### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

### FORM 8-K

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 6, 2020

### Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission file number <u>1-39361</u>

<u>83-2008699</u> (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

<u>103 JFK Parkway</u> Short Hills, NJ 07078

(Address of principal executive offices)

(973)\_921-5500 Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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:

Delaware

(State of incorporation)

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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 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))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of Each Class Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value Trading Symbol DNB

Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered New York Stock Exchange

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

Emerging growth company  $\Box$ 

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. 🗆

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

On August 6, 2020, Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. ("Dun & Bradstreet") issued a press release announcing its financial results for the second quarter of 2020. Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. also posted an investor presentation regarding the second quarter 2020 financial results to its website www.dnb.com. The information in this Current Report is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

The Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. press release and presentation are attached as Exhibit 99.1 and Exhibit 99.2, respectively.

Item 901. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1	Press release announcing Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc.'s second quarter 2020 financial results
Exhibit 99.2	Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. 2020 financial results presentation
Exhibit 104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

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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 thereunto duly authorized. DUN & BRADSTREET HOLDINGS, INC.

By:

/s/ BRYAN T. HIPSHER Bryan T. Hipsher Chief Financial Officer

August 6, 2020 Date:

### **DUN & BRADSTREET REPORTS SECOND QUARTER 2020 FINANCIAL RESULTS**

Short Hills, NJ, August 6, 2020: Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (NYSE: DNB), a leading global provider of business decisioning data and analytics, today announced unaudited financial results for the second quarter ended June 30, 2020. A reconciliation of U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") to non-GAAP financial measures has been provided in this press release, including the accompanying tables. An explanation of these measures is also included below under the heading "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures."

- · Revenue of \$420.6 million, up 5.4%, and up 5.6% on a constant currency basis; which includes the net impact of lower deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments of \$35.9 million.
- Net loss of \$207.1 million, or diluted loss per share of \$0.66, and adjusted net income of \$81.6 million, or adjusted diluted earnings per share of \$0.26.
- Adjusted EBITDA of \$176.1 million, up 18.5%, and adjusted EBITDA margin of 41.9%, an increase of 470 basis points; which includes the net impact of lower deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments of \$35.9 million.
- Completed initial public offering and concurrent private placement of \$400.0 million in July, raising net proceeds of \$2.2 billion.

Dun & Bradstreet Chairman Bill Foley said, "Our recent IPO was a significant milestone for the company, and another step forward as part of our longer journey of transformation. We are excited about the opportunities that lie ahead at Dun & Bradstreet as we work to drive long-term value and sustained growth."

Dun & Bradstreet CEO Anthony Jabbour said, "Our performance for the quarter was in line with expectations and we continue to make significant progress in our transformation that ultimately supports our long-term strategic goals. Despite a challenging macro-economic environment, our core business fundamentals remained strong and we continue to be uniquely positioned to support our customers through these difficult times."

### Second Quarter 2020 Segment Results

### North America

North America revenue was \$354.3 million, a decrease of 1.8% as reported and on a constant currency basis. Finance and Risk revenue was \$193.6 million, a decrease of 3.6%, and a decrease of 3.5% on a constant currency basis driven by structural changes we made within our legacy Credibility solutions and the impact of COVID-19 on usage volumes. Sales and Marketing revenue was \$160.7 million, an increase of 0.4% as reported and on a constant currency basis. North America adjusted EBITDA was \$170.1 million, a decrease of 2.8%, with adjusted EBITDA margin of 48.0%, a decrease of 50 basis points.

#### International

International revenue was \$68.4 million, a decrease of 9.9%, and a decrease of 8.9% on a constant currency basis. Finance and Risk revenue was \$55.9 million, a decrease of 12.4%, and a decrease of 11.3% on a constant currency basis primarily driven by lower non-recurring revenues in the Worldwide Network along with the impact of COVID-19 on usage volumes. Sales and Marketing revenue was \$12.5 million, an increase of 3.5% and an increase of 3.6% on a constant currency basis. International adjusted EBITDA was \$20.2 million, a decrease of 26.7%, with adjusted EBITDA margin of 29.5%, a decrease of 670 basis points.

### Balance Sheet

As of June 30, 2020, we had cash and cash equivalents of \$99.8 million and total debt of \$4,061 million. As of June 30, 2020, we had available capacity of \$312.5 million on our revolving credit facility.

On July 6, 2020, Dun & Bradstreet completed its initial public offering at an offering price of \$22.00 per share. The Company issued 90.0 million shares, including the additional 11.7 million shares purchased by the underwriters resulting from the exercise of their overallotment option. In addition, the Company issued 18.5 million shares in connection with the \$400 million concurrent private placement which resulted in net proceeds of \$2.2 billion after deducting underwriting discounts and IPO related expenses. Dun & Bradstreet used a portion of the net proceeds to redeem all of its outstanding Series A Preferred Stock and repay \$300.0 million of its 10.250% Senior Unsecured Notes outstanding due 2027.

### **Business Outlook**

Dun & Bradstreet's full year 2020 outlook is as follows:

- Revenue is expected to be in the range of \$1,729 million to \$1,759 million. Adjusted EBITDA is expected to be in the range of \$704 million to \$724 million. Revenue and adjusted EBITDA include a (\$21) million magnet from deferred revenue purchase accounting, in both the low and high ends of the range.
- Adjusted EPS is expected to be in the range of \$0.89 to \$0.93. Adjusted EPS includes a \$(0.04) impact from deferred revenue purchase accounting, in both the low and high ends of the range.

The foregoing forward-looking statements reflect Dun & Bradstreet's expectations as of today's date and Revenue assumes constant foreign currency rates. Given the number of risk factors, uncertainties and assumptions discussed below, actual results may differ materially. Dun & Bradstreet does not intend to update its forward-looking statements until its next quarterly results announcement, other than in publicly available statements.

