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

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#### FORM 10-K

[X] ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2000

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[\_] TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from to

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CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC. (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 04-3477276 (State or other jurisdiction (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number) of incorporation or organization)

c/o Circor, Inc. Suite 290 35 Corporate Drive, Burlington, MA

(Address of principal executive (Zip Code) offices)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code): (781) 270-1200

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Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	New York Stock Exchange
Preferred Stock Purchase Rights	New York Stock Exchange

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: None.

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 for 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 [X] No [\_]

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of Registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K. [X]

The aggregate market value of voting stock held by non-affiliates of the Registrant as of February 28, 2001, was \$140,315,831. As of February 28, 2001, there were 13,262,891 shares of the Registrant's Common Stock outstanding.

# DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

Part III incorporates by reference certain portions of the information from the Registrant's Definitive Proxy Statement for the 2000 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held on May 17, 2001. The Definitive Proxy Statement will be filed within 120 days of the end of 2000.

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#### PART I

### ITEM 1. BUSINESS

# Our History

We were established by our former parent, Watts Industries, Inc., or Watts, to continue to operate the former industrial, oil and gas businesses of Watts. On October 18, 1999, Watts distributed all of our outstanding common stock to Watts shareholders of record as of October 6, 1999 in a tax-free distribution. As a result, discussions relating to historical activities of our business units also include time periods when they constituted the former industrial, oil and gas businesses of Watts. In connection with the spin-off, our common stock was listed on the NYSE under the symbol "CIR" and we entered into agreements with Watts regarding licensing and tax sharing arrangements, benefits and indemnification matters. As used in this report, the terms "we," "us," "our" and "CIRCOR" mean CIRCOR International, Inc. and its subsidiaries (unless the context indicates another meaning). The term "common stock" means our common stock, par value \$0.01 per share.

# Our Business

We design, manufacture and distribute a broad array of valves and related products and services to a variety of end-markets for use in a wide range of applications to optimize the efficiency and/or ensure the safety of fluid-control systems. We have a global presence and operate 14 manufacturing facilities which are located in the United States, Canada, Europe and the People's Republic of China. We have two major product groups: instrumentation and fluid regulation products, and petrochemical products. Our products are sold through more than 900 distributors servicing 24,000 end-users in over 90 countries around the world. Within our major product groups, we have used both internal product development and strategic acquisitions to assemble an array of fluid-control products and technologies that enable us to address our customers' unique fluid-control application products accounted for 56.3% of our net revenues and petrochemical products accounted for the remaining 43.7%.

Instrumentation and Fluid Regulation Products Group. The instrumentation and fluid regulation products group designs, manufactures and distributes valves, fittings and controls for diverse end-uses, including hydraulic, pneumatic, cryogenic and steam applications. Selected products include precision valves, compression tube and pipe fittings, control valves, fittings and regulators. The instrumentation and fluid regulation products group consists primarily of the following product families: Aerodyne Controls; Circle Seal Controls; Leslie Controls; Nicholson Steam Trap; GO Regulator; Hoke; Spence Engineering; Atkomatic Valve; CPC; Cryolab; and Rockwood Swendeman.

The instrumentation and fluid regulation products group had combined revenues of \$178.2 million for the year ended December 31, 2000.

We have had a long-standing presence in the steam application markets, starting with our 1982 acquisition of Spence Engineering and our 1989 acquisitions of Leslie Controls and Nicholson Steam Trap. We believe that we have a very strong franchise in steam valve products. Both Leslie Controls and Spence Engineering have been in the steam pressure reduction and control business for over 100 years, and due to their reputation for reliability and quality, customers often specify their products by name. Our steam valve products are used in: municipal and institutional steam heating and airconditioning applications; power plants; industrial and food processing; and commercial and military maritime applications.

Commencing with the 1990 acquisition of Circle Seal, we have acquired nine instrumentation and fluid regulation businesses to complement our steam product business. These acquisitions included Aerodyne in December 1997, Atkomatic in April 1998, Hoke in July 1998 and GO Regulator in April 1999. Aerodyne manufactures high-precision valve components for the medical, analytical, military and aerospace markets. Aerodyne also provides advanced technologies and control systems capabilities to other companies in the instrumentation and fluid regulation products group. Atkomatic makes heavy-duty process solenoid valves which automate the regulation and sequencing of liquid levels or volume flow. GO Regulator offers a complete line of specialized cylinder valves, customized valves and pneumatic pressure regulators for instrumentation, analytical and process applications in addition to an emerging product line of regulators for the ultra high purity markets.

We significantly expanded the breadth of our instrumentation and fluid regulation product lines with the acquisition of Hoke in July 1998. Our largest acquisition to date, Hoke provides us with a leading line of Gyrolok(R) compression tube fittings, as well as instrumentation ball valves, plug valves, metering valves and needle valves. Circle Seal and Hoke serve several common markets and we cross-market their products through their respective distribution channels. Furthermore, Hoke, with nearly 50% of its revenues derived outside of the United States, significantly expanded our geographic marketing and distribution capabilities. We have integrated Circle Seal's and Hoke's administrative and distribution activities for increased cost reductions. We believe that our ability to provide various instrumentation markets with complete fluid-control solutions is enhanced by the combined product line offerings of Circle Seal, Hoke and GO Regulator.

With the acquisition of Cryolab in 1995 we entered the cryogenic valve business. Since then we have added the CPC and, most recently, Rockwood Swendeman product lines which collectively give us an array of valve products for demanding cryogenic applications and have enabled us to expand our presence in the industrial gas market.

Petrochemical Products Group. The petrochemical products group designs, manufactures and distributes flanged-end and threaded-end floating and trunnion ball valves, needle valves, check valves, butterfly valves, large forged steel ball valves, gate valves and strainers for use in oil, gas and chemical processing and industrial applications. We believe that our petrochemical products group is one of the top three producers of ball valves for the oil and natural gas markets worldwide. The petrochemical products group consists primarily of the following product families: KF Industries; Contromatics Specialty Products; Eagle Check Valve; Pibiviesse; Telford Valve and Specialties; Suzhou KF Valve; and SSI Equipment.

The petrochemical products group had combined revenues of \$138.6 million for the year ended December 31, 2000.

We entered the petrochemical products market in 1978 with the formation by Watts of the industrial products division and our development of a floating ball valve for industrial and chemical processing applications. With the acquisition of KF Industries in July 1988, we expanded our product offerings to include floating and trunnion-supported ball valves and needle valves. KF Industries gave us entry into the oil and gas transmission, distribution and exploration markets. In 1989, we acquired Eagle Check Valve, which added check valves to our product line. Pibiviesse S.p.A., based in Nerviano, Italy, was acquired in November 1994. Pibiviesse manufactures forged steel ball valves for the petrochemical market, including a complete range of trunnion-mounted ball valves. Pibiviesse's manufacturing capabilities include valve sizes up through 60 inches in diameter, including very high pressure ratings to meet demanding international oil and gas pipeline and production requirements. In March 1998, we

added Telford Valve to KF Industries. Telford Valve had been one of KF Industries' largest distributors and, with its acquisition, KF Industries increased its presence in Canada, as well as introduced Telford Valve's products (check valves, pipeline closures, and specialty gate valves) through its worldwide representative network. Telford Valve also has assumed the Canadian sales activities for other of our petrochemical products group companies to strengthen our overall presence in Canada. In January 1999, we acquired SSI Equipment Inc. and added a wide variety of strainers to the KF Industries product line. During 1999, we consolidated the industrial products division of Watts into the KF Industries facility in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. These industrial products consist of carbon steel and stainless steel ball valves, butterfly valves and pneumatic actuators that are used in a variety of industrial, pulp, paper and chemical processing applications.

