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#### FORM 10-Q

[X] Quarterly Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2009

or

[ ] Transition Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Commission file No. 000-50875

XELR8 HOLDINGS, INC.

(Exact name of small business issuer as specified in its charter)

Nevada (State of incorporation)

84-1575085

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

480 South Holly Street
Denver, CO 80246
(Address of principal executive offices)

(303)-316-8577 (Issuer's telephone number)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the proceeding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

YES x NO o

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 o Accelerated filer o

Non-accelerated filer o Smaller reporting company x

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the	e Exchange A	ct).
	YES o	NO x
As of August 12, 2009 the Company had 15,697,170 shares of its \$.001 par value common stock outstanding.	c issued and	

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# PART I FINANCIAL INFORMATION

#### ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# XELR8 HOLDINGS, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Unaudited)

	June 30, 2009	December 31, 2008*	
ASSETS			
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 747,620	\$	1,576,510
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of\$3,097			
and \$3,071, respectively	3,053		6,825
Inventory, net of allowance for obsolescence of \$117,490 and \$116,095,			
respectively	193,560		176,236
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	364,800		509,377
Total current assets	1,309,033		2,268,948
Intangible assets, net	30,471		21,411
Property and equipment, net	88,606		35,832
Total assets	\$ 1,428,110	\$	2,326,191
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (DEFICIT)			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 616,510		643,426
Return reserve	134,836		134,836
Accrued payroll and benefits	111,137		71,193
Other accrued expenses	15,768		104,662
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Total Liabilities	878,251		954,117
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SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (DEFICIT) (Note 2):			
Preferred stock, authorized 5,000,000 shares, \$.001par value, none			
issued or outstanding	_		_
Common stock, authorized 50,000,000 shares, \$.001 par			
value, 15,697,170 shares issued and outstanding	15,697		15,697
Additional paid in capital	24,057,722		23,958,422
Accumulated (deficit)	(23,523,560	)	(22,602,045)
Total shareholders' equity (deficit)	549,859		1,372,074
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Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$ 1,428,110	\$	2,326,191

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

<sup>\*</sup> Derived from audited Financial Statements

# XELR8 HOLDINGS, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited) Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2009 and 2008

	Montl	ne Three ns Ended	Mont	the Six hs Ended
	June 30, 2009	June 30, 2008	June 30, 2009	June 30, 2008
Net sales	\$1,733,282	\$2,276,415	\$3,049,705	\$3,854,199
Cost of goods sold	415,765	523,482	751,469	883,060
Gross profit	1,317,517	1,752,933	2,298,236	2,971,139
Operating expenses:				
Selling and marketing expenses	1,022,517	1,614,161	2,024,058	2,704,953
General and administrative expenses	569,735	752,173	1,180,703	1,621,058
Research and development expenses	98	2,087	422	2,512
Depreciation and amortization	9,800	11,844	19,600	23,687
Total operating expenses	1,602,150	2,380,265	3,224,783	4,352,210
Net (loss) from operations	(284,633	) (627,332	) (926,547	) (1,381,071)
Other income (expense)				
Interest income	1,310	14,358	5,032	33,636
Other expenses	-	-	-	(13,770)
(Loss) on disposal of asset	-	-	-	(1,130 )
Total other income (expense)	1,310	14,358	5,032	18,736
Net (loss)	\$(283,323	) \$(612,974	) \$(921,515	) \$(1,362,335)
Net (loss) per common share				
Basic and diluted net (loss) per share	\$(0.02	) \$(0.04	) \$(0.06	) \$(0.09 )
Weighted average common shares				
outstanding, basic and diluted	15,697,170	15,697,170	15,697,170	15,515,851

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# XELR8 HOLDINGS, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Unaudited) Six Months Ended June 30, 2009 and 2008

Cash flows from operating activities:		For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2009		For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2008	
Net income (loss)	\$	(921,515	) \$	(1,362,335	)
Adjustments to reconcile	Ψ	()21,313	γΨ	(1,502,555	,
Depreciation and amortization		19,600		23,687	
Loss on disposal of asset		-		1,130	
Stock and stock options issued for services		99,300		566,856	
Expense related to anti-dilution of warrants		-		13,770	
Change in allowance for doubtful accounts		26		(2,101	)
Change in allowance for inventory obsolescence		1,395			)
Change in allowance for product returns		_		26,147	
Changes in assets and liabilities:				·	
Accounts receivable		3,746		7,171	
Inventory		(18,719	)	56,512	
Other current assets		144,577		(169,157	)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		(75,866	)	425,079	
Net cash (used) by operating activities		(747,456	)	(421,388	)
Cash flows from investing activities:					
Capital expenditures		(81,434	)	-	
Net cash (used) by investing activities		(81,434	)	-	
Cash flows from financing activities:					
Offering costs		-		(60,797	)
Issuance of common stock		-		500,000	
Net cash provided from financing activities		-		439,203	
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH		(828,890	)	17,815	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF THE					
PERIOD		1,576,510		2,245,858	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF THE PERIOD	\$	747,620	\$	2,263,673	
SUPPLEMENTAL CASH FLOW DISCLOSURES					
Cash paid for interest	\$	-	\$	13,425	
Stock issued for satisfaction of accrued compensation expense	\$	-	\$	540,000	
Deferred offering costs applied against proceeds from offering	\$	-	\$	25,000	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