### Earnings Conference Call and Audio Webcast

Dun & Bradstreet will host a conference call to discuss the second quarter 2020 financial results on August 6, 2020 at 8:30 a.m. ET. The conference call can be access live over the phone by dialing 833-350-1376, or for international callers 647-689-6655. A replay will be available from 11:30 a.m. ET on August 6, 2020, through August 13, 2020, by dialing 800-585-8367, or for international callers 416-621-4642. The replay passcode will be 7189713.

The call will also be webcast live from Dun & Bradstreet's investor relations website at https://investor.dnb.com. Following the completion of the call, a recorded replay of the webcast will be available on the website.

### About Dun & Bradstreet

Dun & Bradstreet, a leading global provider of business decisioning data and analytics, enables companies around the world to improve their business performance. Dun & Bradstreet's Data Cloud fuels solutions and delivers insights that empower customers to accelerate revenue, lower cost, mitigate risk, and transform their businesses. Since 1841, companies of every size have relied on Dun & Bradstreet to help them manage risk and reveal opportunity. For more information on Dun & Bradstreet, please visit www.dnb.com.

### Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

In addition to reporting GAAP results, we evaluate performance and report our results on the non-GAAP financial measures discussed below. We believe that the presentation of these non-GAAP measures provides useful information to investors and rating agencies regarding our results, operating trends and performance between periods. These non-GAAP financial measures include adjusted revenue, adjusted earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ("adjusted EBITDA"), adjusted EBITDA margin and adjusted net income. Adjusted results are non-GAAP measures that adjust for the impact due to purchase accounting application and divestitures,

restructuring charges, equity-based compensation, acquisition and divestiture-related costs (such as costs for bankers, legal fees, due diligence, retention payments and contingent consideration adjustments) and other non-core gains and charges that are not in the normal course of our business (such as gains and losses on sales of businesses, impairment charges, effect of significant changes in tax laws and material tax and legal settlements). We exclude amortization of precognized intangible assets resulting from the application of purchase accounting because it is non-cash and not indicative of our ongoing and underlying operating performance. Recognized intangible assets arise from acquisitions, or primarily the Take-Private Transaction. We believe that recognized intangible assets by their nature are fundamentally different from other depreciating assets that are replaced on a predictable operating cycle. Unlike other depreciating assets, such as developed and purchased software licenses or property and equipment, there is no replacement cost once these recognized intangible assets are not replaced. Additionally, our costs to operate, maintain and extend the life of acquired intangible assets and purchased and unchargement believes it is important for investors to understand that such intangible assets are recorded as part of purchase accounting and contribute to revenue generation. Amortization of recognized intangible assets are not replaced uncertain cycles are on or relevance from one period to another, both after and before the effects of foreign exchange rate changes. The changes in the changes in the changes in change and exclusible to foreign currency resenue by a constant rate. As a result, we monitor our adjusted revenue growth both after and before the effects of foreign exchange rate changes. The changes in the effects of foreign exchange rate changes. We believe that these supplemental non-GAAP financial measures provide management tegularly uses our supplemental non-GAAP financial information

Our non-GAAP or adjusted financial measures reflect adjustments based on the following items, as well as the related income tax.

### Adjusted Revenue

We define adjusted revenue as revenue adjusted to include revenue for the period from January 8 to February 7, 2019 ("International lag adjustment") for the Predecessor related to the lag reporting for our International operations. On a GAAP basis, we report International results on a one-month lag, and for 2019 the Predecessor period for International is December 1, 2018 through January 7, 2019. The Successor period for International is February 8, 2019 (commencing on the closing date of the Take-Private Transaction) through November 30, 2019 for the Successor period from January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019. The International lag adjustment is to facilitate comparability of 2019 periods to 2020 periods.

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### Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Margin

We define adjusted EBITDA as net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor) excluding the following items:

- depreciation and amortization;
- interest expense and income;
- income tax benefit or provision;
- other expenses or income;
- · equity in net income of affiliates;
- net income attributable to non-controlling interests;

- dividends allocated to preferred stockholders;
- revenue and expense adjustments to include results for the period from January 8 to February 7, 2019, for the Predecessor related to the International lag adjustment (see above discussion);
- other incremental or reduced expenses from the application of purchase accounting (e.g. commission asset amortization);
- equity-based compensation;
- restructuring charges;
- merger and acquisition-related operating costs;
- transition costs primarily consisting of non-recurring incentive expenses associated with our synergy program;
- · legal reserve and costs associated with significant legal and regulatory matters; and
- asset impairment.
- We calculate adjusted EBITDA margin by dividing adjusted EBITDA by adjusted revenue.

### Adjusted Net Income

- We define adjusted net income as net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor) adjusted for the following items:
  - revenue and expense adjustments to include results for the period from January 8 to February 7, 2019, for the Predecessor related to the International lag adjustment (see above discussion);
  - incremental amortization resulting from the application of purchase accounting. We exclude amortization of recognized intangible assets resulting from the application of purchase accounting because it is non-cash and is not
    indicative of our ongoing and underlying operating performance. The Company believes that recognized intangible assets by their nature are fundamentally different from other depreciating assets, such as developed and purchased software licenses or property and equipment, there is no replacement cost once these recognized intangible assets expire and the
    assets are not replaced. Additionally, the Company's costs to operate, maintain and extend the life of acquired intangible assets and purchased intellectual property are reflected in the Company's operating costs as personnel,
    data fee, facilities, overhead and similar items;

- other incremental or reduced expenses from the application of purchase accounting (e.g. commission asset amortization);
- equity-based compensation;
- restructuring charges;
- merger and acquisition-related operating costs;
- · transition costs primarily consisting of non-recurring incentive expenses associated with our synergy program;
- legal reserve and costs associated with significant legal and regulatory matters;
- change in fair value of the make-whole derivative liability associated with the Series A Preferred Stock;
- asset impairment;
- · non-recurring pension charges, related to pension settlement charge and actuarial loss amortization eliminated as a result of the Take-Private Transaction;
- · dividends allocated to preferred stockholders;

- merger, acquisition and divestiture-related non-operating costs;
- · debt refinancing and extinguishment costs; and
- tax effect of the non-GAAP adjustments and the impact resulting from the enactment of the CARES Act.