We also own 60% of Suzhou KF Valve Company, Ltd., a joint venture located in Suzhou, People's Republic of China. Suzhou KF Valve manufactures two inch through twelve inch carbon and stainless steel ball valves for us and Suzhou Valve Factory, our joint venture partner. We sell products manufactured by Suzhou KF Valve to certain customers worldwide for oil and gas applications and outside the People's Republic of China for industrial applications. Our joint venture partner and its related entities have exclusive rights to sell Suzhou KF Valve products for all industrial (i.e., non-oil and gas) applications within the People's Republic of China.

#### Industry

Oil and Gas and Petrochemical Markets. The oil and gas and petrochemical markets include domestic and international oil and gas exploration and production, distribution pipeline construction and maintenance, chemical processing and general industrial applications.

Process and Power Markets. The process and power markets use steam and other fluids for a variety of applications, including: heating facilities; producing hot water; freeze protection of external piping; cleaning by laundries; food processing and cooking; and heat transfer applications using steam or hot water in industrial processes.

HVAC and Maritime Markets. The HVAC market utilizes valves and control systems, primarily in steam-related applications. Steam control products also are used in the maritime market, which includes the U.S. Navy and commercial shipping.

Aerospace and Military Markets. The aerospace and military markets we serve include valve applications used on military combat and transport aircraft, helicopters, missiles, tracked vehicles and ships. Our products also are used on commercial, commuter and business aircraft, space launch vehicles, space shutles and satellites. Our products also are sold into the support infrastructure for these markets, with such diverse applications as laboratory equipment and ground support maintenance equipment. We supply products used in hydraulic, fuel, water, and air systems.

Pharmaceutical, Medical and Analytical Instrumentation Markets. The pharmaceutical industry uses products manufactured by our instrumentation and fluid regulation products group in research and development, analytical instrumentation and process measurement applications. The instrumentation and fluid regulation products group markets its products to original equipment manufacturers of surgical and medical instruments. Representative applications include: surgical and medical instruments; orthopedic devices and surgical supplies; diagnostic reagents; electromedical equipment; x-ray equipment; and dental equipment.

#### Our Business Objectives and Strategies

We are focused on providing solutions for our customers' fluid-control requirements through a broad base of products and services. We believe many of our product lines have leading positions in their niche markets. Our objective is to enhance shareholder value through profitable growth of our diversified, multi-national fluid-control company. In order to achieve this objective, our key strategies are to:

- . Continue to build market positions;
- . Improve the profitability of our business;
- . Expand into various fluid control industries and markets and capitalize on integration opportunities;
- . Increase product offerings; and
- . Expand our geographic coverage.

Overall, our growth strategies are expected to continue increasing our market positions, building our product offerings, enhancing marketing and distribution channels and providing additional opportunities to realize integration cost savings.

# Products

The following table lists the principal products and markets served by each of the businesses within our two product groups. Within the majority of our product lines, we believe that we have the broadest product offerings in terms of distinct designs, sizes and configurations of our valves.

Product Families	Principal Products	Primary Markets Served				
Instrumentation and Fluid Regulation Products Group						
Hoke	Compression tube fittings; pipe fittings; instrument ball and needle valves; cylinders; cylinder valves; actuators	General industrial; analytical instrumentation; compressed natural gas; natural gas vehicles; chemical processing				
Circle Seal Controls	Motor operated valves; check valves; relief valves; pneumatic valves; solenoid valves; regulators	General industrial; semiconductors; medical; pharmaceutical; aerospace; military				
Leslie Controls	Steam and water regulators; steam control valves; electric actuated shut-off valves	General industrial and power; maritime; chemical processing				
Spence Engineering	Pilot operated and direct steam regulators; steam control valves	HVAC; general industrial				
Nicholson Steam Trap	Safety and relief valves; steam traps	HVAC; general industrial				
GO Regulator	Pressure reducing regulators; specialized cylinder manifolds; high pressure regulators; pneumatic pressure regulators; diaphragm valves	Analytical instrumentation; chemical processing				
Aerodyne Controls	Pneumatic manifold switches; mercury- free motion switches; pneumatic valves; control assemblies	Aerospace; medical instrumentation; military; automotive				
CPC, Cryolab and Rockwood Swendeman	Cryogenic control and safety relief valves; valve assemblies	Liquified industrial gases; other high purity processing				

Product Families	Principal Products	Primary Markets Served						
Petrochemical Products Group								
KF Industries	Threaded and flanged-end floating ball actuators; pipeline closures; trunnion supported ball valves; needle valves; check valves; strainers	Oil and gas exploration, production, refining and transmission; maritime; chemical processing						
Pibiviesse	Forged steel ball valves	Oil and gas exploration, production, refining and transmission						
Contromatics Speciality Products	Threaded and flanged-end floating ball valves; butterfly valves; pneumatic and electric activators	Oil and gas exploration, production, refining and transmission; general industrial; chemical processing						
SSI Equipment	Specialty strainers; check valves; butterfly valves; connectors	General industrial; chemical processing; refining						

#### Sales and Distribution

We sell our products to distributors and end-users primarily through commissioned representatives and secondarily through our direct sales force. Our representative networks offer technically trained sales forces with strong relationships to key markets without fixed costs to us.

We believe that our multifaceted and well established sales and distribution channels constitute a competitive strength, providing access to all of our markets. We believe that we have good relationships with our representatives and distributors and we continue to implement marketing programs to enhance these relationships. Ongoing distribution-enhancement programs include shortening shelf stock delivery, reducing assemble-to-order lead times, introducing new products, offering competitive pricing and increasing inventory turns.

# Manufacturing

We have fully-integrated and highly automated manufacturing capabilities including machining operations and assembly. Our machining operations feature computer-controlled machine tools, high-speed chucking machines and automatic screw machines for machining brass, iron and steel components. We believe that our fully-integrated manufacturing capabilities are essential in the valve industry in order to control product quality, to be responsive to customers' custom design requirements and to ensure timely delivery. Product quality and performance are a priority for our customers, especially since many of our product applications involve caustic or volatile chemicals and, in many cases, involve processes that are used in the precise control of fluids. We have implemented integrated enterprise-wide software systems at all of our major locations to make operations more efficient and to improve communications with our suppliers and customers.

We are committed to maintaining our manufacturing equipment at a level consistent with current technology in order to maintain high levels of quality and manufacturing efficiencies. As part of this commitment, we have spent a total of \$3.7 million, \$4.6 million, \$9.5 million and \$6.1 million on capital expenditures for the year ended December 31, 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999 and for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998, respectively. Depreciation and amortization for such periods were \$13.0 million, \$7.1 million, \$12.8 million and \$7.8 million, respectively.

We believe that our current facilities will meet our near-term production requirements without the need for additional facilities.

