

Red Hat Reports Second Quarter Results

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Subscription revenue of \$389 million, up 19% year-over-year

GAAP EPS of \$0.25, up 19% year-over-year; non-GAAP EPS of \$0.41, up 17% year-over-year

RALEIGH, N.C.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Red Hat, Inc. (NYSE: RHT), the world's leading provider of open source solutions, today announced financial results for its fiscal year 2015 second quarter ended August 31, 2014.

Total revenue for the quarter was \$446 million and subscription revenue for the quarter was \$389 million, both increased 19% year-over-year.

"Broad demand for open source technologies, combined with Red Hat's value proposition and market leadership position, has helped to drive organic revenue growth in the mid-to-high teens for the last 10 quarters," stated Jim Whitehurst, President and Chief Executive Officer of Red Hat. "Our high level of execution and commitment to investing across our technology stack, including enabling open, hybrid cloud computing in the enterprise, has led to Red Hat being recognized once again by Forbes, Inc. on its list of the *World's Most Innovative Companies*."

GAAP operating income for the second quarter was \$64 million, up 16% year-over-year. After adjusting for stock compensation, amortization expenses, certain facility exit costs and transaction costs related to business combinations, as detailed in the tables below, non-GAAP operating income for the second quarter was \$109 million, up 15% year-over-year. For the second quarter, GAAP operating margin was 14.4% and non-GAAP operating margin was 24.4%.

GAAP net income for the quarter was \$47 million, or \$0.25 per diluted share, compared with \$41 million, or \$0.21 per diluted share, in the year ago quarter. After adjusting for stock compensation, amortization expenses, certain facility exit costs and transaction costs related to business combinations, as detailed in the tables below, non-GAAP net income for the quarter was \$78 million, or \$0.41 per diluted share, as compared to \$68 million, or \$0.35 per diluted share, in the year ago quarter.

Operating cash flow was \$108 million for the second quarter, as compared to \$119 million in the year ago quarter. At quarter end, the company's total deferred revenue balance was \$1.25 billion, an increase of 18% on a year-over-year basis. Total cash, cash equivalents and investments as of August 31, 2014 was \$1.32 billion, after repurchasing approximately \$80 million of common stock, or approximately 1.5 million shares, in the second quarter. Red Hat has repurchased approximately \$160 million of common stock, or approximately 3.0 million shares, during the first six months of fiscal year 2015.

"We experienced strong growth across our routes to market during the second quarter," stated Charlie Peters, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Red Hat. "The fastest growing part of our channel business comes from the 80+ Red Hat certified public cloud providers that provide our technologies on-demand in their clouds. The rapid revenue growth from these public cloud partners, which we recognize immediately and contains no deferred revenue, helped us to meaningfully exceed our second quarter revenue guidance."

Additional information on Red Hat's reported results, including a reconciliation of the non-GAAP adjusted results, are included in the financial tables below. A live webcast of Red Hat's results will begin at 5:00 pm ET today and can be accessed by the general public at Red Hat's investor relations website at <http://investors.redhat.com>. A replay of the webcast will be available shortly after the live event has ended.

About Red Hat, Inc.

Red Hat is the world's leading provider of open source software solutions, using a community-powered approach to reliable and high-performing cloud, Linux, middleware, storage and virtualization technologies. Red Hat also offers award-winning support, training and consulting services. As the connective hub in a global network of enterprises, partners and open source communities, Red Hat helps create relevant, innovative technologies that liberate resources for growth and prepare customers for the future of IT. Learn more at <http://www.redhat.com>.

Forward Looking Statements

Certain statements contained in this press release may constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements provide current expectations of future events based on certain assumptions and include any statement that does not directly relate to any historical or current fact. Actual results may differ materially from those indicated by such forward-looking statements as a result of various important factors, including: risks related to delays or reductions in information technology spending; the effects of industry consolidation; the ability of the Company to compete effectively; the integration of acquisitions and the ability to market successfully acquired technologies and products; uncertainty and adverse results in litigation and related settlements; the inability to adequately protect Company intellectual property and the potential for infringement or breach of license claims of or relating to third party intellectual property; the ability to deliver and stimulate demand for new products and technological innovations on a timely basis; risks related to data and information security vulnerabilities; ineffective management of, and control over, the Company's growth and international operations; fluctuations in exchange rates; and changes in and a dependence on key personnel, as well as other factors contained in our most recent Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q (copies of which may be accessed through the Securities and Exchange Commission's website at <http://www.sec.gov>), including those found therein under the captions "Risk Factors" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations". In addition to

