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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Amendment No. 3 to

SCHEDULE 14D-9

(Rule 14d-101)

Solicitation/Recommendation Statement Under Section 14(d)(4) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

OPNET Technologies, Inc.

(Name of Subject Company)

OPNET Technologies, Inc.

(Name of Person Filing Statement)

Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

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(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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Introduction

This Amendment No. 3 to Schedule 14D-9 (this <u>Amendment</u>) amends and supplements the Solicitation/Recommendation Statement on Schedule 14D-9 (as amended from time to time, the <u>Statement</u>) originally filed by OPNET Technologies, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the <u>Company</u> or <u>OPNET</u>), with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 14, 2012 and subsequently amended by Amendment No. 1 on November 21, 2012 and Amendment No. 2 on December 3, 2012. This Statement relates to an exchange offer by Octagon Acquisition Corp., a Delaware corporation (Acquisition Sub) and a wholly owned subsidiary of Riverbed Technology, Inc., a Delaware corporation (Riverbed), disclosed in a Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO, dated November 14, 2012 (as amended or supplemented from time to time, the Schedule TO), to acquire all of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of OPNET (the Shares) in exchange for consideration per Share consisting of (i) \$36.55 in cash and (ii) 0.2774 of a share of Riverbed common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the Riverbed Stock), without interest, and upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Prospectus/Offer to Exchange, dated November 14, 2012 (as originally filed with the registration statement on Form S-4 with the Securities and Exchange Commission relating to the shares of Riverbed Stock to be issued to the stockholders of OPNET in the Offer and the Merger, and as amended or supplemented from time to time, the Prospectus/Offer to Exchange), and in the related Letter of Transmittal (as amended or supplemented from time to time, the Letter of Transmittal, which together with the Prospectus/Offer to Exchange constitute the Offer). Except as otherwise set forth in this Amendment, the information set forth in the Statement remains unchanged.

Item 8. Additional Information

Item 8 of the Statement is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following text under the section captioned Antitrust:

As of 11:59 pm Eastern Standard Time on November 30, 2012, the applicable waiting period with respect to the filings made under the HSR Act expired.

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SIGNATURE

After due 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.

OPNET Technologies, Inc.

By: /s/ Marc A. Cohen Marc A. Cohen, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer

Dated: December 3, 2012