#### Quality Control

Products representing a majority of our sales have been approved by applicable industry standards agencies in the United States and European markets. We have consistently advocated the development and enforcement of performance and safety standards, and are currently planning new investments and implementing additional procedures as part of our commitment to meet these standards. We maintain quality control and testing procedures at each of our manufacturing facilities in order to produce products in compliance with these standards. Additionally, all of our major manufacturing subsidiaries have acquired ISO 9000, 9001 or 9002 certification from the International Organization for Standardization and, for those in the petrochemical products group, American Petroleum Institute certification.

Our products are designed, manufactured and tested to meet the requirements of various government or industry regulatory bodies. The primary industry standards that our instrumentation and fluid regulation products group meet are Underwriters' Laboratory, American National Standards Institute, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, U.S. Military Standards, the American Gas Association and the Department of Transportation. The primary industry standards that our petrochemical products group meet are American National Standards Institute, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the American Petroleum Institute and Factory Mutual.

#### Product Development

We continue to develop new and innovative products to enhance our market positions. Our product development capabilities include the ability to design and manufacture custom applications to meet high tolerance or close precision requirements. For example, KF Industries has fire-safe testing capabilities, Circle Seal has the ability to meet the testing specifications of the aerospace industry and Pibiviesse can meet the tolerance requirements of sub-sea and cryogenic environments. These testing and manufacturing capabilities have enabled us to develop customer-specified applications, unique characteristics of which have been subsequently utilized in broader product offerings. Our research and development expenditures for the year ended December 31, 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999 and the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and June 30, 1998 were \$6.2 million, \$3.2 million, \$6.1 million and \$5.5 million, respectively.

# Raw Materials

The raw materials used most often in our production processes are stainless steel, carbon steel, cast iron, and brass. We purchase these materials from numerous suppliers and have not historically experienced significant difficulties in obtaining these commodities in quantities sufficient for our operations. However, these materials are subject to price fluctuations which may adversely affect our results of operations. Historically, increases in the prices of raw materials have been partially offset by increased sales prices, active materials management, project engineering programs and the diversity of materials used in our production processes.

### Competition

The domestic and international markets for fluid-control products are highly competitive. Some of our competitors have substantially greater financial, marketing, personnel and other resources than us. We consider product quality, performance, price, distribution capabilities and breadth of product offerings to be the primary competitive factors in these markets. We believe that new product



development and product engineering are also important to our success and that our position in the industry is attributable, in significant part, to our ability to develop innovative products quickly and to adapt and enhance existing products.

The primary competitors of our instrumentation and fluid regulation products group include: Swagelok Company; Parker Hannifin Corporation; Spirax-Sarco Engineering plc; Flowseal (a division of Crane Co.); Flowserve Corporation; and Keystone (a division of Tyco International Ltd.).

The primary competitors of our petrochemical products group include: Grove Valve and Regulator Co. (a unit of First Reserve Corporation and Odyssey Investment Partners, LLC); Cooper Cameron Corporation; Apollo (a division of Conbraco Industries, Inc.); Jamesbury, Inc. (a division of Neles Control Group which is part of the Rauma Corporation); and Worcester Controls Corp. (a subsidiary of Invensys plc).

# Trademarks and Patents

We own patents that are scheduled to expire between 2004 and 2016 and trademarks that can be renewed as long as we continue to use them. We do not believe the vitality and competitiveness of our business as a whole depends on any one or more patents or trademarks. We own certain licenses such as software licenses, but we also do not believe that our business as a whole depends on any one or more licenses.

# Customers, Cyclicality and Seasonality

For the year ended December 31, 2000 no single customer accounted for more than 10% of revenues for either the instrumentation and fluid regulation products group or the petrochemical products group.

We have experienced and expect to continue to experience fluctuations in revenues and operating results due to economic and business cycles. Our businesses, particularly the petrochemical products group, is cyclical in nature as the worldwide demand for oil and gas fluctuates. When the worldwide demand for oil and gas is depressed, the demand for our products used in those markets declines. Future changes in demand for petrochemical products could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations. Similarly, although not to the same extent as the oil and gas markets, the aerospace, military and maritime markets have historically experienced cyclical fluctuations in demand which could also have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations.

#### Backlog

Our backlog was \$66.4 million as of February 24, 2001, compared to \$58.9 million as of February 27, 2000. The change in our backlog was primarily due to increased orders for major oil and gas projects and fluid regulation products. These increases were partially offset by reductions to order backlog in our Oklahoma manufacturing facility as a result of improved on-time delivery of products.

#### Employees

As of December 31, 2000, our worldwide operations directly employed approximately 1,700 people, in addition to 90 employees in the Suzhou joint venture. We have 79 employees in the United States who are covered by collective bargaining agreements. We also have 126 employees in Italy covered by union regulations. We believe that our employee relations are good.

#### Segment and Geographic Financial Data

Financial information by segment and geographic area is incorporated herein by reference to Part II, Item 7, Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and note 14 in the notes to consolidated financial statements included in this report.

# Government Regulation

As a result of our manufacturing and assembly operations, our businesses are subject to federal, state, local and foreign laws, as well as other legal requirements relating to the generation, storage, transport and disposal of materials. These laws include, without limitation, the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, the Clean Air Act, the Clean Water Act and the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act.

We currently do not anticipate any materially adverse impact on our business, financial condition or results of operations as a result of compliance with federal, state, local and foreign environmental laws or other legal requirements. However, risk of environmental liability and charges associated with maintaining compliance with environmental laws is inherent in the nature of our manufacturing operations and there is no assurance that material liabilities or charges could not arise. During the year ended December 31, 2000, we capitalized \$0.1 million related to environmental and safety control facilities. We expect to capitalize \$0.6 million during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2001. We also incurred and expensed \$0.5 million of other related charges during the year ended December 31, 2000. We expect to incur and expense \$0.4 million in the fiscal year ending December 31, 2001.

On July 12, 2000, we were notified that the United States Customs Service, or Customs, had begun an investigation to determine whether our subsidiary, KF Industries was, and continues to be, in compliance with country of origin marking requirements on those valves that KF Industries imports from sources in the People's Republic of China, including our Chinese joint venture. While we believe that the Customs investigation will not result in any material liability to KF Industries, there can be no assurances as to the outcome of this matter. If the Customs investigation were to reveal that violations of the customs laws had occurred, KF Industries could be subjected to civil fines and forfeitures and, if such violations were determined to be intentional, criminal penalties, which could be material. We believe that KF Industries' marking practices have been in substantial compliance with Customs' regulations and we are cooperating with Customs in its investigation.

### ITEM 2. PROPERTIES

We maintain 15 major facilities worldwide, including 14 manufacturing facilities, located in the United States, Canada, Europe and the People's Republic of China. Many of these facilities contain sales offices or warehouses from which we ship finished goods to customers, distributors and commissioned representative organizations. Our executive office is located in Burlington, Massachusetts.

The instrumentation and fluid regulation products group has facilities located in North America and Europe. The petrochemical products group has facilities in North America, Italy and the Peoples Republic of China. Certain of our facilities are subject to mortgages and collateral assignments under loan agreements with long-term lenders.

In general, we believe that our properties, including machinery, tools and equipment, are in good condition, well maintained and are adequate and suitable for their intended uses. Our manufacturing facilities generally operate five days per week on one or two shifts. We believe our manufacturing capacity could be increased by working additional shifts and weekends. This utilization is subject to change as a result of increases or decreases in orders.