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# XELR8 HOLDINGS, INC. NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### NOTE 1. ORGANIZATION, OPERATIONS AND BASIS OF PRESENTATION

#### **Organization and Business**

The consolidated financial statements include those of XELR8 Holdings, Inc., (XELR) (formerly Vitacube Systems Holdings, Inc.) and its wholly owned subsidiaries, VitaCube Systems, Inc., XELR8, Inc. (formerly VitaCube Network, Inc.), XELR8 International, Inc. and XELR8 Canada, Corp. Collectively, they are referred to herein as the "the Company."

The Company is in the business of selling, marketing and distributing a liquid dietary supplement, Bazi, as well as nutritional supplement products and functional foods. In addition to Bazi, which is the Company's principal product, generating over 92% of our revenues in the quarter ending June 30, 2009, our product lines consist of a sports hydration drink, a protein shake, a sports energy drink, a meal replacement drink, and a full product line of vitamins and minerals in the form of tablets, softgels or capsules, all of which are manufactured using our proprietary product formulations.

The Company sells and markets the products through a direct selling channel, in which independent distributors sell our products through a network of customers and other distributors. These activities are conducted through XELR8, Inc., a wholly owned Colorado corporation, formed on July 9, 2003. In addition, we sell our products directly to professional and Olympic athletes and professional sports teams through VitaCube Systems, Inc. To date there have been no activities in XELR8 International, Inc. and XELR8 Canada, Corp.

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The condensed interim financial statements included herein have been prepared by the Company, without audit, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles have been condensed or omitted pursuant to such rules and regulations, although the Company believes that the disclosures made are adequate to make the information presented not misleading. The condensed interim financial statements and notes thereto should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and the notes thereto, included in the Company's Annual Report to the Securities and Exchange Commission for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008, filed on Form 10-K on March 31, 2009.

The accompanying condensed interim financial statements have been prepared, in all material respects, in conformity with the standards of accounting measurements set forth in Accounting Principles Board Opinion No. 28 and reflect, in the opinion of management, all adjustments necessary to summarize fairly the financial position and results of operations for such periods in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. All adjustments are of a normal recurring nature. The results of operations for the most recent interim period are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the full year.

#### Principles of Consolidation

The accompanying financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries VitaCube Systems, Inc., XELR8, Inc., XELR8 International, Inc. and XELR8 Canada, Corp. All inter-company accounts and transactions have been eliminated in the preparation of these consolidated statements.

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#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Management believes that the estimates utilized in the preparation of financial statements are prudent and reasonable. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

#### Revenue Recognition

The Company ships its products by common carrier and receives payment in the form of cash, credit card or approved credit terms. In May 2004, the Company revised its product return policy to provide a 60-day money back guarantee on orders placed by first-time customers and distributors. After 60 days and for all subsequent orders placed by customers and distributors, the Company allows resalable products to be returned within 12 months of the purchase date for a 100% sales price refund, subject to a 10% restocking fee. Since August 2003, the Company has experienced monthly returns ranging from 0.7% to 8.9% of net sales. Sales revenue and estimated returns are recorded when the merchandise is shipped since performance by the Company is considered met when products are in the hands of the common carrier. Amounts received for unshipped merchandise are recorded as customer deposits and are included in accrued liabilities.

#### Inventory

Inventory is stated at the lower of cost or market on a FIFO (first-in first-out) basis. Provision is made to reduce excess or obsolete inventory to the estimated net realizable value. The Company purchases for resale a liquid nutrition drink, a sports hydration drink, a sports energy drink, a protein shake and other vitamins and nutritional supplements, which it packages in various forms and containers.

