NET 1 UEPS TECHNOLOGIES INC Form S-8 November 05, 2010

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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

# FORM S-8

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

# NET 1 UEPS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Florida** 

98-0171860

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

President Place, 4th Floor Cnr. Jan Smuts Avenue and Bolton Road Rosebank, Johannesburg, South Africa

N.A.

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

AMENDED AND RESTATED STOCK INCENTIVE PLAN OF NET 1 UEPS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(formerly Amended and Restated 2004 Stock Incentive Plan of Net 1 UEPS Technologies, Inc.) (Full title of plans)

(Name, address and telephone

(Copy to:)

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one)

Large accelerated filer [x] Accelerated filer []

Non-accelerated filer [] Smaller reporting company [

(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

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### **CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE**

Title of Securities to be Registered	Amount to be Registered (1)	Proposed Maximum Offering Price Per Share	Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price	Amount of Registration Fee	
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	2,800,000 (2)	\$12.24(3)	\$34,272,000	\$2,444(3)	

- (1) An aggregate of 8,552,580 shares of Common Stock may be offered or issued pursuant to the Amended and Restated Stock Incentive Plan (the Plan ), of which 2,906,980 shares were previously registered on Form S-8 (File No. 333-126958), 2,845,600 shares were previously registered on Form S-8 (File No. 333-140042), and 2,800,000 shares are registered on this Registration Statement. In addition, pursuant to Rule 416 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Registration Statement also covers an indeterminate number of shares of Common Stock that may be offered or issued by reason of stock splits, stock dividends or similar transactions.
- (2) Represents the unallocated shares of Common Stock that may be offered and sold from time to time by the Registrant in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Plan.
- (3) Estimated solely for purposes of calculating the registration fee pursuant to Rule 457(c) and (h) under the Securities Act based on the average of the high and low prices of the shares of the Common Stock, as reported on the Nasdaq Global Select Market on November 3, 2010.

#### INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

In accordance with General Instruction E to Form S-8, the contents of the Registration Statements on Form S-8 filed by Net 1 UEPS Technologies, Inc. (the Registrant ) with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission ) (File Nos. 333-126958 and 333-140042) are hereby incorporated by reference.

All documents filed by the Registrant pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, subsequent to the date of this Registration Statement and prior to the filing of a post-effective amendment that indicates that all securities offered have been sold or that deregisters all securities remaining unsold, shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference into this Registration Statement and to be a part hereof from the date of filing of such documents.

Any statement contained in a document incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference herein shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this Registration Statement to the extent that a statement contained herein or in any other subsequently filed document which also is or is deemed to be incorporated by reference herein modifies or supersedes such statement. Any such statement so modified or superseded shall not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this Registration Statement.

#### **EXHIBITS**

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# NUMBER DESCRIPTION

- 4.1 Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of the Registrant (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Registrant s Form 8-K filed on December 1, 2008).
- 4.2 Amended and Restated By-Laws of the Registrant (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to the Registrant s Form 8-K filed on November 5, 2009).
- 5.1 Opinion of DLA Piper LLP (US).
- 23.1 Consent of Deloitte & Touche (South Africa).
- 23.2 Consent of DLA Piper LLP (US) (contained in Exhibit 5.1 to this Registration Statement).
- 24.1 Power of Attorney.
- Amended and Restated Stock Incentive Plan of the Registrant (incorporated by reference to Exhibit A to the Registrant s Proxy Statement filed on October 28, 2009).

### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized in Johannesburg, Republic of South Africa on November 5, 2010.

NET 1 UEPS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ Dr. Serge C.P. Belamant

Name: Dr. Serge C.P. Belamant Title: Chief Executive Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

/s/ Dr. Serge C.P. Belamant Chief Executive Officer, Chairman November 5, 2010

Dr. Serge C.P. Belamant of the Board and Director (principal executive officer)

<u>/s/ Herman G. Kotzé</u> Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer, November 5, 2010

Herman G. Kotzé Secretary and Director

(principal financial officer and principal accounting officer)

All of the members of the Board of Directors:

Dr. Serge C.P. Belamant, Herman G. Kotzé, Antony C. Ball, Paul Edwards, Alasdair J.K. Pein, Christopher S. Seabrooke and Tom C. Tinsley

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/s/ Dr. Serge C.P. Belamant For himself and as Attorney-in-Fact November 5, 2010 Dr. Serge C.P. Belamant

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