ASTA FUNDING INC Form 10-Q/A March 13, 2009

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549 FORM 10-Q/A Amendment No. 1

bQUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2007

OR

• TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from _____ to ___

Commission file number: 0-26906 ASTA FUNDING, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

22-3388607 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

210 Sylvan Ave., Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey

(Address of principal executive offices)

07632 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number: (201) 567-5648

Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report: N/A 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 preceding 12 months (or 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 b 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 þ	Non-accelerated filer o (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)	Smaller reporting company o
		company)	

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act) Yes o No

As of March 10, 2009, the registrant had 14,271,824 common shares outstanding.

ASTA FUNDING, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES FORM 10-Q/A Amendment No. 1 EXPLANATORY NOTE

This amendment on Form 10-Q/A is being filed to include as Exhibit 10.4, the full non-redacted Subserving Agreement dated March 2, 2007 between Palisades Collection, LLC as Servicer and Wolpoff & Abramson, LLP as the Subservicer which replaces the redacted subservicer agreement included in our Report on Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2007 as Exhibit 10.4. Our request for confidentiality on Exhibit 10.4 as previously filed, was denied by the Securities & Exchange Commission. Wolpoff & Abramson has since merged into Mann Bracken, which Palisades Collection LLC continues to engage as a subservicer.

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Item 6. Exhibits **Signatures** Exhibit 10.4 Subservicing Agreement dated March 2, 2007 Section 302 Certificate of Principal Executive Officer Exhibit 31.1 Exhibit 31.2 Section 302 Certificate of Principal Financial Officer Section 906 Certificate of Principal Executive Officer Exhibit 32.1 Exhibit 32.2 Section 906 Certificate of Principal Financial Officer EX-10.4: SUBSERVICING AGREEMENT EX-31.1: CERTIFICATION EX-31.2: CERTIFICATION EX-32.1: CERTIFICATION EX-32.2: CERTIFICATION

Item 6. Exhibits

(a) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number

10.4	Subservicing Agreement dated March 2, 2007
31.1	Certification of the Registrant s Chief Executive Officer, Gary Stern, pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
31.2	Certification of the Registrant s Chief Financial Officer, Robert J. Michel, pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
32.1	Certification of the Registrant s Chief Executive Officer, Gary Stern, pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
32.2	Certification of the Registrant s Chief Financial Officer, Robert J. Michel, pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

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.

ASTA FUNDING, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: March 12, 2009 By: /s/ Gary Stern Gary Stern, Chairman President, Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer) Date: March 12, 2009

By: /s/ Robert J. Michel Robert J. Michel, Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)