

UTSTARCOM INC
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September 17, 2010

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

UTStarcom, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.00125 par value per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

918076100

(CUSIP Number)

20F, Tower 1, The Towers, Oriental Plaza

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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

September 7, 2010

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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CUSIP No. 918076100

1. Name of Reporting Company. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).

E-Town International Holding (Hong Kong) Co., Limited (I.R.S. Identification No. N/A)

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)

(a) "

(b) "

3. SEC Use Only

4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)

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5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e)

N/A

6. Citizenship or Place of Organization

Hong Kong

Number of 7. Sole Voting Power

Shares

Beneficially 8. Shared Voting Power

Owned by

Each 11,363,636 shares of Common Stock

9. Sole Dispositive Power

Reporting

Company 10. Shared Dispositive Power

With

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11,363,636 shares of Common Stock

11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Company

11,363,636

12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)

N/A

13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)

7.6%

14. Type of Reporting Company (See Instructions)

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Item 1. Security and Issuer

The class of equity securities to which this Schedule 13D relates is the common stock, \$0.00125 par value per share, of UTStarcom, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Issuer), with its principal executive office at 20F, Tower 1, The Towers, Oriental Plaza, No. 1 East Chang An Avenue, Dong Cheng District, Beijing, P. R. China, 100738.

Item 2. Identity and Background

This Schedule 13D is being filed by E-Town International Holding (Hong Kong) Co., Limited (E-Town). The business address of E-Town is c/o Beijing E-Town International Investment & Development Co., Ltd. 6F, Bldg 61, BDA International Enterprise Avenue, No. 2 JingYuan North Street, BDA, Beijing, P. R. China. E-Town's principal line of business is investment.

Wen Bai is Chairman of the board of directors of E-Town. Mr. Bai's present principal occupation is director and Chairman of the board of directors of E-Town and Vice Chairman of the board of directors of Beijing E-town International Investment and Development Co., Ltd., an investment company established by the Beijing Economic and Technology Development Zone Asset Management Office and the parent company of E-Town (BEIID). Mr. Bai is a citizen of the People's Republic of China.

Xiaoping Li is a director of the board of directors of E-Town. Mr. Li's present principal occupation is director of the board of directors of E-Town, Executive Deputy General Manager of BEIID and director of the board of directors of BEIID. Mr. Li is a citizen of the People's Republic of China.

Bing Han is a director of the board of directors of E-Town. Mr. Han's present principal occupation is director of the board of directors of E-Town and Chief Investment Officer of BEIID. Mr. Han is a citizen of the People's Republic of China.

Jia Lun Zhang is Vice General Manager of BEIID, which is his present principal occupation. Mr. Zhang is a citizen of the People's Republic of China.

The business address of Messrs. Bai, Li, Han and Zhang is Beijing E-Town International Investment & Development Co., Ltd. 6F, Bldg 61, BDA International Enterprise Avenue, No. 2 JingYuan North Street, BDA, Beijing, P. R. China.

Guang Yi Zhao is Chairman of the board of directors of BEIID. Mr. Zhao's present principal occupation is Chairman of the board of directors of BEIID and the General Manager of BEIID. The business address of Mr. Zhao is Beijing E-Town International Investment & Development Co., Ltd. 18F, Bldg 61, BDA International Enterprise Avenue, No. 2 JingYuan North Street, BDA, Beijing, P. R. China. Mr. Zhao is a citizen of the People's Republic of China.

Wen Hu Liu is a director of the board of directors of BEIID. The business address of Mr. Liu is Room 1306, Bo Da Building, BDA Management Committee, No. 15 Rong Hua Middle Street, BDA, Beijing, P. R. China. Mr. Liu is a citizen of the People's Republic of China.

Feng Min Zhang is a director of the board of directors of BEIID. The business address of Mr. Zhang is Room 701, Bo Da Building, BDA Management Committee, No. 15 Rong Hua Middle Street, BDA, Beijing, P. R. China. Mr. Zhang is a citizen of the People's Republic of China.

