of the call will also be available at www.investors.spscommerce.com under the Events and Presentations menu. The replay will also be available on our website at www.investors.spscommerce.com.

## About SPS Commerce

SPS Commerce perfects the power of trading partner relationships with the industry's most broadly adopted, retail cloud services platform. As a leader in cloud-based supply chain management solutions, we provide proven integrations and comprehensive retail performance analytics to thousands of customers worldwide. SPS Commerce has achieved 66 consecutive quarters of revenue growth and is headquartered in Minneapolis. For additional information, please contact SPS Commerce at 866-245-8100 or visit www.spscommerce.com.

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## Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

To supplement its financial statements, SPS Commerce also provides investors with Adjusted EBITDA and non-GAAP income per share, which are non-GAAP financial measures. SPS Commerce believes that these non-GAAP measures provide useful information to management and investors regarding certain financial and business trends relating to its financial condition and results of operations. SPS Commerce's management uses these non-GAAP measures to compare the company's performance to that of prior periods for trend analyses and planning purposes. It uses Adjusted EBITDA for purposes of determining executive and senior management incentive compensation. These measures are also presented to the company's board of directors.

Adjusted EBITDA consists of net income adjusted for depreciation and amortization, interest expense, interest income, income tax expense, stock-based compensation expense and other adjustments as necessary for a fair presentation. SPS Commerce uses Adjusted EBITDA as a measure of operating performance because it assists the company in comparing performance on a consistent basis, as it removes from operating results the impact of the company's capital structure. SPS Commerce believes Adjusted EBITDA is useful to an investor in evaluating the company's operating performance because it is widely used to measure a company's operating performance without regard to items such as depreciation and amortization, which can vary depending upon accounting methods and the book value of assets, and to present a meaningful measure of corporate performance exclusive of the company's capital structure and the method by which assets were acquired.

Non-GAAP income per share consists of net income plus non-cash, stock-based compensation expense and amortization expense related to intangible assets divided by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding during each period. SPS Commerce believes non-GAAP income per share is useful to an investor because it is widely used to measure a company's operating performance.

These non-GAAP measures should not be considered a substitute for, or superior to, financial measures calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States. These non-GAAP financial measures exclude significant expenses and income that are required by GAAP to be recorded in the company's financial statements and are subject to inherent limitations. SPS Commerce urges investors to review the reconciliation of its non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP financial measures that are included in this press release.

## Forward-Looking Statements

This press release may contain forward-looking statements, including information about management's view of SPS Commerce's future expectations, plans and prospects, including our views regarding future execution within our business, the opportunity we see in the retail supply chain world and our performance for the third quarter and full year of 2017, within the safe harbor provisions under The Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause the results of SPS Commerce to be materially different than those expressed or implied in such statements. Certain of these risk factors and others are included in documents SPS Commerce files with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including but not limited to, SPS Commerce's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2016, as well as subsequent reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Other unknown or unpredictable factors also could have material adverse effects on SPS Commerce's future results. The forward-looking statements included in this press release are made only as of the date hereof. SPS Commerce cannot guarantee future results, levels of activity, performance or achievements. Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements. Finally, SPS Commerce expressly disclaims any intent or obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise.

SPS COMMERCE, INC.

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Unaudited; in thousands, except share amounts)

| June 30, | December <br> 31, |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | 2017 |

## ASSETS

## CURRENT ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents
Short-term marketable securities
Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of $\$ 790$ and $\$ 515$, respectively
Deferred costs
Other current assets

Total current assets

| $\$ 131,744$ | $\$ 115,877$ |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 26,896 | 23,076 |  |
| 21,545 |  | 20,746 |
| 21,917 |  | 19,224 |
| 6,955 | 7,010 |  |

209,057

| Deferred costs, non-current | 6,419 | 6,086 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Deferred income tax asset, non-current | 27,524 | 12,446 |
| Other non-current assets | 1,098 |  |
|  |  | 1,527 |
| Total assets | $\underline{\$ 333,872}$ |  |

## LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

## CURRENT LIABILITIES

| Accounts payable | 2,720 | $\$, 302$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Accrued compensation | 13,243 | 13,740 |
| Accrued expenses | 3,723 | 3,508 |
| Deferred revenue | 16,624 | 11,055 |
| Deferred rent | 1,606 | 1,556 |
|  | 37,916 | 32,161 |
| OTHER LIABILITIES | 11,050 |  |
| Deferred revenue, non-current | 3,899 |  |
| Deferred rent, non-current | 10,847 |  |
| Deferred income tax liability, non-current | $-1,977$ |  |
| Total liabilities | 54,842 |  |

## COMMITMENTS and CONTINGENCIES

## STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

Preferred stock, $\$ 0.001$ par value; $5,000,000$ shares authorized; 0 shares issued and outstanding
Common stock, $\$ 0.001$ par value; $55,000,000$ shares authorized; $17,221,798$ and $17,081,145$ shares
issued and outstanding, respectively
$17 \quad 17$

292,533 286,315

Accumulated deficit
Accumulated other comprehensive loss

Total stockholders' equity

Total liabilities and stockholders' equity

## SPS COMMERCE, INC.

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(Unaudited; in thousands, except per share amounts)

|  | Three Months Ended June 30, |  | Six Months Ended June 30, |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| Revenues | \$ 54,284 | \$ 47,351 | \$ 106,216 | \$ 92,950 |
| Cost of revenues | 18,191 | 15,972 | 35,521 | 30,853 |
| Gross profit | 36,093 | 31,379 | 70,695 | 62,097 |
| Operating expenses |  |  |  |  |
| Sales and marketing | 18,741 | 16,677 | 35,820 | 32,566 |
| Research and development | 5,369 | 5,542 | 10,474 | 10,611 |
| General and administrative | 8,139 | 7,082 | 15,966 | 14,367 |
| Amortization of intangible assets | 1,117 | 1,198 | 2,332 | 2,359 |
| Total operating expenses | 33,366 | 30,499 | 64,592 | 59,903 |
| Income from operations | 2,727 | 880 | 6,103 | 2,194 |

Other income (expense)
Interest income, net
Other income (expense), net
Total other income (expense), net
Income before income taxes
Income tax expense
Net income

|  | $\begin{gathered} 242 \\ (102) \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 151 \\ (374) \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 433 \\ (162) \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 296 \\ (81) \end{gathered}$ |
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|  | 140 |  | (223) |  | 271 |  | 215 |
|  | 2,867 |  | 657 |  | 6,374 |  | 2,409 |
|  | $(1,042)$ |  | (305) |  | $(1,578)$ |  | $(1,013)$ |
| \$ | 1,825 | \$ | 352 | \$ | 4,796 | \$ | 1,396 |

Net income per share

| Basic | $\$$ | 0.11 | $\$$ | 0.02 | $\$$ | 0.28 | $\$$ | 0.08 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Diluted | $\$$ | 0.11 | $\$$ | 0.02 | $\$$ | 0.28 | $\$$ | 0.08 |

Weighted average common shares used to compute net income per share

| Basic | 17,198 | 16,909 | 17,176 | 16,873 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Diluted | 17,378 | 17,120 | 17,384 | 17,100 |