### Adjusted Net Earnings per Diluted Share

We calculate adjusted net earnings per diluted share by dividing adjusted net income (loss) by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding for the period plus the dilutive effect of common shares potentially issuable in connection with awards outstanding under our stock incentive plan. For consistency purposes, we assume the stock split effected on June 23, 2020 at the beginning of each of the Predecessor periods.

### Forward-Looking Statements

The statements contained in this release that are not purely historical are forward-looking statements, including statements regarding expectations, hopes, intentions or strategies regarding the future. Forward-looking statements are based on Dun & Bradstreet's management's beliefs, as well as assumptions made by, and information currently available to, them. Forward-looking statements can be identified by words such as "anticipates," "intends," "plans," "seeks," "believes," "estimates," "expects" and similar references to future periods, or by the inclusion of forecasts or projections. Examples of forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements we make regarding the outlook for our future business and financial performance. Because such statements are based on expectations as to future financial and operating results and are not statements of fact, actual results may differ materially from those projected. It is not possible to predict or identify all risk factors. Consequently, the risks and uncertainties listed below should not be considered a complete discussion of all of our potential trends, risks and uncertainties. We undertake no obligation to update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

The risks and uncertainties that forward-looking statements are subject to include, but are not limited to: (i) an outbreak of disease, global or localized health pandemic, including the global economic uncertainty and measures taken in response; (ii) the short- and long-term effects of the COVID-19 global pandemic, including the global economic uncertainty and measures taken in response; (iii) the short- and long-term effects of the COVID-19 global pandemic, including the pace of recovery or any future resurgence; (iii) our ability to implement and execute our strategic plans to transform the business; (iv) our ability to develop or sell solutions in a timely manner or maintain client relationships; (v) competition for our solutions; (vii) insiks associated with operating and expanding internationally; (ix) failure to prevent cybersecurity incidents or the perception that confidential information is not secure; (x) failure in the integrity of our data or systems; (xi) system failures and personnel disruptions, which could delay the delivery of our solutions to our clients; (xiii) loss of access to data sources; (xi) dependence on strategic alliances, joint ventures and caquisitions to grow our business; (xi) our ability to protect our intellectual property adequately or cost-effectively; (xvii) claims for intellectual property infringement; (xivi) interruptions, delays or outages to subscription or payment processing platforms; (xix) risks related to acquiring and integrating businesses and divestitures of existing businesses; (xx) our ability to retain and here sectible under the headings "Risk Factors," "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations," "Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Stratements" and ther sectorised under the headings "Risk Factors," "Cautomary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Stratements" and ther sectorise and Exchange Commission.

### Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations (Unaudited) (Amounts in millions, except per share data)

	Three-M	onth Period		Six-Month Period	
		Succes	ssor		Predecessor
	Three Months Ended June 30, 2020	Three Months Ended June 30, 2019	Six Months Ended June 30, 2020	Period from January 1 to June 30, 2019	Period from January 1 to February 7, 2019
Revenue	\$ 420.6	\$ 398.9	\$ 815.9	\$ 573.0	\$ 178.7
Operating expenses	139.2	127.8	278.1	192.2	56.7
Selling and administrative expenses	143.4	126.0	269.3	339.6	122.4
Depreciation and amortization	132.6	136.8	266.9	217.3	11.1
Restructuring charge	6.8	17.4	11.3	35.9	0.1
Operating costs	422.0	408.0	825.6	785.0	190.3
Operating income (loss)	(1.4)	(9.1)	(9.7)	(212.0)	(11.6)
Interest income	0.2	0.6	0.5	1.6	0.3
Interest expense	(78.0)	(86.0)	(161.0)	(135.0)	(5.5)
Other income (expense) - net	(122.7)	8.1	(32.7)	12.3	(86.0)
Non-operating income (expense) - net	(200.5)	(77.3)	(193.2)	(121.1)	(91.2)
Income (loss) before provision (benefit) for income taxes and equity in net income of affiliates	(201.9)	(86.4)	(202.9)	(333.1)	(102.8)
Less: provision (benefit) for income taxes	(27.5)	(23.1)	(101.8)	(60.1)	(27.5)
Equity in net income of affiliates	0.6	2.8	1.2	2.9	0.5
Net income (loss)	(173.8)	(60.5)	(99.9)	(270.1)	(74.8)
Less: net (income) loss attributable to the non-controlling interest	(1.2)	(1.5)	(1.6)	(1.9)	(0.8)
Less: Dividends allocated to preferred stockholders	(32.1)	(32.0)	(64.1)	(49.9)	_
Net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor)	(207.1)	(94.0)	(165.6)	(321.9)	(75.6)
Basic earnings (loss) per share of common stock:					
Net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor)	\$ (0.66)	\$ (0.30)	\$ (0.53)	\$ (1.02)	\$ (2.04)
Diluted earnings (loss) per share of common stock:					
Net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor)	\$ (0.66)	\$ (0.30)	\$ (0.53)	\$ (1.02)	\$ (2.04)
Weighted average number of shares outstanding-basic	314.5	314.5	314.5	314.5	37.2
Weighted average number of shares outstanding-diluted	314.5	314.5	314.5	314.5	37.2

### Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (Unaudited) (Amounts in millions, except share data and per share data)