#### ITEM 3. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

We, like other worldwide manufacturing companies, are subject to a variety of potential liabilities connected with our business operations, including potential liabilities and expenses associated with possible product defects or failures and compliance with environmental laws. We maintain \$5.0 million in aggregate product liability insurance and \$75.0 million coverage available under an excess umbrella liability insurance policy. We also maintain a products liability policy with aggregate limits of \$200.0 million for the aviation products produced by our Circle Seal Controls operation. We believe this coverage to be generally in accordance with industry practices. Nonetheless, such insurance coverage may not be adequate to protect us fully against substantial damage claims which may arise from product defects and failures or from environmental liability.

Two of our subsidiaries, Leslie Controls and Spence Engineering, are thirdparty defendants in over 300 civil product liability actions filed against ship owner defendants in the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio (Cleveland) between the 1980s and 1996. These cases are part of tens of thousands of maritime asbestos cases filed in this court against multiple defendants. The ship owner defendants' third-party claims in the Leslie Controls and Spence Engineering cases typically involve 20-30 third-party defendants. The claims against Leslie Controls and Spence Engineering assert that the packing in metal pumps and the gaskets in metal valves supplied by Leslie Controls and Spence Engineering contained asbestos which contributed to the asbestos exposure of plaintiffs who worked on the defendants' ships. To date, only two cases involving Leslie Controls have settled in a way that required a payment from Leslie Controls. One case settled in 1995 with a \$2,000 payment from Leslie Controls; another settled in 1989 with a \$500 payment from Leslie Controls. These thousands of cases are subject to court ordered moratoriums on answers and motion practice, and the very small percentage of these cases that have come to trial since 1996 have not involved Leslie Controls or Spence Engineering.

We are currently a party to or otherwise involved in various administrative or legal proceedings under federal, state or local environmental laws or regulations involving a number of sites, in some cases as a participant in a group of potentially responsible parties, referred to as PRPs. Two of these sites, the Sharkey and Combe Landfills in New Jersey, are listed on the National Priorities List. With respect to the Sharkey Landfill, we have been allocated 0.75% of the remediation costs, an amount which is not material to us. With respect to the Combe Landfill, we have settled both the Federal Government's claim and the State of New Jersey's claim for amounts that are immaterial to us. Moreover, our insurers have covered defense and settlement costs to date with respect to the Sharkey and Combe Landfills. In addition we are involved as a PRP with respect to the Solvent Recovery Service of New England site and the Old Southington landfill site, both in Connecticut. These sites are on the National Priorities List but, with respect to both sites, we have the right to indemnification from the prior owners of the affected subsidiaries. Based on currently available information, we believe that our share of clean-up costs at these sites will not be material.

At the time of the spin-off, we were assigned all of the rights of Watts Investment Company under the stock purchase agreement governing the Hoke acquisition. Our recent success in two separate arbitration proceedings against the former Hoke shareholders involved purchase price adjustments and indemnification claims which resulted in net cash proceeds to us of \$11.3 million. The amount of the cash proceeds less the associated costs of pursuing these claims has been accounted for as a \$9.5 million reduction in the purchase price for Hoke.

We have established reserves for all of the claims discussed above and do not currently believe it is reasonably likely that losses could occur in excess of the amounts accrued. We have not recorded any probable third-party recoveries of our own on these claims.

There were no matters submitted to a vote of our security holders through solicitation of proxies or otherwise during the fourth quarter of the year 2000 covered by this report.

## PART II

# ITEM 5. MARKET FOR THE REGISTRANT'S COMMON EQUITY AND RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS

Our common stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "CIR". The following table sets forth, for the periods indicated, the high and low sale prices per share of our common stock on the New York Stock Exchange, as reported by the New York Stock Exchange and cash dividends paid during each of the quarters since we became a separate, independent company. Our common stock began trading on the New York Stock Exchange on October 19, 1999, the day after we were spun off from our former parent, Watts, and began trading at a price of \$10.88.

Year ended December 31, 1999	High		Cash Dividends Paid
4th Quarter	\$11.13	\$8.94	\$-
Year ended December 31, 2000 1st Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter	\$13.88 \$10.50	\$7.50 \$7.00	\$.0375 \$.0375

During the first quarter of 2001, we declared a dividend of \$.0375 per outstanding common share payable on March 16, 2001 to shareholders of record on March 2, 2001.

The board of directors is responsible for determining dividend policies. Although we currently intend to pay cash dividends, the timing and level of such dividends will necessarily depend on our board of directors' assessment of earnings, financial condition, capital requirements and other factors, including restrictions, if any, imposed by our lenders.

As of February 28, 2001, there were 13,262,891 shares of our common stock outstanding and we had approximately 147 holders of record of our common stock. We believe the number of beneficial owners of our common stock on that date was substantially greater.

# ITEM 6. SELECTED FINANCIAL DATA

The selected financial data has been derived from our consolidated financial statements and notes related thereto and should be read along with the section entitled "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" included in this report.

The consolidated statement of operations data for the year ended December 31, 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999 and the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998 and the consolidated balance sheet data as of December 31, 2000 and 1999 and June 30, 1999 are derived from, and should be read in conjunction with, our consolidated financial statements and the related notes.

The selected, unaudited pro forma financial data included in the following table are derived from the respective audited and unaudited consolidated financial statements described above and give effect to the transactions described in Note 15 to the consolidated financial statements included this report.

#### Selected Financial Data

# (In thousands, except per share data)

This selected consolidated financial data includes a presentation of EBITDA. EBITDA represents earnings before interest, income taxes, depreciation, amortization, restructuring, impairment and special charges. EBITDA is provided because it is a measure commonly used by investors to analyze and compare companies on the basis of operating performance. EBITDA is not a measurement for financial performance under generally accepted accounting principles and should not be construed as a substitute for operating income (loss), net income (loss) or cash flows. EBITDA, as we have calculated here, is not necessarily comparable with similarly titled measures for other companies.

	Years Ended December 31,			Six Months Ended December 31,			Fiscal Years Ended June 30,			
	2000 (1)	Pro Forma 1999 (1)(2)	1999 (1)	Pro Forma 1999 (1)(2)	1999 (1)	Pro Forma 1999 (2)	1999	1998	1997	1996 (3)
		(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)		(unaudited)				(unaudited)
Statement of Operations Data: Net revenues	\$316,863	\$314,726	\$314,726	\$157,265	\$157,265	\$324,258	\$324,258	\$291,580	\$275,758	\$231,784
Gross profit	95,791	100,496	100,496	48,652	48,652	103,646	103,646	93,428	87,412	67,359
Operating income (loss) Income (loss) before interest	27,636	27,627	27,815	13,785	13,846	29,297	29,550	38,191	33,906	(23,469)
and taxes Net income	26,876	17,059	18,152	13,235	13,386	29,526	29,779	38,497	33,233	(22,976)
(loss) Balance Sheet	10,560	9,894	10,550	4,650	4,880	11,736	12,510	22,425	19,614	(31,609)
Data (4): Total assets	\$347,062	\$367,085	\$367,085	\$367,085	\$367,085	\$362,370	\$359,043	\$256,914	\$212,727	\$202,956
Total debt (5) Shareholders'	91,533	125,127	125,127	125,127	125,127	116,248	26,582	15,753	13,252	14,110
equity Total	191,181	183,409	183,409	183,409	183,409	169,590	259,256	168,656	137,277	132,993
capitalization Other Financial	282,714	308,536	308,536	308,536	308,536	285,838	285,838	184,409	150,529	147,103
Data: EBITDA Cash flow provided by (used in):	\$ 41,790	\$ 41,790	\$ 41,572	\$ 21,123	\$ 21,184	\$ 42,288	\$ 42,541	\$ 46,341	\$ 40,149	\$ 33,219
Operating activities Investing	31,700	(519)	137	(15,059)	(14,829)	19,754	20,528	21,075	27,842	9,143
activities Financing	5,827	(21,762)	(21,762)	(5,171)	(5,171)	(82,704)	(82,704)	(29,197)	(6,792)	(11,032)
activities Net interest	(34,683)	24,245	23,589	18,666	18,436	63,719	62,945	11,633	(17,805)	2,557
expense Capital	9,276	9,823	8,918	4,864	4,542	9,845	8,808	3,471	3,274	4,462
expenditures Diluted earnings per common share	3,743	11,984	11,984	4,557	4,557	9,499	9,499	6,115	5,457	12,628
(6) Diluted weighted average common shares	\$0.78	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
outstanding (6) Cash dividends declared per	13,480	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
common share	\$ 0.1125	n/a	n/a	\$-	\$-	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