#### Inventory is comprised of the following:

	June	2 30,	Dec	ember 31,	
	2009	9	2008	3	
Raw materials	\$	63,232	\$	71,930	
Finished goods		247,818		220,401	
Provision for obsolete inventory		(117,490	)	(116,095	)
	\$	193,560	\$	176,236	

A summary of the reserve for obsolete and excess inventory is as follows:

	June 30,		December 31,			
	200	8	200	7		
Balance as of January 1	\$	116,095	\$	189,403		
Addition to provision		1,395		22,610		
Write-off of obsolete inventory		-		(95,918	)	
	\$	117,490	\$	116,095		

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#### **Income Taxes**

The Company accounts for income taxes in accordance with Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes" ("SFAS 109"). Under the asset and liability method of SFAS 109, deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the estimated future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax basis. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates in effect for the year in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled.

In June 2006, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Interpretation No. 48, "Accounting for Uncertainties in Income Taxes, an interpretation of SFAS No. 109, Accounting for Income Taxes" ("FIN 48"). FIN 48 prescribes a comprehensive model for how companies should recognize, measure, present, and disclose in their financial statements uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken on a tax return. Under FIN 48, tax positions must initially be recognized in the financial statements when it is more likely than not the position will be sustained upon examination by the tax authorities. Such tax positions must initially and subsequently be measured as the largest amount of tax benefit that has a greater than 50% likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the tax authority assuming full knowledge of the position and relevant facts. FIN 48 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2006.

FIN 48 became effective for the Company on January 1, 2007. The cumulative effect of adopting FIN 48 on January 1, 2007 has been recorded net in deferred tax assets, which resulted in no FIN 48 liability on the balance sheet. The total amount of unrecognized tax benefits as of the date of adoption was zero. There are open statutes of limitations for taxing authorities in federal and state jurisdictions to audit the Company's tax returns from 2006 through the current period. The Company's policy is to account for income tax related interest and penalties in income tax expense in the statement of operations. There have been no income tax related interest or penalties assessed or recorded. Because the Company has provided a full valuation allowance on all of its deferred tax assets, the adoption of FIN 48 had no impact on the Company's effective tax rate.

#### **Stock-Based Compensation**

Total share-based compensation expense, for all of the Company's share-based awards recognized for the six months ended June 30, 2009, was \$99,300 compared with the \$566,856 for the six months ended June 30, 2008.

The Company uses a Black-Scholes option-pricing model (Black-Scholes model) to estimate the fair value of the stock option grant. The use of a valuation model requires the Company to make certain assumptions with respect to selected model inputs. Expected volatility was calculated based on the historical volatility of the Company's stock price. In the future the average expected life will be based on the contractual term of the option and expected employee exercise and post-vesting employment termination behavior. Currently it is based on the simplified approach provided by SAB 107. The risk-free interest rate is based on U.S. Treasury zero-coupon issues with a remaining term equal to the expected life assumed at the date of the grant. The following were the factors used in the Black Sholes model in the quarters to calculate the compensation cost:

	Six months ended Six months ended
	June 30, 2009 June 30, 2008
Stock price volatility	103.0 – 122.% 94.5 - 96.4 %
Risk-free rate of return	0.50 - 0.69 % $1.55 - 3.09 %$
Annual dividend yield	0 % 0
Expected life	1.5 to 4.5 Years 1.5 to 4.5 Years

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#### Net Loss Per Share

Earnings per share require presentation of both basic earnings per common share and diluted earnings per common share. Since the Company has a net loss for all periods presented since inception, common stock equivalents are not included in the weighted average calculation since their effect would be anti-dilutive.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

In May 2009, the FASB issued SFAS No. 165, Subsequent Events. SFAS 165 establishes general standards of accounting for and disclosure of events that occur after the balance sheet date but before financial statements are issued or are available to be issued. Although there is new terminology, the standard is based on the same principles as those that currently exist in the auditing standards. The standard also includes a required disclosure of the date through which the entity has evaluated subsequent events and whether the evaluation date is the date of issuance or the date the financial statements were available to be issued. The standard is effective for interim or annual periods ending after June 15, 2009. The Company has complied with the disclosure requirements.

In June 2009, the FASB issued SFAS No. 168, The FASB Accounting Standards Codification and the Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles – a replacement of FASB Statement No. 162. The FASB Accounting Standards Codification (Codification) will become the source of authoritative U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) recognized by the FASB to be applied by nongovernmental entities. Rules and interpretive releases of the SEC under authority of federal securities laws are also sources of authoritative GAAP for SEC registrants. On the effective date of this Statement, the Codification will supersede all then-existing non-SEC accounting and reporting standards. All other non-grandfathered non-SEC accounting literature not included in the Codification will become non-authoritative. This Statement is effective for financial statements issued for interim and annual periods ending after September 15, 2009. The Company will comply with the requirements of the Statement beginning in the third quarter of 2009.

