KEY TECHNOLOGY INC Form SC 13G January 29, 2008

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)*

Key Technology, Inc.
(Name of Issuer)
Common Stock, no par value
(Title of Class of Securities)
493143101
(CUSIP Number)
January 16, 2008
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- b Rule 13d-1(c)
- o Rule 13d-1(d)

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

^{*} The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

CUSIP No. 493143101

1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS Lafitte Capital Management LP

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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(a) o

(b) o

SEC USE ONLY

3

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

4

Texas

SOLE VOTING POWER

5

NUMBER OF 0

SHARES SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY 6

OWNED BY 541,686

EACH SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING 7

PERSON 0

WITH: SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

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541,686

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

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	o
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
	9.8%
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
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SCHEDULE 13G

This Schedule 13G (the Schedule 13G) is being filed on behalf of Lafitte Capital Management LP, a Texas limited Partnership (Lafitte) and Lafitte Capital, LLC., a Texas limited liability company (Lafitte Capital), relating to common stock, no par value (the Common Stock) of Key Technology, Inc., an Oregon corporation (the Issuer), purchased by Lafitte for the account of Lafitte Fund I Master Fund, L.P. (the Master Fund).

Item 1(a) Name of Issuer.

Key Technology, Inc.

Item 1(b) Address of Issuer s Principal Executive Offices.

150 Avery Street Walla Walla, Washington 99362

Item 2(a) Name of Person Filing.

Item 2(b) Address of Principal Business Office.

Item 2(c) Place of Organization.

Lafitte Capital Management LP 701 Brazos, Suite 375 Austin, Texas 78701 A Texas Limited Partnership

Lafitte Capital, LLC 701 Brazos, Suite 375 Austin, Texas 78701 A Texas Limited Liability Company

Lafitte is the investment manager for Master Fund and has been granted investment discretion over portfolio investments, including the Common Stock (as defined below), held by the Master Fund.

Item 2(d) Title of Class of Securities.

common stock, no par value (the Common Stock)

Item 2(e) CUSIP Number.

493143101

Item 3 Reporting Person.

The person filing is not listed in Items 3(a) through 3(j).

Item 4 Ownership.

- (a) Lafitte and Lafitte Capital are the beneficial owners of 541,686 shares of Common Stock. Lafitte may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock held by the Master Fund as a result of being the investment manager of the Master Fund. Lafitte Capital may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock held by Lafitte as a result of being the general partner of Lafitte.
- (b) The Reporting Persons beneficially own 541,686 shares of Common Stock which represent 9.8% of the shares of Common Stock outstanding. These percentages are determined by dividing the number of shares of Common Stock beneficially held by 5,552,697, the number of shares of Common Stock issued and outstanding as of December 07, 2007, as reported in the Issuer s Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 14, 2007.
- (c) Lafitte has been granted investment discretion over the Common Stock held by the Master Fund and, therefore, may direct the vote and disposition of 541,686 shares of Common Stock.

Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Inapplicable.

Item 6 Ownership of More Than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Inapplicable

Item 7 Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary which Acquired the Security Being Reported On by the Parent Holding Company.

Inapplicable.

Item 8 Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Inapplicable.

Item 9 Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Inapplicable.

Item 10 Certification.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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.

Date: January 29, 2008

LAFITTE CAPITAL, LLC

By: /s/ Bryant Regan Name: Bryant Regan Title: Manager

LAFITTE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LP

By: Lafitte Capital, LLC, its general partner

By: /s/ Bryant Regan Name: Bryant Regan Title: Manager

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EXHIBIT 1 JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the undersigned agree to the joint filing on behalf of each of them of a Statement on Schedule 13G (including any and all amendments thereto) with respect to the shares of Common Stock of Key Technology, Inc., an Oregon corporation, and further agree that this Joint Filing Agreement shall be included as an Exhibit to such joint filings.

The undersigned further agree that each party hereto is responsible for the timely filing of such Statement on Schedule 13G and any amendments thereto, and for the accuracy and completeness of the information concerning such party contained therein; provided, however, that no party is responsible for the accuracy or completeness of the information concerning any other party, unless such party knows or has reason to believe that such information is inaccurate.

This Joint Filing Agreement may be signed in counterparts with the same effect as if the signature on each counterpart were upon the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Agreement as of January 29, 2008.

LAFITTE CAPITAL, LLC

By: /s/ Bryant Regan Name: Bryant Regan Title: Manager

LAFITTE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LP

By: Lafitte Capital, LLC, its general partner

By: /s/ Bryant Regan Name: Bryant Regan

Title: Manager