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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM S-8
REGISTRATION STATEMENT
UNDER
THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

THE AMANDA CORPORATION, INC. (Formerly Pen Interconnect, Inc.)

Utah
(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation or organization)

87-0430260 (I.R.S. Employer identification No.)

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STOCK COMPENSATION PLAN

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CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Proposed maximum Proposed maximum

Title of securities Amount to be offering price aggregate offering Amount to be registered per share price registered

Common Stock

(par value .01) 31,289,727 \$0.01 \$312,897.27 \$74.78

Estimated solely for the purpose of determining the amount of registration fee and pursuant to Rules 457(c) and 457 (h) of the General Rules and Regulations

under the Securities Act of 1993, based upon the exercise price of 31,289,727 shares of common stock at \$0.006 per share which is the average of the bid and the asked prices per share of the registrant's common stock reported by the OTC Nasdaq Stock Market on January 31, 2002.

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PART I

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THIS SECTION 10(a) PROSPECTUS

Item 1. Plan Information.*

Item 2. Registrant Information and Employee Plan Annual Information.*

*Information required by Part 1 to be contained in the Section 10(a) prospectus is omitted from the registration statement in accordance with Rule 428 under the Securities Act of 1933.

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PART II

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Item 3. Incorporation of Documents by Reference

The following documents filed by The Amanda Company, Inc., (the "Company") with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") are incorporated by reference herein:

- (a) the Company's annual report on Form 10-KSB for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2001 (Commission File No. 1-14072):
- (b) all other reports filed by the Company pursuant to Section 13(a) or Section 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), since September 30, 2001 through the date hereof; and
- (c) any document filed by the Company with the Commission pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act subsequent to the date hereof, but prior to the filing of a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement which indicates that all shares of Common Stock registered hereunder have been sold or that deregisters all such shares of common Stock then remaining unsold, such documents being deemed to be incorporated by reference herein and to be part hereof from the date of filing of such documents.

Item 4. Description of Securities

Not applicable.

Item 5. Interests of Named Experts and Counsel

Not applicable.

Item 6. Indemnification of Directors and Officer

The Certificate of Incorporation of the Company provides that all directors, officers, employees and agents of the Company shall be entitled to be indemnified by the Company to the fullest extent permitted by law. The Certificate of Incorporation also provides as follows:

The corporation shall, to the fullest extent permitted by the Act, as the same may be amended and supplemented, indemnify all directors, officers, employees, and agents of the corporation whom it shall have power to indemnify thereunder from and against any and all of the expenses, liabilities, or other matters referred to therein or covered thereby.

Such right to indemnification or advancement of expenses shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee, or agent of the corporation, and shall

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inure to the benefit of the heirs, executives, and administrators of such persons. The indemnification and advancement of expenses provided for herein shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those seeking indemnification or advancement may be entitled under any bylaw, agreement, vote of stockholders or of disinterested directors or otherwise. The corporation shall have the right to purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of its directors, officers, and employees or agents to the full extent permitted by the Act, as the same may be amended or supplemented.

Commission Policy

Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933 (the "Act") may be permitted to directors, officers or persons controlling the Company pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the Company has been advised that in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Act and is, therefore, unenforceable.

Item 7. Exemption from Registration Claimed

Not applicable.

Item 8. Exhibits

The Exhibits to this registration statement are listed in the index to Exhibits on page 8.

Item 9. Undertakings

- (a) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:
 - (1) To file during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post- effective amendment to this Registration Statement:
 - (i) To include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the securities Act 1933:
 - (ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of this Registration Statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in this Registration Statement:
 - (iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in this Registration Statement or any material change to such information in this Registration Statement; provided, however, that paragraph (1) (i) and (I) (ii) do not apply if the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraph is contained in periodic reports filed by the

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Company pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15 (d) of the Exchange Act that are incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement.

(2) That for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each such post-effective amendments shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

To remove from registration by mean of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered hereunder that remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

The undersigned Company hereby undertakes that for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each filing of the Company's annual report pursuant to Section 13 (a) or Section 15 (d) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 (and, where applicable, each filing of an employee benefit plan's annual report pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) that is incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(3) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933 may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the Company pursuant to the above-described provisions or otherwise, the Company has been advised that in the opinion of the Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities act of 1933 and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the Company of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the Company in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being

registered, the Company will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act of 1933 and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing a form S-8 and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Irvine, State of California on January 25, 2002.