In accordance with Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") No. 165, Subsequent Events, we have evaluated subsequent events through the date of this filing. We do not believe there are any material subsequent events which would require further disclosure.

#### NOTE 2. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

The authorized capital stock of the Company consists of 50,000,000 shares of common stock at \$.001 par value and 5,000,000 shares of preferred stock at \$.001 par value. The holders of the common stock are entitled to receive, when and as declared by the Board of Directors, dividends payable either in cash, in property or in shares of the common stock of the Company. Dividends have no cumulative rights and dividends will not accumulate if the Board of Directors does not declare such dividends. Through June 30, 2009, no dividends have been declared or paid by the Company.

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On February 19, 2008, the Company announced that it had completed the sale of one-half million units in a private placement transaction for gross proceeds of \$500,000. The placement was sold to accredited individuals and institutional investors. The units were sold under the exemption provided in Regulation D of Rule 506 and Section 415 of the Securities Act. The terms of the private placement provided for a unit offering at \$1.00 per unit. Each unit consists of one share of common stock and six/tenths (6/10) of a Class G Warrant to purchase common stock. In connection with the private placement, the Company agreed to reduce the exercise price of certain of its Series E Warrants and Series F Warrants previously purchased by the same investors in the May 8, 2007 private placement. The Class G Warrants have an exercise price of \$1.50 and are exerciseable for a five year period with a call provision by the Company if the Company's share price closes above \$2.50 for twenty consecutive days. The Amended Series E Warrants have an exercise price of \$1.50 and are exerciseable for a five year period, with a call provision by the Company if the Company's share price closes above \$3.00 for twenty consecutive days. The Amended Series F Warrants have an exercise price of \$1.50 and are exerciseable for a five year period, with a call provision by the Company if the Company's share price closes above \$4.50 for twenty consecutive days. The shares of common stock have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The Company has one year from the closing date to file a registration statement for the shares underlying the Class G Warrants. If the Company does not have an effective registration statement for the common stock underlying the Amended Series E and F Warrants within one year, the holder would receive cashless exercise rights. The Company incurred \$60,797 of offering expenses in connection with the offering, netting the Company \$439,203 in proceeds. Additionally, the Company engaged a number of selling agents in connection with the sale of the private placement and paid compensation of 25,000 warrants for their efforts. As a result of the offering, and the lowering of the exercise price of the Original Series E and Series F warrants, the Company recorded a dilution expense of \$13,770 for the Investors who participated in the May 8, 2007 offering, but not in the February 19, 2008 placement. On March 6, 2008 the American Stock Exchange approved the issue of the shares.

#### NOTE 3. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management performed an evaluation of the Company's activity through August 12, 2009, the date the financial statements were issued.

#### ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANAYLSIS OR PLAN OF OPERATION

Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This report contains "forward-looking" statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is subject to the safe harbor created by those sections. We intend to identify forward-looking statements in this report by using words such as "believes," "intends," "expects," "may, "will," "should," "plan," "projected," "contemplates," "anticipates," "estimates," "predicts," "potential," "continue," or similar These statements are based on our beliefs as well as assumptions we made using information currently available to us. We undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise. Because these statements reflect our current views concerning future events, these statements involve risks, uncertainties, and assumptions. Actual future results may differ significantly from the results discussed in the forward-looking statements. These risks include changes in demand for our products, changes in the level of operating expenses, our ability to expand our network of distributors, changes in general economic conditions that impact consumer behavior and spending, product supply, the availability, amount, and cost of capital to us and our use of such capital, and other risks discussed in this report. Additional risks that may affect our performance are discussed under "Risk Factors Associated with Our Business" in our Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on the forward-looking statements

contained in this report.

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#### Overview

We are in the business of developing, selling, marketing and distributing nutritional supplement products and functional foods. We market our products primarily through direct selling or network marketing, in which independent distributors sell our products. In addition, we sell our products directly to professional and Olympic athletes and professional sports teams.

Our product line principally consists of Bazi<sup>TM</sup>, a liquid nutrition drink that we introduced in January 2007. In addition, our product line includes a liquid nutritional supplement, four powdered beverages, and 12 individual supplements packaged in our VitaCube® or a box. Our VitaCube® is an easy to use, compartmentalized box with instructions for which supplements to take and the proper times to take them. We also offer a box of supplements with the four daily vitamins conveniently packaged in pillow-packs for each serving.

During the third quarter of 2003, we initiated a transition of our sales and marketing efforts from sales to retail outlets and in-house telemarketing to direct selling through independent distributors and we launched our direct sales program in the second quarter of 2004. As of June 30, 2009 we had 6,494 independent distributors and 4,468 customers (excluding professional athletes and sports teams) who had purchased our products within the prior twelve months.