Notes:

- (1) The statement of operations data for the years ended December 31, 2000 and 1999 and for the six months ended December 31, 1999 includes, respectively, \$1.9 million, \$0.7 million and \$0.7 million of special charges associated with the closure, consolidation and reorganization of manufacturing plants.
- (2) As adjusted for the spin-off for: the assumption by CIRCOR of selected indebtedness from Watts; our credit facility and the placement of \$75.0 million of senior unsecured notes.
- (3) Fiscal 1996 includes an after-tax charge of \$48.3 million related to: a restructuring cost of \$3.0 million; an impairment of long lived assets of \$38.5 million; other non-recurring charges of \$3.9 million, principally for product liability costs, additional bad debt reserves and environmental remediation costs and additional inventory valuation reserves of \$2.9 million. This charge represents pretax special charges of \$48.1 million and pretax other charges of \$4.9 million.
- \$48.1 million and pretax other charges of \$4.9 million. (4) The balance sheet data as of June 30, 1997 is unaudited.
- (5) Includes capitalized leases of: \$0.1 million; \$0.6 million and \$4.1 million as of December 31, 2000, December 31, 1999 and June 30, 1999,

respectively.
(6) Diluted earnings per common share and diluted weighted average common shares outstanding are applicable only for quarterly and annual periods ended after December 31, 1999, since we were not a publicly-owned, independent company with a capital structure of our own until after the October 18, 1999 spin-off. See notes 2 and 15 of the Consolidated Financial Statements for an explanation of pro forma earnings per share.
n/a not applicable

# ITEM 7. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

This report contains certain statements that are "forward-looking statements" as that term is defined under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 (The "Act") and releases issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission. The words "may," "hope," "will," "should," "expect," "plan," "anticipate," "intend," "believe," "estimate," "predict," "potential," or "continue" and other expressions which are predictions of or indicate future events and trends and which do not relate to historical matters identify forward-looking statements. We believe that it is important to communicate our future expectations to our stockholders. However, there may be events in the future that we are not able to accurately predict or control, and our actual results may differ materially from the expectations we describe in our forwardlooking statements. Forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors, which may cause our actual results, performance or achievements to differ materially from anticipated future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forwardlooking statements. We undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. For a more detailed discussion of risk factors pertinent to our business, see "Certain Risk Factors That May Affect Future Results."

The following discussion is based upon and should be read in conjunction with our consolidated financial statements and the related footnotes set forth in this report.

# **Overview**

On October 18, 1999, we became a publicly-owned company via a tax-free distribution of our common stock to the shareholders of our former parent company, Watts. Additionally, we announced that we would change our fiscal year end from June 30th to December 31st. The comparisons to prior year periods pertain to the historical results of these operations under Watts which later were transferred to us in connection with the spin-off.

# Basis of Presentation

The consolidated financial statements contained elsewhere in this report present our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows as if we had been an independent, publicly-owned company for all periods presented. To facilitate such presentation, we made certain allocations of previously unallocated Watts interest and general and administrative expenses, as well as computed separate tax provisions. The consolidated financial statements prior to October 18, 1999 represent the former combined operations of Watts' industrial, oil and gas businesses. All significant intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation. Certain prior period financial statement amounts have been reclassified to conform to currently reported presentations.

Effective July 1, 1999, we changed our fiscal year end from June 30th to December 31st. Accordingly, the audited financial statements include the results for the year ended December 31, 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999 and the prior two fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and June 30, 1998. In addition to the audited financial statements and related notes, unaudited financial information for the year ended December 31, 1999 and the six months ended December 31, 1998 have been presented to enhance comparability.

We monitor our business in two segments: instrumentation and fluid regulation products and petrochemical products.

Year Ended December 31, 2000 Compared to the Year Ended December 31, 1999

The following table sets forth the results of operations, percentage of net revenues and the yearly percentage change in certain financial data for the years ended December 31, 2000 and 1999:

	Years Ended December 31,						
	2000	9	1999	% Change			
		(Dollars in thousands)					
Net revenues Cost of revenues		69.8	214,230	68.1			
Gross profit Selling, general and administrative			100,496		(4.7)		
expenses Special charges	1,909	0.6	71,959 722	0.2			
Operating income Other expense:					(0.6)		
Interest expense, net Other expense, net	760	0.2		0.2	4.0 2.0		
Income before income taxes Provision for income taxes	17,600	5.6		5.8			
Net income	\$ 10,560 ======		,		0.1%		

Net revenues for the year ended December 31, 2000 increased by \$2.1 million, or 0.7%, to \$316.9 million compared to \$314.7 million for the year ended December 31, 1999. The increase in net revenues for the year ended December 31, 2000 was attributable to the following:

Products Group	2000	1999	Total Change	Acquisitions	Operations	Foreign Exchange
			(In	thousands)		
Instrumentation and Fluid Regulation Petrochemical		\$174,563 140,163	. ,	\$1,634 141	\$4,065 1,216	\$(2,025) (2,894)
Total	\$316,863	\$314,726	\$ 2,137 =======	\$1,775 ======	\$5,281 ======	\$(4,919) ======

The instrumentation and fluid regulation products segment accounted for 56.3% of net revenues in the year ended December 31, 2000 compared to 55.5% for the year ended December 31, 1999. The petrochemical products segment accounted for approximately 43.7% of net revenues for the year ended December 31, 2000 compared to 44.5% for the year ended December 31, 1999.

Instrumentation and fluid regulation product revenues increased \$3.7 million, or 2.1%, for the year ended December 31, 2000. The net increase was primarily due to: incremental revenue of \$1.6 million as a result of the acquisitions of G0 Regulator, in April 1999, and of the Rockwood Swendeman product line, in November 2000; an increase in U.S. instrumentation revenues of \$8.0 million, primarily within aerospace markets; a \$1.5 million decrease in the volume of European instrumentation product revenues; a \$2.4 million decrease in revenues of steam products, resulting from a lower product order backlog at the beginning of the year than in the prior year; and the effect of a weaker Euro which reduced instrumentation and fluid regulation revenues by \$2.0 million. The net decrease in petrochemical revenues of \$1.5 million, or 1.1%, was principally the result of an \$8.2 million decrease in revenues from our Italian-based operation due to a reduced number of large oil and gas construction projects and a \$2.9 million decrease due to unfavorable exchange rate changes. Those decreases were partially offest by \$8.4 million in higher North American revenues related to improved customer spending on maintenance and repair and small capital projects and the 1999 acquisition of SSI Equipment and a \$1.2 million increase in revenue from Suzhou KF Valve, our Chinese joint venture.