The Amanda Corporation, Inc. By /s/ Jose Candia Jose Candia, CEO

Each person whose signature appears below hereby constitutes and appoints David Woo as his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for him or her and in his or her name, place and stead in any and all capacities to sign any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to this Registration Statement on Form S-8 and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933. Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this registration statement was signed by the following persons in their capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ David Woo David Woo	Chairman	 January 25, 2002
/s/ Jose Candia Jose Candia	Director/CEO	January 25, 2002
/s/ Steve Fryer Steve Fryer	Director	January 25, 2002
/s/ Tim Morgan Tim Morgan	Director	January 25, 2002
/s/ Bill Prevot Bill Prevot	Director	January 25, 2002
/s/ Brian Bonar Brian Bonar	Director	January 25, 2002

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INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit NO.

Description

- 5.1 Opinion of Counsel, regarding the legality of the securities registered hereunder.
- 10.2 2002 Stock Compensation Plan
- 23.1 Consent of Independent Public Accountants
- 23.2 Consent of Counsel (included as part of Exhibit 5.1)

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Exhibit 5.1

OPINION OF COUNSEL

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January 25, 2002

Amanda Corporation, Inc. 13765 Alton Parkway, Suite F Irvine, CA 92618

Re: Registration Statement on Form S-8

Gentleman:

I have acted as counsel for Amanda Corporation, Inc. (the "Company"), in connection with the preparation and filing of the Company's Registration statement on Form S-8 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, (the

"Registration Statement"), relating to 31,289,727 shares of the Company's common stock, .01 par value, (the "common stock"), issuable pursuant to the Company's Stock Compensation Plan, (the "Plan").

I have examined the Certificate of Incorporation, as amended, and the By-Laws of the Company and all amendments thereto, the Registration Statement and originals, or copies certified to my satisfaction, of such records and meetings, written actions in lieu of meetings, or resolutions adopted at meetings, of the directors of the Company, and such other documents and instruments as in my judgment are necessary or appropriate to enable me to render the opinions expressed below.

Based on the foregoing examination, I am of the opinion that the shares of Common Stock issuable with the Plan are duly authorized and, when issued in accordance with the Plan, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable.

Further, I consent to the filing of this opinion as an exhibit to the Registration Statement.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Rebecca Wilson Rebecca Wilson, Esq.

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Exhibit 10.2

THE AMANDA CORPORATION, INC.

2002 STOCK COMPENSATION PLAN

- 1. Purpose of the Plan. The purpose of the 2002 Stock Compensation Plan ("Plan") of The Amanda Company, Inc., a California corporation, ("Company") is to provide the Company with a means of compensating selected key employees (including officers) and directors of and consultants to the Company and its subsidiaries for their services rendered in connection with the development of The Amanda Corporation, Inc. with shares of Common Stock of the Company.
- 2. Administration of the Plan. The Plan shall be administered by the Company's Board of Directors (the "Board").
- 2.1 Award or Sales of shares. The Company's Board shall (a) select those key employees (including officers), directors and consultants to whom shares of the Company's Common Stock shall be awarded or sold, and (b) determine the number of shares to be awarded or sold; the time or times at which shares shall be awarded or sold; whether the shares to be awarded or sold will be registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission; and such conditions, rights of repurchase, rights of first refusal or other transfer restrictions as the Board may determine. Each award or sale of shares under the Plan may or may not be evidenced by a written agreement between the Company and the persons to whom shares of the Company's Common Stock are awarded or sold.

- 2.2 Consideration for Shares. Shares of the Company's Common Stock to be awarded or sold under the Plan shall be issued for such consideration, having a value not less than par value thereof, as shall be determined from time to time by the Board in its sole discretion.
- 2.3 Board Procedures. The Board from time to time may adopt such rules and regulations for carrying out the purposes of the Plan as it may deem proper and in the best interests of the Company. The Board shall keep minutes of its meetings and records of its actions. A majority of the members of the Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business by the Board. The Board may act at any time by an affirmative vote of a majority of those members voting. Such vote shall be taken at a meeting (which may be conducted in person or by any telecommunication medium) or by written consent of Board members without a meeting.
- 2.4 Finality of Board Action. The Board shall resolve all questions arising under the Plan. Each determination, interpretation, or other action made or taken by the Board shall be final and conclusive and binding on all persons, including, without

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limitation, the Company, its stockholders, the Board and each of the members of the Board.