		June 30, 2020	1	December 31, 2019
Assets				
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	99.8	\$	98.6
Accounts receivable, net of allowance of \$10.1 at June 30, 2020 and \$7.3 at December 31, 2019 (Note 3)		246.2		269.3
Other receivables		7.9		10.0
Prepaid taxes		91.8		4.0
Other prepaids		36.8		31.4
Other current assets		6.5		4.6
Total current assets		489.0	_	417.9
Non-current assets				
Property, plant and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$12.0 at June 30, 2020 and \$7.5 at December 31, 2019		28.1		29.4
Computer software, net of accumulated amortization of \$85.5 at June 30, 2020 and \$52.9 at December 31, 2019		391.8		379.8
Goodwill		2,848.0		2,840.1
Deferred income tax		13.7		12.6
Other intangibles		5,022.3		5,251.4
Deferred costs		61.5		47.0
Other non-current assets		130.7		134.6
Total non-current assets		8,496.1		8,694.9
Total assis	\$	8,985.1	\$	9,112.8
	\$	0,905.1	3	9,112.0
Liabilities				
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	59.9	\$	55.0
Accrued payroll		59.8		137.9
Accrued income tax		23.2		7.8
Short-term debt		325.3		81.9
Cumulative Series A Preferred Stock redemption liability		1,067.9		-
Make-whole derivative liability		205.2		172.4
Other accrued and current liabilities		191.5		167.3
Deferred revenue		520.8		467.5
Total current liabilities		2,453.6		1,089.8
Long-term pension and postretirement benefits		185.7		206.6
Long-term debt		3,620.8		3,818.9
Liabilities for unrecognized tax benefits		17.1		16.8
Deferred income tax		1,187.8		1,233.5
Other non-current liabilities		131.1		137.7
Total liabilities		7,596.1		6,503.3
Commitments and contingencies		.,		
Cumulative Series A Preferred Stock \$0.001 par value per share,1,050,000 shares authorized and issued at June 30, 2020 and December 31, 2019; Liquidation Preference of \$1,067.9 at June 30, 2020 and December 31, 2019		_		1,031.8
Equity				
Successor Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value per share, authorized—2,000,000,000 shares; issued— 314,494,968 shares		—		-
Capital surplus		2,043.9		2,116.9
Accumulated deficit		(675.0)		(573.5)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(37.8)		(23.5)
Total stockholder equity		1,331.1		1,519.9
Non-controlling interest	-	57.9		57.8
Total equity		1,389.0		1,577.7
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Total liabilities and stockholder equity	3	8,985.1	3	9,112.8

### Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited) (Amounts in millions)

		cessor	Predecessor
	Six Months Ended June 30, 2020	Period from January 1 to June 30, 2019	Period from January 1 to February 7, 2019
Cash flows provided by (used in) operating activities:			
Net income (loss)	\$ (99.9)	\$ (270.1)	\$ (74.8)
Reconciliation of net income (loss) to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:	200.0		
Depreciation and amortization	266.9	217.3	11.1 3.8
Amortization of unrecognized pension loss (gain) Pension settlement charge	(0.2)	_	3.8 85.8
Pension settlement charge Pension settlement payments		(105.9)	85.8 (190.5)
Impairment of assets		(103.9)	(190.5)
Income tax benefit from stock-based awards			10.3
Equity-based compensation expense	28.9	59.5	11.7
Restructuring charge	11.3	35.9	0.1
Restructuring payments	(10.6)	(17.2)	(2.1)
Change in fair value of make-whole derivative liability	32.8	()	()
Changes in deferred income taxes	(43.3)	(72.0)	(33.2)
Changes in prepaid and accrued income taxes	(78.0)	(2.8)	(8.1)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:			
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable	21.9	47.8	16.3
(Increase) decrease in other current assets	(7.8)	8.5	(1.2)
Increase (decrease) in deferred revenue	59.5	78.1	20.8
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	5.1	(24.6)	37.8
Increase (decrease) in accrued liabilities	(54.2)	(94.2)	(39.7)
Increase (decrease) in other accrued and current liabilities	1.8	56.3	25.1
(Increase) decrease in other long-term assets	(14.1)	(22.6)	(96.0)
Increase (decrease) in long-term liabilities	(25.9)	(35.4)	154.6
Non-cash foreign exchange impacts	(7.4)	1.5	-
Net, other non-cash adjustments (1)	27.6	2.9	2.8
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	114.4	(134.7)	(65.4)
Cash flows provided by (used in) investing activities:			
Payments for acquisitions of businesses, net of cash acquired	(15.8)	(5,951.1)	_
Cash settlements of foreign currency contracts	0.1	0.8	-
Capital expenditures	(3.3)	(6.9)	(0.2)
Additions to computer software and other intangibles	(46.0)	(20.8)	(5.1)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(65.0)	(5,978.0)	(5.3)
Cash flows provided by (used in) financing activities:			
Proceeds from successor shareholders	_	3,101.4	_
Payments of dividends	(64.1)	(32.0)	-
Proceeds from borrowings on Predecessor's Credit Facility	_	_	167.0
Proceeds from issuance of Successor's Senior Notes	-	1,450.0	-
Proceeds from borrowings on Successor's Credit Facility	404.7	30.9	_
Proceeds from borrowings on Successor's Term Loan Facility - net of issuance discount	-	2,479.4	-
Proceeds from borrowings on Successor's Bridge Loan	_	63.0	-
Retirement of Predecessor's Senior Notes	-	(625.1)	-
Payments of borrowings on Predecessor's Credit Facility	-	-	(70.0)
Payments of borrowings on Successor's Term Loan Facilities	(6.3)	-	-
Payments of borrowings on Successor's Bridge Loan	(63.0)	(20.0)	-
Payments of borrowings on Successor's Credit Facility Payment of debt issuance costs	(317.2)	(30.9) (122.6)	
Payment of debt issuance costs Debt extinguishment costs	(0.8)	(122.6)	
Net, other	(0.8)	(3.3)	(0.1)
Net, ouner Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		6,310.8	
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(48.0)		96.9
	(0.2)	1.4	1.2
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	1.2	199.5	27.4
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	98.6	-	90.2
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$ 99.8	\$ 199.5	\$ 117.6
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:			
Cash paid for:			
Income taxes, net of refunds Interest	\$ 19.4 \$ 135.7	\$ 14.3 \$ 74.2	\$ 3.4 \$ 2.4
		\$ 74.2	

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(1) Includes non-cash adjustments for the write down of deferred debt issuance costs and discount associated with the partial redemption of the Senior Unsecured Notes.

### Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Financial Measures (Unaudited) (Amounts in millions)

### Reconciliation of Revenue to Adjusted Revenue

	 Three-Mo	nth Period				 Six-Month Period		
			5	Successor			1	Predecessor
	Months Ended ne 30, 2020		Months Ended 1e 30, 2019	Six M	onths Ended June 30, 2020	rom January 1 to ne 30, 2019		from January 1 to oruary 7, 2019
Revenue	\$ 420.6	\$	398.9	\$	815.9	\$ 573.0	\$	178.7
International lag adjustment	_		_		_	_		25.9
Adjusted revenue (a)	420.6	_	398.9		815.9	 573.0		204.6
Foreign currency impact	2.7		1.8		4.2	2.1		1.0
Adjusted revenue before the effect of foreign currency	\$ 423.3	\$	400.7	\$	820.1	\$ 575.1	\$	205.6
North America	\$ 354.3	\$	360.9	\$	695.8	\$ 542.1	s	148.2
International	68.4		76.0		139.6	91.0		56.4
Segment revenue	 422.7		436.9		835.4	633.1		204.6
Corporate and other (a)	(2.1)		(38.0)		(19.5)	(60.1)		_
Foreign currency impact	2.7		1.8		4.2	2.1		1.0
Adjusted revenue before the effect of foreign currency	\$ 423.3	\$	400.7	\$	820.1	\$ 575.1	\$	205.6
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(a) Includes deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments	\$ (2.1)	\$	(38.0)	\$	(19.5)	\$ (60.1)	\$	-

### Reconciliation of Net Income (Loss) to Adjusted EBITDA

		Three-M	onth Per	riod				Six-Month Period		
					Successor				1	Predecessor
	Three Months Ended June 30, 2020		Three Months Ended June 30, 2019		Six Months Ended June 30, 2020		Period from January 1 to June 30, 2019		Period Fel	from January 1 to oruary 7, 2019
Net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor)	s	(207.1)	\$	(94.0)	\$	(165.6)	s	(321.9)	\$	(75.6)
Depreciation and amortization		132.6		136.8		266.9		217.3		11.1
Interest expense - net		77.8		85.4		160.5		133.4		5.2
(Benefit) provision for income tax - net		(27.5)		(23.1)		(101.8)		(60.1)		(27.5)
EBITDA		(24.2)		105.1		160.0		(31.3)		(86.8)
Other income (expense) - net		122.7		(8.1)		32.7		(12.3)		86.0
Equity in net income of affiliates		(0.6)		(2.8)		(1.2)		(2.9)		(0.5)
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interest		1.2		1.5		1.6		1.9		0.8
Dividends allocated to preferred stockholders		32.1		32.0		64.1		49.9		_
International lag adjustment		_		_		—		—		2.7
Other incremental or reduced expenses from the application of purchase accounting		(4.9)		(6.4)		(9.9)		(10.5)		_
Equity-based compensation		25.1		3.7		28.9		4.2		11.7
Restructuring charges		6.8		17.4		11.3		35.9		0.1
Merger and acquisition-related operating costs		2.0		1.2		4.4		148.6		52.0
Transition costs		15.7		2.5		17.3		3.5		0.3
Legal reserve associated with significant legal and regulatory matters		_		0.1		_		(0.2)		_
Asset impairment		0.2		2.3		0.3		2.3		—
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	176.1	\$	148.5	\$	309.5	\$	189.1	\$	66.3
North America		170.1		175.1		313.9		246.6		55.3
International		20.2		27.5		43.4		30.3		20.3
Corporate and other (a)		(14.2)		(54.1)		(47.8)		(87.8)		(9.3)
Adjusted EBITDA (a)	\$	176.1	\$	148.5	\$	309.5	\$	189.1	\$	66.3
Adjusted EBITDA Margin (b)		41.9 %		37.2 %	-	37.9 %	-	33.0 %		32.4 9
(a) Including impact of deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments:										
Impact to adjusted EBITDA	\$	(2.1)	\$	(38.0)	\$	(19.5)	\$	(60.1)	\$	_
Impact to adjusted EBITDA margin		(0.3)%		(5.5)%		(1.5)%		(6.4)%		_ 9
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(b) Adjusted EBITDA margin is calculated by dividing adjusted EBITDA by adjusted revenue.

### Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. Segment Adjusted Revenue and Adjusted EBITDA (Unaudited) (Amounts in millions)

			Suco	essor		
	-		Three months en	ded June	30, 2020	
	N	orth America	International	(	Corporate and Other (a)	Total
Adjusted revenue	\$	354.3	\$ 68.4	\$	(2.1)	\$ 420.6
Total operating costs		195.3	 50.1		14.0	 259.4
Operating income (loss)		159.0	 18.3		(16.1)	 161.2
Depreciation and amortization		11.1	1.9		1.9	14.9
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	170.1	\$ 20.2	\$	(14.2)	\$ 176.1
Adjusted EBITDA margin		48.0 %	29.5 %		N/A	41.9 %

		Successor											
				Six months end	led June 3	0, 2020							
	North	America		International		Corporate and Other (a)		Total					
Adjusted revenue	\$	695.8	\$	139.6	\$	(19.5)	\$	815.9					
Total operating costs		403.7		99.8		32.1		535.6					
Operating income (loss)		292.1		39.8		(51.6)		280.3					
Depreciation and amortization		21.8		3.6		3.8		29.2					
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	313.9	\$	43.4	\$	(47.8)	\$	309.5					
Adjusted EBITDA margin		45.1 %		31.1 %		N/A		37.9 %					