Gross profit decreased \$4.7 million, or 4.7%, to \$95.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2000 compared to \$100.5 million for the year ended December 31, 1999. Gross margin declined from 31.9% for the year ended December 31, 1999 to 30.2% for the year ended December 31, 2000. Gross profit for the instrumentation and fluid regulation segment increased \$2.3 million as a result of \$0.6 million from acquisitions, \$2.2 million from operations, which included a \$1.2 million benefit of lower estimates to settle product liability claims, and unfavorable net foreign exchange rate changes of \$0.5 million. Gross profit for the petrochemical segment decreased \$7.0 million for the year ended December 31, 2000 compared to the year ended December 31, 1999. The decrease was the net result of lower revenues in certain higher margin product lines, resulting from reduced capital project activity for the global oil and gas markets this year coupled with the related negative effects of increasingly competitive pricing and by higher manufacturing costs at a key North American plant which included a \$2.0 million charge for physical inventory results and related adjustments. Net foreign exchange rate changes unfavorably affected gross profit for this segment by \$0.4 million.

Selling, general and administrative expenses decreased \$5.7 million, or 7.9%, to \$66.2 million for the year ended December 31, 2000 compared with \$72.0 million for the year ended December 31, 1999. The instrumentation and fluid regulation segment reduced operating expenses by \$5.4 million including \$5.2 million in savings generated from the consolidation of manufacturing and administrative functions, increased expenses of \$0.3 million related to acquired businesses and decreased expenses of \$0.5 million resulting from favorable foreign exchange rate changes. The petrochemical segment operating expenses decreased by \$1.4 million, resulting from \$1.0 million of reduced expenses at our Italian-based operation and \$0.5 million from the favorable effect of foreign exchange rate changes. Increased corporate spending of approximately \$1.2 million reflected additional costs associated with operating as an independent public company.

During the year ended December 31, 2000, special charges of \$1.9 million were incurred associated with the closure, consolidation and reorganization of manufacturing operations in both the instrumentation and fluid regulation and petrochemical segments. These costs consisted primarily of severance for terminated employees and exit costs associated with plant closures, including relocation of manufacturing equipment. During the year ended December 31, 1999, similar special charges of \$0.7 million were incurred in the instrumentation and fluid regulation products segment.

The change in operating income for the year ended December 31, 2000 compared to the year ended December 31, 1999 was as follows:

Products Group	2000	1999	Total Change	Acquisitions	Operations	Foreign Exchange			
		(In thousands)							
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Instrumentation and									
Fluid Regulation	\$30,480	\$23,619	\$6,861	\$166	\$6,675	\$ 20			
Petrochemical	3,868	9,744	(5,876)	12	(6,021)	133			
Corporate	(6,712)	(5,548)	(1, 164)	-	(1,164)	-			
Total	\$27,636	\$27,815	\$ (179)	\$178	\$ (510)	\$153			
	======	======	======	====	======	====			

The increase in operating income in the instrumentation and fluid regulation products segment was primarily attributable to improved manufacturing and administrative operating efficiencies, a \$1.2 million benefit of lower estimates to settle product liability claims and incremental profit from

higher revenues and acquisitions. These gains were partially offset by lower manufacturing overhead absorption, resulting from the lower production requirements and by the effects of the special charges incurred during the year ended December 31, 2000, compared to the year ended December 31, 1999. The decrease in operating income in the petrochemical products segment was primarily due to lower gross profit as a result of competitive pricing pressures, manufacturing cost inefficiencies, which included a \$2.0 million charge for physical inventory results and related adjustments, and the special charges related to manufacturing consolidation which were offset, in part, by reduced operating expenses. Additional corporate expenses of \$1.2 million were incurred while we were operating as an independent public company.

Net interest expense increased \$0.4 million to \$9.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2000 compared to the year ended December 31, 1999 due to higher current year interest rates.

Other non-operating expense was flat for the year ended December 31, 2000.

The effective tax rate decreased to 40.0% for the year ended December 31, 2000 compared to 41.9% for the year ended December 31, 1999, due to the implementation of various tax strategies in 2000.

Net income remained flat for the year ended December 31, 2000. Improved operating results within the instrumentation and fluid regulation segment were offset by the decrease in performance within the petrochemical products segment and higher special charges related to consolidation activities identified above.

The combined results of operations were impacted by the effect that changes in foreign exchange rates had on our international subsidiaries' operating results. Changes in foreign exchange rates had a favorable impact of \$0.3 million on net income for the year ended December 31, 2000 compared to the year ended December 31, 1999.

Six Months Ended December 31, 1999 Compared to the Six Months Ended December 31, 1998  $\,$ 

The following table sets forth the results of operations, percentage of net revenues and the period-to-period percentage change in certain financial data for the six months ended December 31, 1999 and 1998:

	Six Months Ended December 31,					
	(Dollars					
Net revenues Cost of revenues	\$157,265 10 108,613 6	00.0% \$166, 69.1 114,		• •		
Gross profit Selling, general and administrative	48,652 3	30.9 51,	802 31.1	(6.1)		
expenses Special charges		21.7 36, 0.5		( )		
Operating income Other (income) expense:	13,846	8.8 15,	581 9.3	(11.1)		
Interest expense, net Other (income) expense, net	,	2.9 4, 0.3 (				
Income before income taxes Provision for income taxes		5.6 11, 2.5 4,				
Net income	\$ 4,880	3.1% \$ 6, ==== =====	840 4.1 === =====	% (28.7)%		

Net revenues for the six months ended December 31, 1999 were \$157.3 million, a decrease of \$9.5 million, or 5.7%, from \$166.8 million in the six months ended December 31, 1998. The decrease in net revenues was attributable to the following:

Products Group	1999	1998	Total Change	Acquisitions	Operations	Foreign Exchange
			(In	thousands)		
Instrumentation and Fluid Regulation Petrochemical	. ,	\$ 85,706 81,091			\$ (3,185) (9,091)	\$ (715) (1,537)
Total	\$157,265 ======	\$166,797	\$(9,532) ======	\$4,996 ======	\$(12,276) =======	\$(2,252) ======

The decrease in net revenues from operations was primarily attributable to reduced unit shipments of valves that serve both domestic and international oil and gas applications. Revenues for these products were adversely affected by the reduced demand for products used in the petrochemical industry, caused by reduced energy prices during calendar year 1998, which continued until the second-half of 1999 when prices began to increase. Historically, when energy prices have increased for a sustained period of time, maintenance programs in the petrochemical industry become more active followed by increased capital spending on more extensive facility projects. During the latter part of 1999, we began to experience increasing activity in maintenance programs but continued to experience lackluster orders in facility project programs. The decrease in net revenues from operations and foreign exchange was partially offset by the inclusion of revenues of acquired businesses, including SSI Equipment, Inc. and GO Regulator, Inc., which were acquired in January 1999 and April 1999, respectively.