We maintain an inventory of our products to ensure that we can timely fill our customer orders. During 2007 we entered into a five year manufacturing agreement with Arizona Packaging and Production, who manufacture our flagship product, Bazi<sup>TM</sup>. The terms of the agreement provided that they would be the exclusive manufacturer of this product and also stipulated certain prices, quantities and delivery timelines. As a result the increased sales of Bazi and the manufacturing agreement, the lead time on this product has been reduced to 4 weeks. Our inventory, net of our allowance for obsolescence, was \$193,560 at June 30, 2009, an increase from \$176,236 at December 31, 2008.

The increase of inventory was a result of the decision to add additional marketing materials, which we launched at our National Distributor event in February 2009, focused around the single product, Bazi<sup>TM</sup>. We believe that the current inventory level is adequate to meet our short-term projected demand, and based on our sales for the quarter ended June 30, 2009, it is appropriately classified as a current asset based on the single product marketing plan which is designed to increase our distributor base and sales.

Since the launch of our liquid dietary supplement, Bazi<sup>TM</sup> on January 12, 2007, we have seen the demand for all of our legacy products (all products other than Bazi<sup>TM</sup>) decrease as customers favored the convenience and simplicity of Bazi<sup>TM</sup>. In February 2008 we announced our decision to focus our sales and marketing efforts around this single product. In September 2008 we announced the discontinuance of one of our legacy products, the XELR8 SNACK. This did not result in any additional write-offs as the charge was taken in 2007. Our allowance for obsolete inventory increased from \$116,095 at December 31, 2008 to \$117,490 at June 30, 2009. We believe our reserve for obsolescence is reasonable because (i) substantially all of our Bazi<sup>TM</sup> inventory has been recently purchased, and (ii) the shelf life of our legacy products averages three years and Bazi<sup>TM</sup> is one year.

Our network marketing program is designed to provide an incentive for independent distributors to build, maintain and motivate a sales organization of customers and other independent distributors to enhance earning potential. Our independent distributors are compensated with commissions and bonuses on sales generated through their downline organization. Independent distributors advance in distributor levels as they develop their sales organization and increase their sales volume, which increases their compensation.

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We recognize revenue when products are shipped to our customers. Revenue is reduced by product returns at the time we take the product either back into inventory or dispose of it. In addition, we estimate a reserve total for future returns. Cost of our sales consists of expenses directly related to the production and distribution of the products and certain sales materials. Included in the sales and marketing expenses are independent distributor commissions, bonus and incentives along with other general selling expenses. We expect our independent distributor expenses, as a percentage of net revenues, to decrease as independent distributors receive less additional incentives and rely on the incentives in our direct sales program. General and administrative expenses include salaries and benefits, rent and building expenses, legal, accounting, telephone and professional fees.

Our revenue will depend on the number and productivity of our independent distributors, who purchase products and sales materials from us for resale to their customers or for personal use. Because we will distribute substantially all of our products through our independent distributors, our failure to retain our existing distributors and recruit additional distributors could have an adverse effect on our revenue. We believe that the number of our distributors and customers are an important indicator to monitor. In addition, we will monitor the sales generated per independent distributor as well as the success of our independent distributors in recruiting new independent distributors and customers.

With respect to industry and market factors that may affect us directly, we believe that industry credibility in both direct selling and nutritional supplements will be critical elements in whether we can increase revenues and become profitable. Any adverse developments in either of these two areas, to us or in our industry, could lead to a lower number of our independent distributors and reduced sales and recruiting efforts by existing distributors, as well as a loss or no increase in the number of sports celebrity endorsers of our products. We do not know what industry growth was for 2008, or will be for 2009, nor do we have enough experience in the direct sales channel to determine whether a slower industry growth rate, which occurred for several years leading up to 2003 and which has subsequently been slow, will adversely affect us. Additionally, we believe that the deteriorating economic conditions and tighter credit in the United States that started in the third quarter of 2008 and continues through into 2009 could have a negative effect on our business and the ability of our independent distributors to recruit other distributors.

#### Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

Discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations are based upon financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. The preparation of these financial statements requires us to make estimates and judgments that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenue and expenses, and related disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. On an on-going basis, we evaluate our estimates; including those related to collection of receivables, inventory obsolescence, sales returns and non-monetary transactions such as stock and stock options issued for services and beneficial conversion features of notes payable. We base our estimates on historical experience and on various other assumptions that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions. We believe the following critical accounting policies affect our more significant judgments and estimates used in the preparation of our financial statements.