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RED HAT, INC.
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS
(Unaudited)
(In thousands - except per share amounts)

| | Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 |
| Revenue: | | | | |
| Subscriptions | \$389,495 | \$326,692 | \$761,462 | \$642,509 |
| Training and services | 56,404 | 47,731 | 108,191 | 95,173 |
| Total subscription, training and services revenue | 445,899 | 374,423 | 869,653 | 737,682 |
| Cost of revenue: | | | | |
| Subscriptions | 27,791 | 23,518 | 55,551 | 46,893 |
| Training and services | 39,383 | 32,062 | 76,066 | 64,744 |
| Total cost of subscription, training and services revenue | 67,174 | 55,580 | 131,617 | 111,637 |
| Total gross profit | 378,725 | 318,843 | 738,036 | 626,045 |
| Operating expense: | | | | |
| Sales and marketing | 174,520 | 144,596 | 351,358 | 287,040 |
| Research and development | 95,265 | 78,299 | 185,204 | 152,100 |
| General and administrative | 44,713 | 38,203 | 86,284 | 72,537 |
| Facility exit costs | - | 2,171 | - | 2,171 |
| Total operating expense | 314,498 | 263,269 | 622,846 | 513,848 |
| Income from operations | 64,227 | 55,574 | 115,190 | 112,197 |
| Interest income | 2,010 | 1,527 | 3,852 | 3,029 |
| Other income (expense), net | (289) | 1,196 | 68 | 772 |
| Income before provision for income taxes | 65,948 | 58,297 | 119,110 | 115,998 |
| Provision for income taxes | 19,125 | 17,489 | 34,542 | 34,799 |
| Net income | \$46,823 | \$40,808 | \$84,568 | \$81,199 |
| Net income per share: | | | | |
| Basic | \$0.25 | \$0.22 | \$0.45 | \$0.43 |
| Diluted | \$0.25 | \$0.21 | \$0.44 | \$0.42 |
| Weighted average shares outstanding: | | | | |
| Basic | 188,162 | 189,437 | 188,767 | 190,276 |
| Diluted | 190,755 | 191,432 | 191,135 | 192,230 |

RED HAT, INC.
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS
(In thousands)

| ASSETS | August 31, 2014 (Unaudited) | February 28, 2014 (1) |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Current assets: | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$585,381 | \$646,742 |
| Investments in debt and equity securities | 217,659 | 335,387 |
| Accounts receivable, net | 283,952 | 360,594 |
| Deferred tax assets, net | 111,522 | 108,264 |
| Prepaid expenses | 125,256 | 118,387 |
| Other current assets | 1,794 | 1,808 |
| Total current assets | 1,325,564 | 1,571,182 |
| Property and equipment, net | 175,844 | 173,917 |
| Goodwill | 870,063 | 687,430 |
| Identifiable intangibles, net | 146,904 | 133,399 |
| Investments in debt securities | 513,903 | 505,300 |
| Other assets, net | 35,026 | 35,391 |
| Total assets | <u>\$3,067,304</u> | <u>\$3,106,619</u> |
| LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY | | |
| Current liabilities: | | |
| Accounts payable and accrued expenses | \$211,552 | \$179,468 |
| Deferred revenue | 920,605 | 966,832 |
| Other current obligations | 1,852 | 1,786 |
| Total current liabilities | 1,134,009 | 1,148,086 |
| Long term deferred revenue | 331,192 | 322,365 |
| Other long term obligations | 87,447 | 85,003 |
| Stockholders' equity: | | |
| Common stock | 23 | 23 |
| Additional paid-in capital | 1,942,659 | 1,891,848 |
| Retained earnings | 804,740 | 720,172 |
| Treasury stock, at cost | (1,216,741) | (1,056,419) |
| Accumulated other comprehensive loss | (16,025) | (4,459) |
| Total stockholders' equity | 1,514,656 | 1,551,165 |
| Total liabilities and stockholders' equity | <u>\$3,067,304</u> | <u>\$3,106,619</u> |

(1) Derived from audited financial statements

RED HAT, INC.
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
(Unaudited)
(In thousands)

| Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|--------------------|------------|------------------|------------|
| August 31, | August 31, | August 31, | August 31, |
| 2014 | 2013 | 2014 | 2013 |