The impact of foreign exchange was due primarily to the strength of the dollar compared to the Euro.

The instrumentation and fluid regulation products segment accounted for approximately 53.8% of net revenues for the six months ended December 31, 1999 compared to 51.4% for the six months ended December 31, 1998. The petrochemical products segment accounted for approximately 46.2% of net revenues for the six months ended December 31, 1999. The petrochemical performance of the six months ended becember 31, 1999.

Net revenues in the instrumentation and fluid regulation segment for the six months ended December 31, 1999 decreased slightly compared to the six months ended December 31, 1998 due to softness in capital spending for instrumentation products, which was partially offset by the acquisition of GO Regulator, Inc. The decrease in net revenues in the petrochemical segment reflected weakness in both domestic and international oil and gas markets, which was partially offset by the acquisition of SSI Equipment, Inc.

Gross profit for the six months ended December 31, 1999 decreased by \$3.1 million, or 6.1%, from \$51.8 million to \$48.7 million compared to the six months ended December 31, 1998. Gross margin declined slightly from 31.1% to 30.9%. Gross profit was adversely affected by start-up costs of the new factory in Spartanburg, South Carolina and relocation costs associated with the closure of Hoke's Cresskill, New Jersey plant. In addition, gross profit was adversely affected by competitive pricing pressures, especially in the petrochemical markets. Lower energy prices experienced prior to the second-half of 1999 reduced demand for petrochemical products, thereby decreasing unit pricing. The reduced demand also lowered manufacturing levels creating unfavorable overhead absorption of fixed manufacturing costs, thereby decreasing gross margins for the six months ended December 31, 1999 compared to the six months ended December 31, 1998.

Selling, general and administrative expenses decreased \$2.1 million to \$34.1 million for the six months ended December 31, 1999 compared to the six months ended December 31, 1998. We reduced selling, general and administrative expenses as revenues decreased and the savings were partially offset by certain costs associated with our transition to an independent public company.

During the six months ended December 31, 1999, we incurred \$0.7 million of costs in connection with the closure, consolidation and reorganization of certain manufacturing operations. These special charges were expensed as incurred.

The changes in operating income for the six months ended December 31, 1999 and 1998 were as follows:

Products Group	1999	1998	Total Change	Acquisitions	Operations	Foreign Exchange
			(In t	housands)		
Instrumentation and Fluid Regulation Petrochemical	6,332	6,911	(579)	\$357 163	\$(1,584) (749)	\$2 7
Corporate	(2,739)	(2,808)	69 	-	69	
Total	\$13,846	\$15,581	\$(1,735)	\$520 ====	\$(2,264) ======	\$9 ===

The decrease in operating income in the instrumentation and fluid regulation products segment was primarily attributable to the start-up cost of the Spartanburg, South Carolina plant and plant relocation costs, partially offset by benefits derived from improved operating efficiencies and favorable product mix. The decrease in the operating income in the petrochemical products segment was primarily attributable to decreased orders for petrochemical facility projects brought on by lower world market prices for crude oil.

The increase in other net non-operating expenses consisted primarily of net realized and unrealized foreign exchange losses caused primarily by the strengthening of the U.S. dollar against the Euro.

The effective tax rate for the six months ended December 31, 1999 was 44.8% compared to 41.4% for the comparable prior year period. The tax rate for the six months ended December 31, 1998 reflected the benefits primarily derived from our former parent company's implementation of tax planning strategies.

Net income decreased \$2.0 million to nearly \$4.9 million for the six months ended December 31, 1999, compared to \$6.8 million for the comparable prior year period. This decrease was primarily attributable to the factors discussed above.

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1999 Compared to the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1998

The following table sets forth the results of operations, percentage of net revenues and the yearly percentage change in certain financial data for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998:

	Fiscal Years Ended June 30,				
	1999		1998		% Change
			housands)		
Net revenues Cost of revenues	220,612	68.0		68.0	
Gross profit Selling, general and					10.9
administrative expenses			55,237		34.1
Operating income Other (income) expense:					(22.6)
Interest expense, net Other (income), net	(229)	(0.1)		(0.1)	
Income before income taxes Provision for income taxes	20,971 8,461	6.5 2.6	35,026	12.0 4.3	
Net income	\$ 12,510	3.9%		7.7%	(44.2)%

Net revenues for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 increased by \$32.7 million, or 11.2%, to \$324.3 million from \$291.6 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998. The increase in net revenues was attributable to the following:

Products Group	1999	1998	Total Change	Acquisitions	Operations	Foreign Exchange
	(In thousands)					
Instrumentation and Fluid Regulation Petrochemical		\$110,759 180,821	\$ 64,938 (32,260)	\$66,068 13,103	\$ (1,130) (45,852)	\$ - 489
Total	\$324,258 ======	\$291,580	\$ 32,678	\$79,171 ======	\$(46,982) =======	\$489 ====

The growth in revenues was primarily attributable to Hoke, Inc., acquired in July 1998, which was partially offset by a decrease in revenues in the petrochemical products group. The decrease in petrochemical net revenues of \$32.3 million, or 17.8%, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998, was predominantly due to reduced capital spending by oil producers as a result of lower oil and gas prices. The increase in instrumentation and fluid regulation net revenues of \$64.9 million, or 58.6%, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998 consisted primarily of volume derived from acquisitions consisting of Hoke, Inc. and several smaller product lines.

The instrumentation and fluid regulation products group accounted for approximately 54.2% of net revenues in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to 38.0% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998. The petrochemical products group accounted for approximately 45.8% of net revenues in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to 62.0% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998.

Gross profit increased \$10.2 million, or 10.9%, to \$103.7 million for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998. Gross margin remained at 32.0% for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998 and the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999. Increased gross profits from

acquisitions were offset by decreased gross profits in the domestic and international oil and gas valve product lines. Lower energy prices resulted in lower demand and increased competition, and adversely impacted unit pricing. Additionally, the reduced manufacturing levels, caused by these reduced revenues, also created unfavorable overhead absorption of fixed manufacturing expenses in the petrochemical products group thereby decreasing gross margins for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998.

Selling, general and administrative expenses increased \$18.9 million to \$74.1 million for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998. This increase was attributable to the inclusion of the expenses related to acquired companies. This increase was partially offset by both cost reductions and reduced variable selling expenses within the petrochemical products group.

The changes in operating income for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998 were as follows:

Products G	roup 1999	1998	Total Change	Acquisitions	Operations	Foreign Exchange
			(In th	ousands)		
Instrumentation	and					
Fluid Regulatio	on \$24,844	\$17,883	\$ 6,961	\$7,181	\$ (220)	\$ -
Petrochemical		25,256	(14,933)	1,256	(16, 165)	(24)
Corporate	(5,617	) (4,948)	(669)	-	(669)	-
Total	\$29,550	\$38,191	\$ (8,641)	\$8,437	\$(17,054)	\$(24)

The increase in operating income in the instrumentation and fluid regulation products group for the comparable periods was attributable primarily to acquisitions and to improved operating efficiencies within our steam related product lines. The decrease in operating income in the petrochemical products group reflected reduced energy prices and reduced demand for our products used in petrochemical facility projects and maintenance programs.