Revenue Recognition. In accordance with Staff Accounting Bulletin 104 "Revenue Recognition in Financial Statements", revenue is recognized at the point of shipment, at which time title is passed. Net sales include sales of products, sales of marketing tools to independent distributors and freight and handling charges. With the exception of approved professional sports teams, we receive the net sales price from all of our orders in the form of cash or credit card payment prior to shipment. Professional sports teams with approved credit have been extended payment terms of net 30 days.

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Allowances for Product Returns. Allowances for product returns are recorded at the time product is shipped. These accruals are based upon the historical return rate since the inception of our network marketing program in the third quarter of 2003, and the specific historical return patterns by product. Our monthly return rate since the third quarter of 2003 has varied from 0.7% to 8.9% of our net sales, and was 8.9% in the quarter ended June 30, 2009.

We offer a 60-day, 100% money back unconditional guarantee to all customers and independent distributors who have never before purchased products from us. As of June 30, 2009, orders shipped that are subject to our 60-day money back guarantee were approximately \$308,948. All other product may be returned to us by any customer or independent distributor if it is unopened and undamaged for a 100% sales price refund, less a 10% restocking fee, provided the product is returned within 12 months of purchase and is being sold by us at the time of return. We are not able to estimate the amount of revenue we have recognized that is held by these buyers of product and which is returnable, because it is not possible to determine the amount of product that is unopened and undamaged. Product damaged during shipment is replaced wholly at our cost, which historically has been negligible.

We monitor our return estimate on an ongoing basis and may revise allowances to reflect our experience. Our reserve for product returns at June 30, 2009 and December 31, 2008 was \$134,836. To date, product expiration dates have not played any role in product returns, and we anticipate that they may in the future because of the marketing focus on Bazi<sup>TM</sup>, a product that has only a one year shelf life and therefore it is possible for us to have expired product returned to us. To date we have not have any significant returns of expired product.

Inventory Valuation. Inventories are stated at the lower of cost or market on a first-in first-out basis. A reserve for inventory obsolescence is maintained and is based upon assumptions about current and future product demand, inventory whose shelf life has expired and market conditions. A change in any of these variables may require additional reserves to be taken. We reserved \$117,490 for obsolete inventory as of June 30, 2009 and \$116,095 as of December 31, 2008.

Stock Based Compensation. Many equity instrument transactions are valued based on pricing models such as Black-Scholes-Merton, which require judgments by us. Values for such transactions can very widely and are often material to the financial statements.

Effective January 1, 2006, we adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 123 (revised 2004), Share-Based Payment ("SFAS 123R"), which requires compensation costs related to share-based transactions, including employee stock options, to be recognized in the financial statements based on fair value. SFAS 123R revises SFAS No. 123, Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation, ("SFAS 123") and supersedes Accounting Principles Board Opinion (APB) No. 25, Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees. In March 2005, the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") issued Staff Accounting Bulletin No. 107 ("SAB 107") regarding the SEC's interpretation of SFAS 123R and the valuation of share-based payments for public companies. We have applied the provisions of SAB 107 in its adoption of SFAS 123R. We adopted the provisions of SFAS 123R using the modified prospective transition method. In accordance with this transition method, the company's consolidated financial statements for prior periods have not been restated to reflect the impact of SFAS 123R. Under the modified prospective transition method, share-based compensation expense for the first quarter of 2006 includes compensation expense for all share-based compensation awards granted prior to, but for which the requisite service has not yet been performed as of January 1, 2006, based on the grant date fair value estimated in accordance with the original provisions of SFAS 123. Share-based compensation expense for all share-based compensation awards granted after January 1, 2006 is based on the grant date fair value estimated in accordance with the provisions of SFAS 123R

#### **Results of Operations**

For the three months ended June 30, 2009 compared to the three months ended June 30, 2008.

The discussion below first presents the results of the quarter ended June 30, 2009 followed by the results of the quarter ended June 30, 2008.

Net Sales. Net sales were \$1,733,282, a decrease of 24% compared to \$2,276,415 during the comparable quarter in 2008. The decrease in net sales is principally attributable to the severe economic downturn experienced during the quarter ended June 30, 2009, and the resultant lower number of new distributors recruited during the most recent quarter compared to the prior year. In addition, the Company experienced a higher level of current distributors leaving the Company during the quarter ended June 30, 2009, which management attributes to financial pressure faced by such distributors due to economic conditions. While no assurances can be given, management believes that the attrition experienced during the quarter ended June 30, 2009 has stabilized, and the Company is currently seeing moderate growth in the number of distributors compared to the quarter ended June 30, 2009.