				Suc	cessor					
		Three months ended June 30, 2019								
	North	n America		International		Corporate and Other (a)		Total		
Adjusted revenue	\$	360.9	\$	76.0	\$	(38.0)	\$	398.9		
Total operating costs		195.8		50.3		17.7		263.8		
Operating income (loss)		165.1		25.7		(55.7)	_	135.1		
Depreciation and amortization		10.0		1.8		1.6		13.4		
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	175.1	\$	27.5	\$	(54.1)	\$	148.5		
Adjusted EBITDA margin		48.5 %		36.2 %		N/A		37.2 %		

		Successor											
				Period from Januar	y 1 to Ju	ne 30, 2019							
	Nort	th America		International	ļ	Corporate and Other (a)		Total					
Adjusted revenue	\$	542.1	\$	91.0	\$	(60.1)	\$	573.0					
Total operating costs		310.7		63.0		30.3		404.0					
Operating income (loss)		231.4		28.0		(90.4)	_	169.0					
Depreciation and amortization		15.2		2.3		2.6		20.1					
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	246.6	\$	30.3	\$	(87.8)	\$	189.1					
Adjusted EBITDA margin		45.5 %		33.3 %		N/A		33.0 %					

				Pred	ecessor						
		Period from January 1 to February 7, 2019									
	Nor	th America		International		Corporate and Other (a)	Total				
Adjusted revenue	\$	148.2	s	56.4	\$	_	\$	204.6			
Total operating costs		98.6		37.6		10.1		146.3			
Operating income (loss)		49.6		18.8		(10.1)	-	58.3			
Depreciation and amortization		5.7		1.5		0.8		8.0			
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	55.3	\$	20.3	\$	(9.3)	\$	66.3			
Adjusted EBITDA margin		37.4 %		35.6 %		N/A		32.4 %			

(a) Includes deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments.

### Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Financial Measures (Unaudited) (Amounts in millions)

### Reconciliation of Net Income (Loss) to Adjusted Net Income (Loss)

	Three-Month Period									
				s	uccessor				Р	redecessor
		Months Ended 1e 30, 2020	Three Months Ended June 30, 2019			Months Ended 1ne 30, 2020	Period from January 1 to June 30, 2019		Period from January 1 to February 7, 2019	
Net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor)	s	(207.1)	s	(94.0)	\$	(165.6)	\$	(321.9)	\$	(75.6)
Lag adjustment		_		_		_		_		2.7
Incremental amortization of intangible assets resulting from the application of purchase accounting		117.6		123.4		237.7		197.2		3.0
Other incremental or reduced expenses from the application of purchase accounting		(4.9)		(6.4)		(9.9)		(10.5)		_
Equity-based compensation		25.1		3.7		28.9		4.2		11.7
Restructuring charges		6.8		17.4		11.3		35.9		0.1
Merger and acquisition-related operating costs		2.0		1.2		4.4		148.6		52.0
Transition costs		15.7		2.5		17.3		3.5		0.3
Legal reserve and costs associated with significant legal and regulatory matters		_		0.1		—		(0.2)		_
Change in fair value of make-whole derivative liability		102.6		-		32.8		_		_
Asset impairment		0.2		2.3		0.3		2.3		-
Non-recurring pension charges		_		-		_		0.1		89.4
Dividends allocated to preferred stockholders		32.1		32.0		64.1		49.9		_
Merger and acquisition-related non-operating costs		_		_		_		(0.8)		0.5
Debt refinancing and extinguishment costs		41.3		_		48.3		_		
Tax impact of the CARES Act		1.9		_		(53.7)		_		-
Tax effect of the non-GAAP adjustments		(51.7)		(37.5)		(85.6)		(72.4)		(38.3)
Adjusted net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor) (a)	\$	81.6	\$	44.7	\$	130.3	\$	35.9	\$	45.8
Adjusted diluted earnings (loss) per share of common stock	s	0.26	s	0.14	\$	0.41	\$	0.11	\$	0.15
Weighted average number of shares outstanding - diluted (b)		314.5		314.5		314.5		314.5		314.5
(a) Including impact of deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments:										
Pre-tax impact	\$	(2.1)	\$	(38.0)	\$	(19.5)	\$	(60.1)	\$	_
Tax impact		0.5		8.2		5.0		12.9		_
Net impact to adjusted net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor)	s	(1.6)	\$	(29.8)	\$	(14.5)	\$	(47.2)	\$	_
Net impact to adjusted diluted earnings (loss) per share of common stock	s	_	\$	(0.10)	\$	(0.05)	\$	(0.15)	\$	_

(b) For consistency purposes, we assume the stock split effected on June 23, 2020 at the beginning of each of the Predecessor periods.

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# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (GAAP)

METRICS	SECOND QUARTER 2020
Revenue	\$421 million, +5.4% (+5.6% constant currency
Net loss	\$(207) million vs. \$(94) million Q2'19
Diluted loss per share	\$(0.66)

# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (NON-GAAP)

METRICS	SECOND QUARTER 2020		
Adjusted Revenue (1)	\$421 million, +5.4% (+5.6% constant currenc		
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(2)</sup>	\$176 million, +18.5%		
Adjusted EBITDA Margin	41.9%		
Adjusted Net Income	\$82 million		
Adjusted diluted earnings per share	\$0.26		

(1) Includes the net impact of lower deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments of \$35.9 million or a 8.6% point impact.

(2) Includes the net impact of lower deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments of \$35.9 million or a 23.0% point impact.