| | | | | |
|---|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Cash flows from operating activities: | | | | |
| Net income | \$46,823 | \$40,808 | \$84,568 | \$81,199 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities: | | | | |
| Depreciation and amortization | 19,539 | 18,439 | 38,463 | 36,371 |
| Share-based compensation expense | 36,605 | 29,874 | 65,319 | 53,006 |
| Deferred income taxes | 975 | 1,208 | 3,905 | 11,020 |
| Net amortization of bond premium on available-for-sale debt securities | 2,525 | 2,285 | 4,558 | 4,336 |
| Other | 595 | (96) | (353) | 47 |
| Changes in operating assets and liabilities net of effects of acquisitions: | | | | |
| Accounts receivable | (18,349) | (6,341) | 78,231 | 66,081 |
| Prepaid expenses | (2,391) | (5,645) | (7,580) | (2,394) |
| Accounts payable and accrued expenses | 27,266 | 38,902 | 29,921 | 26,293 |
| Deferred revenue | (6,209) | 1,880 | (25,957) | (15,020) |
| Other | 358 | (2,385) | 1,349 | (195) |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | 107,737 | 118,929 | 272,424 | 260,744 |
| Cash flows from investing activities: | | | | |
| Purchase of available-for-sale debt securities | (50,567) | (217,433) | (319,141) | (347,076) |
| Proceeds from sales and maturities of available-for-sale debt securities | 140,101 | 153,917 | 409,532 | 479,767 |
| Acquisition of business, net of cash acquired | (66,183) | - | (217,804) | - |
| Purchase of other intangible assets | (1,198) | (10,177) | (1,751) | (12,521) |
| Purchase of property and equipment | (14,290) | (21,829) | (22,884) | (48,506) |
| Other | (1,038) | (2,126) | 2,434 | (1,934) |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities | 6,825 | (97,648) | (149,614) | 69,730 |
| Cash flows from financing activities: | | | | |
| Excess tax benefits from share-based payment arrangements | 423 | 2,610 | 1,409 | 5,643 |
| Proceeds from exercise of common stock options | 644 | 635 | 689 | 1,088 |
| Purchase of treasury stock | (80,028) | (20,009) | (160,061) | (199,345) |
| Payments related to net settlement of employee share-based compensation awards | (3,831) | (3,833) | (17,561) | (14,815) |
| Payments on other borrowings | (1,635) | (312) | (1,990) | (617) |
| Net cash used in financing activities | (84,427) | (20,909) | (177,514) | (208,046) |
| Effect of foreign currency exchange rates on cash and cash equivalents | (8,902) | (1,576) | (6,657) | (12,718) |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | 21,233 | (1,204) | (61,361) | 109,710 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period | 564,148 | 597,998 | 646,742 | 487,084 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | <u>\$585,381</u> | <u>\$596,794</u> | <u>\$585,381</u> | <u>\$596,794</u> |

RED HAT, INC.
RECONCILIATION OF CERTAIN GAAP RESULTS TO NON-GAAP ADJUSTED RESULTS
(Unaudited)
(In thousands - except per share amounts)

Non cash share-based compensation expense included in Consolidated Statements of Operations:

| | Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 |
| Cost of revenue | \$3,425 | \$3,100 | \$6,543 | \$5,939 |
| Sales and marketing | 13,691 | 10,365 | 23,929 | 19,741 |
| Research and development | 11,098 | 9,058 | 19,962 | 15,939 |
| General and administration | 8,391 | 7,351 | 14,885 | 11,387 |
| Total share-based compensation expense | <u>\$36,605</u> | <u>\$29,874</u> | <u>\$65,319</u> | <u>\$53,006</u> |

Amortization of intangible assets expense included in Consolidated Statements of Operations:

| | Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 |
| Cost of revenue | \$2,486 | \$2,496 | \$5,102 | \$5,169 |
| Sales and marketing | 1,992 | 1,958 | 3,574 | 3,916 |
| Research and development | 959 | 959 | 1,917 | 1,918 |
| General and administration | 1,607 | 1,203 | 3,035 | 2,740 |
| Total amortization of intangible assets expense | <u>\$7,044</u> | <u>\$6,616</u> | <u>\$13,628</u> | <u>\$13,743</u> |

Facility exit costs included in Consolidated Statements of Operations:

| | Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 |
| Facility exit costs | <u>-</u> | <u>\$2,171</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>\$2,171</u> |

Transaction costs related to business combinations included in Consolidated Statements of Operations:

| | Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 |
| Transaction costs related to business combinations | <u>\$949</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>\$2,940</u> | <u>-</u> |

| | Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 |
| GAAP net income | \$46,823 | \$40,808 | \$84,568 | \$81,199 |
| Provision for income taxes | 19,125 | 17,489 | 34,542 | 34,799 |
| GAAP income before provision for income taxes | \$65,948 | \$58,297 | \$119,110 | \$115,998 |
| Add: Non-cash share-based compensation expense | 36,605 | 29,874 | 65,319 | 53,006 |
| Add: Amortization of intangible assets | 7,044 | 6,616 | 13,628 | 13,743 |
| Add: Facility exit costs | - | 2,171 | - | 2,171 |
| Add: Transaction costs related to business combinations | 949 | - | 2,940 | - |
| Non-GAAP adjusted income before provision for income taxes | \$110,546 | \$96,958 | \$200,997 | \$184,918 |
| Provision for income taxes | 32,058 | 29,088 | 58,289 | 55,475 |
| Non-GAAP adjusted net income (basic and diluted) | <u>\$78,488</u> | <u>\$67,870</u> | <u>\$142,708</u> | <u>\$129,443</u> |
| Non-GAAP adjusted net income per share: | | | | |
| Basic | \$0.42 | \$0.36 | \$0.76 | \$0.68 |
| Diluted | \$0.41 | \$0.35 | \$0.75 | \$0.67 |

RECONCILIATION OF CERTAIN GAAP RESULTS TO NON-GAAP ADJUSTED RESULTS
(Unaudited)
(In thousands - except per share amounts)

Reconciliation of GAAP results to non-GAAP adjusted results

| | Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 |
| GAAP gross profit | \$378,725 | \$318,843 | \$738,036 | \$626,045 |
| Add: Non-cash share-based compensation expense | 3,425 | 3,100 | 6,543 | 5,939 |
| Add: Amortization of intangible assets | 2,486 | 2,496 | 5,102 | 5,169 |
| Non-GAAP gross profit | \$384,636 | \$324,439 | \$749,681 | \$637,153 |
| Non-GAAP gross margin | 86.3% | 86.7% | 86.2% | 86.4% |

| | Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 |
| GAAP operating expenses | \$314,498 | \$263,269 | \$622,846 | \$513,848 |
| Deduct: Non-cash share-based compensation expense | (33,180) | (26,774) | (58,776) | (47,067) |
| Deduct: Amortization of intangible assets | (4,558) | (4,120) | (8,526) | (8,574) |
| Deduct: Facility exit costs | - | (2,171) | - | (2,171) |
| Deduct: Transaction costs related to business combinations | (949) | - | (2,940) | - |
| Non-GAAP adjusted operating expenses | \$275,811 | \$230,204 | \$552,604 | \$456,036 |

| | Three Months Ended | | Six Months Ended | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 |
| GAAP operating income | \$64,227 | \$55,574 | \$115,190 | \$112,197 |
| Add: Non-cash share-based compensation expense | 36,605 | 29,874 | 65,319 | 53,006 |
| Add: Amortization of intangible assets | 7,044 | 6,616 | 13,628 | 13,743 |
| Add: Facility exit costs | - | 2,171 | - | 2,171 |
| Add: Transaction costs related to business combinations | 949 | - | 2,940 | - |
| Non-GAAP adjusted operating income | \$108,825 | \$94,235 | \$197,077 | \$181,117 |
| Non-GAAP adjusted operating margin | 24.4% | 25.2% | 22.7% | 24.6% |

| | Three Months Ended | | Year-Over-Year Growth Rate |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | |
| GAAP subscription revenue | \$389,495 | \$326,692 | 19.2% |
| Adjustment for currency impact | (1,004) | - | |
| Non-GAAP subscription revenue on a constant currency basis | \$388,491 | \$326,692 | 18.9% |
| GAAP training and services revenue | \$56,404 | \$47,731 | 18.2% |
| Adjustment for currency impact | 893 | - | |

| | | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Non-GAAP training and services revenue on a constant currency basis | \$57,297 | \$47,731 | 20.0% |
| GAAP total subscription, training and services revenue | \$445,899 | \$374,423 | 19.1% |
| Adjustment for currency impact | (111) | - | |
| Non-GAAP total subscription, training and services revenue on a constant currency basis | \$445,788 | \$374,423 | 19.1% |

| | Six Months Ended | | |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| | August 31, 2014 | August 31, 2013 | Year-Over-Year Growth Rate |
| GAAP subscription revenue | \$761,462 | \$642,509 | 18.5% |
| Adjustment for currency impact | (2,301) | - | |
| Non-GAAP subscription revenue on a constant currency basis | \$759,161 | \$642,509 | 18.2% |
| GAAP training and services revenue | \$108,191 | \$95,173 | 13.7% |
| Adjustment for currency impact | 1,597 | - | |
| Non-GAAP training and services revenue on a constant currency basis | \$109,788 | \$95,173 | 15.4% |
| GAAP total subscription, training and services revenue | \$869,653 | \$737,682 | 17.9% |
| Adjustment for currency impact | (704) | - | |
| Non-GAAP total subscription, training and services revenue on a constant currency basis | \$868,949 | \$737,682 | 17.8% |

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