The percentage that each product category represented of our net sales is as follows:

	Three Mo	Three Months Ended			
	Jun	June 30,			
	2009	2	2008		
Product Category	% of Sales	% c	of Sales		
Bazi <sup>TM</sup>	92	% 92	%		
Legacy Products *	2	% 3	%		
Other-educational materials, apparel	6	% 5	%		

<sup>\*</sup> Legacy Products include EAT, DRINK, HYDRATE, BUILD and Vitamins and minerals (including SUPPORT).

Gross Profit. Gross profit decreased 25% during the quarter ended June 30, 2009 to \$1,317,517, compared to \$1,752,933 during the comparable quarter in 2008. Gross profit as a percentage of revenue (gross margin) decreased to 76% from 77% during the quarter ended June 30, 2009. The decrease in the gross margin percentage was principally the result of the increased portion of sales attributable to materials offered to distributors to promote the sale of Bazi, which materials were not offered to distributors in the quarter ended June 30, 2008. The materials, consisting of the Empower magazine and DVD, have a significantly lower gross margin as compared to the other products offered by the Company. The decrease in the gross margin was a result of lower revenue for the quarter compared with the prior year.

Sales and Marketing Expenses. Sales and marketing expenses decreased 37% during the quarter ended June 30, 2009 to \$1,022,517 from \$1,614,161 during the comparable quarter in 2008. The decrease in sales and marketing expenses is a result of the decreased payments of commissions to our independent distributors as a result of decreased sales experienced during the quarter. Commissions paid to our independent distributors increased to 43% of net sales for the current period compared to 42% for the comparable period. Additionally, in the prior year the Sales and Marketing expense included a payment for the termination a marketing consulting services agreement that the Company entered into in 2003 with an independent distributor. Additionally, the Company had hosted a number of regional events for distributors during the quarter ended June 30, 2008 that were not held in the quarter ended June 30, 2009, thereby reducing event expense during the most recently completed fiscal quarter.

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General and Administrative Expense. General and administrative expenses decreased 24% to \$569,735 during the quarter ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$752,173 during the quarter ended June 30, 2008. The decrease is a result of the decrease in the stock based compensation expense during the most recently completed fiscal quarter. In the quarter ended June 30, 2008, the Company granted warrants to acquire its Common Stock to an investor relations firm retained during the quarter. The Company terminated the contract with the investor relations firm in January 2009. Additionally, the Company was able to reduce the public company expenses as a result of the delisting from the NYSE Alternext Exchange and subsequent listing on the Over the Counter market.

Net Loss. Our net loss was \$283,323, or (\$0.02) per share during the quarter ended June 30, 2009, compared to \$612,974, or (\$0.04) per share during the comparable quarter in 2008, a decreased loss of 54% or \$.02 per share, respectively. The decrease in net loss is principally attributable to the decrease in sales and marketing expenses during the recently completed quarter, as well as in general and administrative expenses.

For the six months ended June 30, 2009 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2008.

The discussion below first presents the results of the six months ended June 30, 2009 followed by the results of the six months ended June 30, 2008.

Net Sales. Net sales for the six month period ended June 30, 2009 decreased 21% to \$3,049,705 compared to \$3,854,199 for the six month period ended June 30, 2008. The decrease in net sales is principally attributable to the severe economic downturn experienced during the six month period ended June 30, 2009, and the resultant lower number of new distributors recruited during the six month period compared to the prior year. In addition, the Company experienced a higher level of current distributors leaving the Company during the six month period ended June 30, 2009, which management attributes to financial pressure faced by such distributors due to economic conditions. While no assurances can be given, management believes that the attrition experienced during the six month period ended June 30, 2009 has stabilized, and the Company is currently seeing moderate growth in the number of distributors compared to the quarter ended June 30, 2009.

The percentage that each product category represented of our net sales is as follows:

	Six Months Ended				
	June 30,				
	2009			20	800
Product Category	% of Sale	S		% of	Sales
Bazi <sup>TM</sup>	91	%		91	%
Legacy Products	3	%	*	4	%
Other-educational materials, apparel	6	%		5	%

<sup>\*</sup> Legacy Products include EAT, DRINK, HYDRATE, BUILD and Vitamins and minerals (including SUPPORT).

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Gross Profit. Gross profit for the six month period ended June 30, 2009 decreased 23% to \$2,298,236 compared to \$2,971,139 during the six month period ended June 30, 2008. Gross profit as a percentage of revenue (gross margin) during the six months ended June 30, 2009 decreased to 75% from 77% during the comparable period in 2008. The decrease in the gross margin percentage was principally the result of the increased portion of sales attributable to materials offered to distributors to promote the sale of Bazi, which materials were not offered to distributors in the comparable period in 2008. The materials, consisting of the Empower magazine and DVD, have a significantly lower gross margin as compared to the other products offered by the Company. The decrease in the gross margin was a result of lower revenue during the six month period ended June 30, 2009 compared with the prior year.