# **NORTH AMERICA**

**REVENUE (\$ IN MILLIONS)** 



(1) BFX represents the growth rate before the impact of foreign exchange

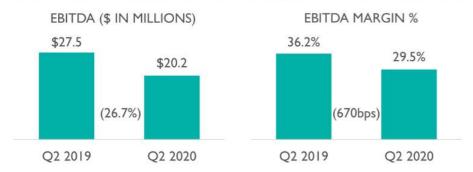
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## SECOND QUARTER HIGHLIGH

- Finance & Risk revenue decli 3.5% primarily due to known headwinds: Structural change within legacy Credibility solu and lower usage volume from COVID-19; partially offset by growth in subscription-based revenues
- Sales & Marketing revenue gr of 0.4%
- EBITDA margin of 48.0%

## INTERNATIONAL

**REVENUE (\$ IN MILLIONS)** BFX | AFX \$76.0 (9.9%) (8.9%) \$68.4 \$12.1 +3.5% +3.6% Sales & \$12.5 Marketing Finance \$63.9 (12.4%) (11.3%) \$55.9 & Risk Q2 2019 Q2 2020



(1) BFX represents the growth rate before the impact of foreign exchange

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## SECOND QUARTER HIGHLIGH

- Finance & Risk revenue decli I I.3% primarily due to know headwinds in the Worldwide Network (WWN) and lowe usage volumes from COVID
- Sales & Marketing revenue growth of 3.6% primarily due increased product royalties f WWN
- EBITDA margin of 29.5% dee primarily due to lower reven

## **DEBT SUMMARY**

(\$ IN MILLIONS)	JUNE 30, 2020	MATURITY	INTEREST RAT
Cash	\$99.8		
New Revolving Facility (\$400.0)	\$87.5	2024	LIBOR + 350 bps
New Term Loan Facility <sup>(1)</sup>	\$2,523.7	2026	LIBOR + 400 bps
New Senior Secured Notes <sup>(1)</sup>	\$700.0	2026	6.875%
New Senior Unsecured Notes <sup>(1)</sup>	\$750.0	2027	10.250%
Total debt <sup>(1)</sup>	\$4,061.2		
Net debt <sup>(1)</sup>	\$3,961.4		

(1) Represents principal amount

## FULL YEAR 2020 FINANCIAL GUIDANCE

FINANCIAL METRICS	GUIDANCE
Revenue (on a constant currency basis)	\$1,729 million to \$1,759 million
Adjusted EBITDA	\$704 million to \$724 million
2020 FY Impact of Deferred Revenue Purchase Accounting	(\$21) million in both low and high end of ran
Adjusted diluted earnings per share	\$0.89 to \$0.93
2020 FY Impact of Deferred Revenue Purchase Accounting	\$(0.04) in both low and high end of range

### Full year 2020 guidance is based upon the following estimates and assumptions:

- Interest expense of approximately \$265 million
- Depreciation and amortization expense of approximately \$60 million (excluding incremental depreciation and amortization expense resulting from purchase accounting)
- Weighted average shares outstanding of 367 million
- Effective tax rate of approximately 24%
- Capex of approximately \$120 million

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# APPENDIX

## **NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES**

In addition to reporting GAAP results, we evaluate performance and report our results on the non-GAAP financial measures discussed below. We believe that the presentation of these non-GAAP measures provides useful information investors and rating agencies regarding our results, operating trends and performance between periods. These non-GAAP financial measures include adjusted revenue, adjusted earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amor ("adjusted EBITDA"), adjusted EBITDA margin and adjusted net income. Adjusted results are non-GAAP measures that adjust for the impact due to purchase accounting application and divestitures, restructuring charges, equity-bas compensation, acquisition and divestiture-related costs (such as costs for bankers, legal fees, due diligence, retention payments and contingent consideration adjustments) and other non-core gains and charges that are not in the no our business (such as gains and losses on sales of businesses, impairment charges, effect of significant changes in tax laws and material tax and legal settlements). We exclude amortization of recognized intangible assets resulting froi application of purchase accounting because it is non-cash and not indicative of our ongoing and underlying operating performance. Recognized intangible assets arise from acquisitions, or primarily the Take-Private Transaction. We recognized intangible assets by their nature are fundamentally different from other depreciating assets that are replaced on a predictable operating cycle. Unlike other depreciating assets, such as developed and purchased software property and equipment, there is no replacement cost once these recognized intangible assets expire and the assets are not replaced. Additionally, our costs to operate, maintain and extend the life of acquired intangible assets and intellectual property are reflected in our operating costs as personnel, data fee, facilities, overhead and similar items. Management believes it is important for investors to understand that such intangible assets were recorded as par accounting and contribute to revenue generation. Amortization of recognized intangible assets will recur in future periods until such assets have been fully amortized. In addition, we isolate the effects of changes in foreign exchange revenue growth because we believe it is useful for investors to be able to compare revenue from one period to another, both after and before the effects of foreign exchange rate changes. The change in revenue performance attrib foreign currency rates is determined by converting both our prior and current periods' foreign currency revenue by a constant rate. As a result, we monitor our adjusted revenue growth both after and before the effects of foreign changes. We believe that these supplemental non-GAAP financial measures provide management and other users with additional meaningful financial information that should be considered when assessing our ongoing performance is comparability of our operating results from period to period. Our management regularly uses our supplemental non-GAAP financial measures internally to understand, manage and evaluate our business and make operating decisior GAAP measures are among the factors management uses in planning for and forecasting future periods. Non-GAAP financial measures should be viewed in addition to, and not as an alternative to our reported results prepared in a with GAAP

Our non-GAAP or adjusted financial measures reflect adjustments based on the following items, as well as the related income tax.

#### Adjusted Revenue

We define adjusted revenue as revenue adjusted to include revenue for the period from January 8 to February 7, 2019 ("International lag adjustment") for the Predecessor related to the lag reporting for our International operation basis, we report International results on a one-month lag, and for 2019 the Predecessor period for International is December 1, 2018 through January 7, 2019. The Successor period for International is February 8, 2019 (commencir closing date of the Take-Private Transaction) through November 30, 2019 for the Successor period form January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019. The International lag adjustment is to facilitate comparability of 2019 periods to 2020

### Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Margin

We define adjusted EBITDA as net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor) excluding the following items:

- depreciation and amortization;
- interest expense and income; income tax benefit or provision;
- other expenses or income
- equity in net income of affiliates;
- net income attributable to non-controlling interests:
- dividends allocated to preferred stockholders;
- revenue and expense adjustments to include results for the period from January 8 to February 7, 2019, for the Predecessor related to the International lag adjustment (see above discussion):
- other incremental or reduced expenses from the application of purchase accounting (e.g. commission asset amortization)
- equity-based compensation;
- restructuring charges;
- merger and acquisition-related operating costs;
- transition costs primarily consisting of non-recurring incentive expenses associated with our synergy program; legal reserve and costs associated with significant legal and regulatory matters; and asset impairment.