## SPS COMMERCE, INC. <br> CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(Unaudited; in thousands)

Cash flows from operating activities

| Net income | \$ 4,796 | \$ | 1,396 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Reconciliation of net income to net cash provided by operating activities |  |  |  |
| Deferred income taxes | 1,236 |  | (439) |
| Share based earn-out liability | - |  | (72) |
| Depreciation and amortization of property and equipment | 3,431 |  | 3,259 |
| Amortization of intangible assets | 2,332 |  | 2,359 |
| Provision for doubtful accounts | 873 |  | 592 |
| Stock-based compensation | 4,486 |  | 3,992 |
| Other, net | 9 |  | - |
| Changes in assets and liabilities, net of effect of acquisition |  |  |  |
| Accounts receivable | $(1,607)$ |  | $(2,495)$ |
| Deferred costs | $(3,025)$ |  | $(2,592)$ |
| Other current and non-current assets | (3) |  | $(3,138)$ |
| Accounts payable | 195 |  | 719 |
| Accrued compensation | (546) |  | 439 |
| Accrued expenses | 206 |  | 464 |
| Deferred revenue | 5,772 |  | 4,325 |
| Deferred rent | (249) |  | (17) |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | 17,906 |  | 8,792 |
| Cash flows from investing activities |  |  |  |
| Purchases of property and equipment | $(3,334)$ |  | $(3,070)$ |
| Purchases of marketable securities | $(22,350)$ |  | $(8,499)$ |
| Maturities of marketable securities | 21,000 |  | 2,500 |
| Acquisitions of businesses and intangible assets, net of cash acquired | (500) |  | $(18,062)$ |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities | $(5,184)$ |  | $(27,131)$ |
| Cash flows from financing activities |  |  |  |
| Net proceeds from exercise of options to purchase common stock | 1,244 |  | 1,749 |
| Excess tax benefit from exercise of options to purchase common stock | - |  | 1,421 |
| Net proceeds from employee stock purchase plan | 1,011 |  | 786 |
| Net cash provided by financing activities | 2,255 |  | 3,956 |
| Effect of foreign currency exchange rate changes | 890 |  | 5 |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | 15,867 |  | $(14,378)$ |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | 115,877 |  | 121,538 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | \$ 131,744 | \$ | 107,160 |

## SPS COMMERCE, INC.

## NON-GAAP RECONCILIATION

(Unaudited; in thousands, except per share amounts)

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Three Months Ended } \\ \text { June 30, } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | Six Months Ended June 30, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2017 |  | 2016 |  |  | 2017 |  | 2016 |
| Net income | \$ | 1,825 | \$ | 352 | \$ | 4,796 | \$ | 1,396 |
| Depreciation and amortization of property and equipment |  | 1,740 |  | 1,633 |  | 3,431 |  | 3,259 |
| Amortization of intangible assets |  | 1,117 |  | 1,198 |  | 2,332 |  | 2,359 |
| Interest income, net |  | (242) |  | (151) |  | (433) |  | (296) |
| Income tax expense |  | 1,042 |  | 305 |  | 1,578 |  | 1,013 |
| Stock-based compensation expense |  | 2,186 |  | 2,065 |  | 4,486 |  | 3,992 |
| Other |  | - |  | 293 |  | - |  | (72) |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$ | 7,668 | \$ | 5,695 |  | 16,190 | \$ | $\underline{ }$ |
| Net income | \$ | 1,825 | \$ | 352 | \$ | 4,796 | \$ | 1,396 |
| Stock-based compensation expense |  | 2,186 |  | 2,065 |  | 4,486 |  | 3,992 |
| Amortization of intangible assets |  | 1,117 |  | 1,198 |  | 2,332 |  | 2,359 |
| Other |  | - |  | 293 |  | - |  | (72) |
| Income tax effects of adjustments |  | $(1,211)$ |  | $(1,272)$ |  | $(3,344)$ |  | $(2,338)$ |
| Non-GAAP income | \$ | 3,917 | \$ | 2,636 | \$ | 8,270 | \$ | 5,337 |

Shares used to compute non-GAAP income per share

| Basic | 17,198 | 16,909 | 17,176 | 16,873 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Diluted | 17,378 | 17,120 | 17,384 | 17,100 |

Non-GAAP income per share

| Basic | $\$$ | 0.23 | $\$$ | 0.16 | $\$$ | 0.48 | $\$$ | 0.32 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Diluted | $\$$ | 0.23 | $\$$ | 0.15 | $\$$ | 0.48 | $\$$ | 0.31 |

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