Hong Zhang is a director of the board of directors of BEIID. The business address of Ms. Zhang is Room 1523, Bo Da Building, BDA Management Committee, No. 15 Rong Hua Middle Street, BDA, Beijing, P. R. China. Ms. Zhang is a citizen of the People's Republic of China.

During the last five years, neither E-Town nor, to the best knowledge of E-Town, any individual named in this Item 2 has been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors).

During the last five years, neither E-Town nor, to the best knowledge of E-Town, any individual named in this Item 2 is or has been a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction and as a result of such proceeding was or is subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

On September 7, 2010, pursuant to the Common Stock Purchase Agreement dated February 1, 2010, as amended on April 30, 2010, June 4, 2010, July 7, 2010 and September 7, 2010, by and between the Issuer and BEIID (the Purchase Agreement), BEIID purchased from the Issuer 11,363,636 shares of common stock, par value \$0.00125 per share (the Purchase Shares), at a purchase price of US\$2.027 per share, for an aggregate purchase price of US\$23,033,597 (the Closing). On September 3, 2010, in

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accordance with Section 6.10 of the Agreement (which provides that BEIID may assign its rights therein to any wholly-owned subsidiary so long as any such assignment shall not relieve BEIID of any liability thereunder), BEIID assigned its rights and obligations under the Purchase Agreement to E-Town, a wholly-owned subsidiary of BEIID (the Assignment). Pursuant to the Assignment, the Purchase Shares were issued in the name of E-Town. The funds for the purchase were provided from the working capital of BEIID.

On September 7, 2010, concurrently with BEIID's investment and pursuant to the Common Stock Purchase Agreement dated February 1, 2010, as amended on April 30, 2010, June 4, 2010, July 7, 2010 and September 7, 2010, by and among the Issuer and Elite Noble Limited (Elite) and Shah Capital Opportunity Fund LP (Shah), Elite and Shah, two investment funds unrelated to BEIID, purchased from the Issuer an aggregate of 6,709,566 shares of common stock, par value \$0.00125 per share, at a purchase price of US\$2.027 per share, for an aggregate purchase price of US\$13,600,000.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

The Purchase Shares held by E-Town are held for investment purposes. E-Town intends to continuously review its investment in the Issuer, and may in the future determine, subject to any legal and contractual restrictions, (i) to acquire additional securities of the Issuer, through open market purchases, private agreements or otherwise, (ii) to dispose of all or a portion of the securities of the Issuer owned by it or (iii) to take any other available course of action, which could involve one or more of the types of transactions or have one or more of the results, as specified in clauses (a) through (j) of Item 4 of Schedule 13D. Notwithstanding anything contained herein, E-Town specifically reserves the right to change its intention with respect to any or all of such matters. In reaching any decision as to its course of action (as well as to the specific elements thereof), E-Town currently expects that it would take into consideration a variety of factors, including, but not limited to, the following: the Issuer's business and prospects; other developments concerning the Issuer and its business generally; other business opportunities available to E-Town; developments with respect to the business of E-Town; changes in law and government regulations; general economic conditions and the conditions in the industries served by E-Town and the Issuer, respectively; and money and stock market conditions, including the market price of the securities of the Issuer; and E-Town's contractual obligations with respect to the Purchase Shares.

Pursuant to the Stockholders Rights Agreement dated February 1, 2010 by and between the Issuer and BEIID (the Rights Agreement) and the Purchase Agreement, upon the Closing, the Issuer increased the size of its board of directors from six to seven directors and caused Mr. Xiaoping Li, Executive Deputy General Manager of BEIID and one of the directors of E-Town, the designee of BEIID, to be appointed to the board of directors with a term expiring in 2011. Under the terms of the Rights Agreement, BEIID will continue to have the right to designate one director to the Board provided that BEIID or its affiliates maintain an ownership interest equal to or exceeding 5% of the outstanding shares of the Issuer.