We calculate adjusted EBITDA margin by dividing adjusted EBITDA by adjusted revenue

## **NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES (CONTINUED)**

### Adjusted Net Income

We define adjusted net income as net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (Successor) / The Dun & Bradstreet Corporation (Predecessor) adjusted for the following items:

- revenue and expense adjustments to include results for the period from January 8 to February 7, 2019, for the Predecessor related to the International lag adjustment (see above discussion); incremental amortization resulting from the application of purchase accounting. We exclude amortization of recognized intangible assets resulting from the application of purchase accounting because it is cash and is not indicative of our ongoing and underlying operating performance. The Company believes that recognized intangible assets by their nature are fundamentally different from other depreciating that are replaced on a predictable operating cycle. Unlike other depreciating assets, such as developed and purchased software licenses or property and equipment, there is no replacement cost once the recognized intangible assets expire and the assets are not replaced. Additionally, the Company's costs to operate, maintain and extend the life of acquired intangible assets and purchased intellectual prop are reflected in the Company's operating costs as personnel, data fee, facilities, overhead and similar items;
- other incremental or reduced expenses from the application of purchase accounting (e.g. commission asset amortization);
- equity-based compensation; .
- restructuring charges;
- merger and acquisition-related operating costs;
- transition costs primarily consisting of non-recurring incentive expenses associated with our synergy program;
- legal reserve and costs associated with significant legal and regulatory matters; change in fair value of the make-whole derivative liability associated with the Series A Preferred Stock;
- asset impairment;
- non-recurring pension charges, related to pension settlement charge and actuarial loss amortization eliminated as a result of the Take-Private Transaction;
- dividends allocated to preferred stockholders; .
- merger, acquisition and divestiture-related non-operating costs; 12 debt refinancing and extinguishment costs; and
- tax effect of the non-GAAP adjustments and the impact resulting from the enactment of the CARES Act.

Adjusted Net Earnings per Diluted Share We calculate adjusted net earnings per diluted share by dividing adjusted net income (loss) by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding for the period plus the dilutive effect of common shares potentia issuable in connection with awards outstanding under our stock incentive plan. For consistency purposes, we assume the stock split effected on June 23, 2020 at the beginning of each of the Predecessor periods.

# **NON-GAAP RECONCILIATION: ADJUSTED REVENI**

	THREE MONTHS	ENDED JUNE 30	
(\$ IN MILLIONS)	2020	2019	
Revenue	\$420.6	\$398.9	
International lag adjustment	-	-	
Adjusted Revenue	\$420.6	\$398.9	
Foreign currency impact	2.7	1.8	
Adjusted revenue before the effect of foreign currency	\$423.3	\$400.7	

# NON-GAAP RECONCILIATION: ADJUSTED EBITDA

(\$ IN MILLIONS)	THREE MONTHS	THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30	
	2020	2019	
Net income (loss)	\$(207.1)	\$(94.0)	
Depreciation and amortization	132.6	136.8	
Interest expense - net	77.8	85.4	
(Benefit) provision for income tax - net	(27.5)	(23.1)	
EBITDA	(24.2)	105.1	
Other income (expense) - net	122.7	(8.1)	
Equity in net income of affiliates	(0.6)	(2.8)	
Net income (loss) attributable to the non-controlling interest	1.2	1.5	
Dividends allocated to preferred stockholders	32.1	32.0	
Other incremental or reduced expenses from the application of purchase accounting	(4.9)	(6.4)	
Equity-based compensation	25.1	3.7	
Restructuring charges	6.8	17.4	
Merger and acquisition-related operating costs	2.0	1.2	
Transition costs	15.7	2.5	
Legal reserve associated with significant legal and regulatory matters	-	0.1	
Asset impairment	0.2	2.3	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$176.1	\$148.5	
Adjusted EBITDA Margin (%)	41.9%	37.2%	

## NON-GAAP RECONCILIATION: ADJUSTED NET INC(

(\$ IN MILLIONS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)	THREE MONTHS	THREE MONTHS ENDED JUN	
	2020	20	
Net income (loss)	\$(207.1)	\$(94	
Incremental amortization of intangible assets resulting from the application of purchase accounting	117.6	123	
Other incremental or reduced expenses from the application of purchase accounting	(4.9)	(6.4	
Equity-based compensation	25.1	3.7	
Restructuring charges	6.8	17.	
Merger and acquisition-related operating costs	2.0	1.2	
Transition costs	15.7	2.5	
Legal reserve and costs associated with significant legal and regulatory matters		0.1	
Change in fair value of make-whole derivative liability associated with the Series A Preferred Stock	102.6	-	
Asset impairment	0.2	2.3	
Dividends allocated to preferred stockholders	32.1	32.	
Debt extinguishment / refinancing costs	41.3	-	
Tax impact of the CARES Act	1.9	-	
Tax effect of the non-GAAP adjustments	(51.7)	(37.	
Adjusted net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. (a)	\$81.6	\$44	
Adjusted diluted earnings (loss) per share of common stock	\$0.26	\$0.	
Weighted average number of shares outstanding – diluted	314.5	314	
) Including impact of deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments:			
Pre-tax impact	\$(2.1)	\$(38	
Tax impact	0.5	8.2	
Net impact to adj. net income (loss) attrib. to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc.	\$(1.6)	\$(29	