- 2.5 Non-Liability of Board Members. No Board member shall be liable for any action or determination made by him in good faith with respect to the Plan or any shares of the Company's Common Stock sold or awarded under it.
- 2.6 Board Power to amend, Suspend, or Terminate the Plan. The Board may, from time to time, make such changes in or additions to the Plan as it may deem proper and in the best interests of the Company and its Stockholders. The Board may also suspend or terminate the Plan at any time, without notice, and in its sole discretion.
- 3. Shares Subject to the Plan. For purposes of the Plan, the Board of Directors is authorized to sell or award up to 31,289,727 shares and/or options of the Company's Common Stock, .01 par value per share ("Common Stock").
- 4. Participants. All key employees (including officers) and directors of and consultants to the Company and any of its subsidiaries (sometimes referred to herein as ("participants") are eligible to participate in the Plan. A copy of this Plan shall be delivered to all requesting participants, together with a copy of any Board resolutions authorizing the issuance of the shares and establishing the terms and conditions, if any, relating to the sale or award of such shares.
- 5. Rights and Obligations of Participants. The award or sale of shares of Common stock shall be conditioned upon the participant providing to the Board a written representation that, at the time of such award or sale, it is the intent of such person(s) to acquire the shares for investment only and not with a view toward distribution. The certificate for unregistered shares issued for investment shall be restricted by the Company as to transfer unless the Company receives an opinion of counsel satisfactory to the Company to the effect that such restriction is not necessary under the pertaining law. The providing of

such representation and such restriction on transfer shall not, however, be required upon any person's receipt of shares of Common Stock under the Plan in the event that, at the time of award or sale, the shares shall be (i) covered by an effective and current registration statement under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and (ii) either qualified or exempt from qualification under applicable state securities laws. The Company shall, however, under no circumstances be required to sell or issue any shares under the Plan if, in the opinion of the Board, (i) the issuance of such shares would constitute a violation by the participant or the Company of any applicable law or regulation of any governmental authority, or (ii) the consent or approval of any governmental body is necessary or desirable as a condition of, or in connection with, the issuance of such shares.

6. Payment of Shares.

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- (a) The entire purchase price of shares issued under the Plan shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the time when such shares are purchased, except as provided in subsection (b) below.
- (b) At the discretion of the Board, Shares may be issued under the Plan in consideration of services rendered.
- 7. Adjustments. If the outstanding Common Stock shall be hereafter increased or decreased, or changed into or exchanged for a different number or kind of shares or other securities of the Company or of another corporation, by reason of a recapitalization, reclassification, reorganization, merger, consolidation, share exchange, or other business combination in which the Company is the surviving parent corporation, stock split-up, combination of shares, or dividend or other distribution payable in capital stock or rights to acquire capital stock, appropriate adjustment shall be made by the Board in the number and kind of shares which may be granted under the Plan.
- 8. Tax Withholding. As a condition to the purchase or award of shares, the participant shall make such arrangements as the Board may require for the satisfaction of any federal, state, local or foreign withholding tax obligations that may arise in connection with such purchase or award.
 - 9. Terms of the Plan.
 - 9.1 Effective Date. The Plan shall become effective on January 1, 2002.
- 9.2 Termination Date. The Plan shall terminate at Midnight on January 1, 2004, and no shares shall be awarded or sold after that time. The Plan may be suspended or terminated at any earlier time by the Board within the limitations set forth in Section 2.6.
- 10. Non-Exclusivity of the Plan. Nothing contained in the Plan is intended to amend, modify, or rescind any previously approved compensation plans, programs or options entered into by the Company. This Plan shall be construed to be in addition to and independent of any and all such other arrangements. The adoption of the Plan by the Board shall not be construed as creating any limitations on the power of authority of the Board to adopt, with or without

stockholder approval, such additional or other compensation arrangements as the Board may from time to time deem desirable.

11. Governing Law. The Plan and all rights and obligations under it shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the state of California.

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Exhibit 23.1

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

We consent to the inclusion in this registration statement on Form S-8, under caption "Experts", the reference to our report dated December 28, 2001 with respect to the Financial Statements of The Amanda Company, Inc, for the year ended September 30, 2001.

/s/ Pohl, McNabola, Berg & Company LLP Pohl, McNabola, Berg & Company LLP

January 25, 2002 San Francisco, California