Also pursuant to the Rights Agreement, BEIID agrees to hold the Purchase Shares for at least nine (9) months following the Closing. Additionally, for two years following the Closing, BEIID or its affiliates may not acquire shares of the Company in excess of its percentage ownership as of the Closing. As a result of the Assignment, E-Town is subject to the same restrictions under the Purchase Agreement and Rights Agreement with respect to the Purchase Shares as BEIID.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

- (a) According to the annual report filed by the Issuer on March 15, 2010, the Issuer had 131,142,771 outstanding shares of Common Stock as of March 1, 2010. After giving effect to the shares issued in the private placement transaction (including the Purchase Shares) as disclosed in the Issuer's Current Report filed on Form 8-K on September 13, 2010, the 11,363,636 shares of Common Stock held by E-Town constitute 7.6% of the issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Issuer.

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- (b) As the parent company of E-Town, its wholly-owned subsidiary, BEIID has the power to direct the vote and the disposition of the Purchase Shares held by E-Town. As a result, BEIID may be deemed to share power to direct the vote and the disposition of the Purchase Shares held by BEIID.
- (c) Except as disclosed in Item 3, E-Town has not effected any transactions during the past sixty (60) days with respect to any shares of Common Stock of the Issuer.
- (d) To the knowledge of E-Town, no one other than E-Town, or the partners, members, affiliates or shareholders of E-Town has the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, the Purchase Shares held by E-Town.
- (e) Not applicable.

Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships With Respect to Securities of the Issuer

The information set forth in Items 3 and 4 are hereby incorporated herein by reference.

Under the terms of the Purchase Agreement, the Purchase Shares may not be resold except pursuant to an effective registration statement under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act) or an available exemption from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws.

The foregoing description does not purport to cover all of the provisions of the Purchase Agreement and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full agreement, including the amendments thereto. The Purchase Agreement and amendments have been filed as an Exhibit to the Current Reports filed on Form 8-K by the Issuer on February 4, 2010, May 4, 2010, June 10, 2010, July 13, 2010 and September 13, 2010, respectively, and are incorporated into this Item 6 by reference.

Under the terms of the Rights Agreement, BEIID has certain demand and piggyback registration rights following a lock-up period whereby BEIID agrees to hold the shares acquired pursuant to the Purchase Agreement for at least nine (9) months following the Closing. Additionally, for two years following the Closing, BEIID may not acquire shares of the Company in excess of its percentage ownership as of the Closing.

The foregoing description does not purport to cover all of the provisions of the Rights Agreement and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full agreement, which has been filed as an Exhibit to the Current Report filed on Form 8-K by the Issuer on February 4, 2010 and is incorporated into this Item 6 by reference.

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Item 7. Material to Be Filed as Exhibits

- Exhibit 1 Common Stock Purchase Agreement dated February 1, 2010 by and between UTStarcom, Inc. and Beijing E-Town International Investment & Development Co., Ltd. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by UTStarcom, Inc. on February 4, 2010).
- Exhibit 2 Amendment to Common Stock Purchase Agreement dated February 1, 2010 by and between UTStarcom, Inc. and Beijing E-town International Investment & Development Co., Ltd. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by UTStarcom, Inc. on May 4, 2010).
- Exhibit 3 Second Amendment to Common Stock Purchase Agreement dated February 1, 2010, as amended on April 30, 2010, by and between UTStarcom, Inc. and Beijing E-town International Investment & Development Co., Ltd. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by UTStarcom, Inc. on June 10, 2010).
- Exhibit 4 Third Amendment to Common Stock Purchase Agreement dated February 1, 2010, as amended on April 30, 2010 and June 4, 2010, by and between UTStarcom, Inc. and Beijing E-town International Investment & Development Co., Ltd. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by UTStarcom, Inc. on July 13, 2010).
- Exhibit 5 Fourth Amendment to Common Stock Purchase Agreement dated February 1, 2010, as amended on April 30, 2010, June 4, 2010 and July 7, 2010, by and between UTStarcom, Inc. and Beijing E-town International Investment & Development Co., Ltd. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by UTStarcom, Inc. on September 13, 2010).
- Exhibit 6 Stockholders Rights Agreement dated February 1, 2010 by and between UTStarcom, Inc. and Beijing E-Town International Investment & Development Co., Ltd. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by UTStarcom, Inc. on February 4, 2010).

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Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

September 17, 2010
Date

/s/ WEN BAI
Signature

Wen Bai, Chairman
Name/Title