Sales and Marketing Expenses. Sales and marketing expenses during the six month period ended June 30, 2009 decreased 25% to \$2,024,058 from \$2,704,953 during the comparable period in 2008 Sales and marketing expense consists primarily of commissions paid to independent distributors, costs associated with attracting experienced field leaders for our distributor network, and events and training for the distributors. Commissions paid to our independent distributors decreased from 44% during the six month period ended June 30, 2008 to 42% of net sales for the current period. The decrease was also due in part to the payment in the prior year for the termination of a marketing consulting services agreement that the Company entered into in 2003 with an independent distributor.

General and Administrative Expenses. General and administrative expenses during the six month period ended June 30, 2009 decreased 27% to \$1,180,703, compared to \$1,621,058 during the comparable period in 2008. The decrease is principally the result of the decrease in stock based compensation paid in the six month period ended June 30, 2009 compared to the comparable period in 2008. In the quarter ended June 30, 2008, the Company granted warrants to acquire its Common Stock to an investor relations firm retained during the quarter. The Company terminated the contract with the investor relations firm in January 2009. Additionally, the Company was able to reduce the public company expenses as a result of the delisting from the NYSE Alternext Exchange and subsequent listing on the Over the Counter market.

Net Loss. Our net loss was \$921,515 during the six month period ended June 30, 2009, or (\$0.06) per share, compared to \$1,362,335, or (\$0.09) per share during the comparable period in 2008. Our net loss decreased by 32% principally as the result of lower sales and marketing, and general and administrative expenses.

#### Liquidity and Capital Resources

To date, our operating funds have been provided primarily from sales of our common stock totaling \$15,352,624, through December 31, 2008, and to a lesser degree, cash flow provided by the sale of our products.

On February 19, 2008, the Company announced that it had completed the sale of one-half million units in a private placement transaction resulting in gross proceeds of \$500,000. On March 6, 2008, the American Stock Exchange approved the issue of the shares.

We used \$747,456 of cash for operations in the six months ended June 30, 2009, compared to \$421,388 of cash for operations in the six months ended June 30, 2008. The use of cash in our operations results from incurring and accruing expenses to suppliers necessary to generate business and service our customers at a time when revenues did not keep pace with expenses. As of June 30, 2009, we had \$747,620 in cash and cash equivalents available to fund future operations. Net working capital decreased from \$1,314,831 at December 31, 2008, to \$430,782 at June 30, 2009.

In the event that we are not successful in completing our business plan of sufficiently increasing the number of distributors and revenue, and are therefore unable to achieve profitability, our cash resources will be insufficient to fund our operations for the next 12 months. As a result, we currently intend to seek additional capital to ensure

continued operations. No assurances can be given that we will be able to raise additional capital, and if so, whether such capital will be available on terms and conditions beneficial to the Company.

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**Customer Concentrations** 

We had no single customer that accounted for any substantial portion of our revenues.

**Off-Balance Sheet Items** 

We have no off-balance sheet items as of June 30, 2009.

#### ITEM 4T. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

Prior to the filing of this report, the Company's management carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of its Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer, of the effectiveness of the design and operation of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report. Based on this evaluation, the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer concluded that the Company's controls and procedures were effective to ensure that information required to be disclosed by the Company in the reports filed by it under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms, and include controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by the Company in such reports is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer of the Company, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

There has been no change in the Company's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the Company's most recent fiscal quarter that has materially affected or is reasonably likely to materially affect its internal control over financial reporting.

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### PART II OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 6.	EXHIBITS
Exhibit No	Description
31.1	Certification of CEO as Required by Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14
31.2	Certification of CFO as Required by Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14
32.1	Certification of CEO as Required by Rule 13a-14(a) and Rule 15d-14(b) (17 CFR 240.15d-14(b)) and Section 1350 of Chapter 63 of Title 18 of the United States Code
32.2	Certification of CFO as Required by Rule 13a-14(a) and Rule 15d-14(b) (17 CFR 240.15d-14(b)) and Section 1350 of Chapter 63 of Title 18 of the United States Code
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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, in the City and County of Denver, State of Colorado, on August 12, 2009.

#### XELR8 HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ Daniel W. Rumsey .
Daniel W. Rumsey
Interim Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ John D. Pougnet .
John D. Pougnet
Chief Financial Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)