The increase in net interest expense was primarily due to the additional cost of borrowed funds resulting from the acquisition of Hoke, Inc.

The effective tax rate increased to 40.3% from 36.0%. The increase was a result of increased earnings in foreign jurisdictions with higher tax rates than those in the United States.

Net income decreased \$9.9 million to \$12.5 million for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998. This decrease was primarily attributable to decreased net revenues and gross margins in the petrochemical products group.

The combined results of operations were impacted by the effect that changes in foreign exchange rates had on our international subsidiaries' operating results. Changes in foreign exchange rates had an immaterial impact on net income in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1999 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1998.

# Liquidity and Capital Resources

During the year ended December 31, 2000, we generated \$31.7 million in cash flow from operating activities. In addition, we generated \$4.2 million primarily from the closure and sale of two manufacturing facilities, and we received \$9.5 million (net after expenses) in settlement of our arbitration with the former Hoke shareholders. Our uses of cash included \$4.1 million for the acquisition of the

Rockwood Swendeman product line, \$3.7 million to purchase capital equipment and a net \$33.4 million to reduce our long-term debt. Capital expenditures were primarily for manufacturing machinery and equipment to further improve and consolidate manufacturing operations. Our capital expenditure budget for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2001 is \$7.2 million.

As of December 31, 2000, we had no amounts outstanding under our unsecured credit facility compared to \$32.0 million outstanding as of December 31, 1999. As of December 31, 2000, we had \$75.0 million available under the credit agreement to support our acquisition program, working capital requirements and general corporate purposes.

The ratio of current assets to current liabilities as of December 31, 2000 was 3.8:1 compared to 4.5:1 as of December 31, 1999. Cash and cash equivalents were \$8.2 million as of December 31, 2000 compared to \$5.2 million as of December 31, 1999. Debt as a percentage of total capital employed was 32.4% as of December 31, 2000 compared to 40.6% as of December 31, 1999. On December 31, 2000, we were in compliance with all covenants related to existing debt obligations.

On January 26, 2001, we filed a registration statement on Form S-3 with the Securities and Exchange Commission to register our offering, ("The Offering"), of 1,552,500 shares of our common stock. On March 1, 2001, we filed Amendment No. 1 to the Form S-3.

We anticipate that available funds, including the net proceeds from the offering and those funds provided from ongoing operations, will be sufficient to meet current operating requirements and anticipated capital expenditures for at least the next 24 months.

From time-to-time, we are involved with product liability, environmental and other litigation proceedings and incur costs on an ongoing basis related to these matters. We have not incurred material expenditures during the year ended December 31, 2000 in connection with any of these matters.

#### Effects of Recent Accounting Pronouncements

In 1998, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued SFAS 133, "Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities." SFAS 133 established accounting and reporting standards requiring that every derivative instrument be recorded in the balance sheet as either an asset or liability measured at its fair value. We adopted SFAS 133, as amended by SFAS No. 137 and SFAS No. 138, on January 1, 2001. The adoption of this statement did not have a significant impact on our financial condition, results of operations or cash flows.

In December 1999, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued Staff Accounting Bulletin No. 101, "Revenue Recognition." An amendment delayed the effective date until the fourth quarter of 2000. Our adoption of this bulletin did not have a material effect on our financial condition, results of operations or cash flows.

#### CERTAIN RISK FACTORS THAT MAY AFFECT FUTURE RESULTS

Set forth below are certain risk factors that we believe are material to our stockholders. If any of the following risks occur, our business, financial condition, results of operations, and reputation could be harmed. You should also consider these risk factors when you read "forward-looking statements" elsewhere in this report. You can identify forward-looking statements by terms such as "may," "hope," "will," "should," "expect," "plan," "anticipate," "intend," "believe," "estimate," "predict," "potential," or "continue," the negative of those terms or other comparable terminology. Those forward-looking statements are only predictions and can be adversely affected if any of the following risks occur.

Some of our end-markets are cyclical which may cause us to experience fluctuations in revenues or operating results.

We have experienced and expect to continue to experience fluctuations in revenues and operating results due to economic and business cycles. We sell our products principally to oil, gas, petrochemical, process, power, aerospace, military, heating, ventilation and air conditioning, or HVAC, maritime, pharmaceutical, medical and instrumentation markets. Although we serve a variety of markets to avoid a dependency on any one, a significant downturn in any one of these markets could cause a material reduction in our revenues which could be difficult to replace.

In particular, our petrochemical business is cyclical in nature as the worldwide demand for oil and gas fluctuates. When worldwide demand for oil and gas is depressed, the demand for our products used in maintenance and repair of existing oil and gas applications, as well as exploration or new oil and gas project applications, is reduced. As a result, we historically have generated lower revenues and profits in periods of declining demand for petrochemical products. Therefore, results of operations for any particular period are not necessarily indicative of the results of operations for any future period. Future downturns in demand for petrochemical products could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations. Similarly, although not to the same extent as the oil and gas markets, the aerospace, military and maritime markets have historically experienced cyclical fluctuations in demand which also could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of our business, financial water and gas markets.

If we cannot continue operating our manufacturing facilities at current or higher levels, our results of operations could be adversely affected.

We operate a number of manufacturing facilities for the production of our products. The equipment and management systems necessary for such operations may break down, perform poorly or fail resulting in fluctuations in manufacturing efficiencies. Such fluctuations may affect our ability to deliver products to our customers on a timely basis which could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations.

We face significant competition in our markets and, if we are not able to respond to competition in our markets, our revenues may decrease.

We face significant competition from a variety of competitors in each of our markets. Some of our competitors have substantially greater financial, marketing, personnel and other resources than we do. New competitors also could enter our markets. We consider product quality, performance, price, distribution capabilities and breadth of product offerings to be the primary competitive factors in our

markets. Our competitors may be able to offer more attractive pricing, duplicate our strategies, or develop enhancements to products that could offer performance features that are superior to our products. Competitive pressures, including those described above, and other factors could adversely affect our competitive position, involving a loss of market share or decreases in prices, either of which could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations. In addition, some of our competitors are based in foreign countries and have cost structures and prices based on foreign currencies. Accordingly, currency fluctuations could cause our U.S. dollarpriced products to be less competitive than our competitors' products which are priced in other currencies.

If we experience delays in introducing new products or if our existing or new products do not achieve or maintain market acceptance, our revenues may decrease.

Our industry is characterized by: intense competition; changes in end-user requirements; technically complex products; and evolving product offerings and introductions.

We believe our future success will depend, in part, on our ability to anticipate or adapt to these factors and to offer, on a timely basis, products that meet customer demands. Failure to develop new and innovative products or to custom design existing products could result in the loss of existing customers to competitors or the inability to attract new business, either of which may adversely affect our revenues. The development of new or enhanced products is a complex and uncertain process requiring the anticipation of technological and market trends. We may experience design, manufacturing, marketing or other difficulties, such as an inability to attract a sufficient number of qualified engineers, that could delay or prevent our development, introduction or marketing of new products or enhancements and result in unexpected expenses.

Implementation of our acquisition strategy may not be successful which could affect our ability to increase our revenues or reduce our profitability.

One of our strategies is to increase our revenues and expand our markets through acquisitions that will provide us with complementary instrumentation and fluid regulation and petrochemical products. We expect to spend significant time and effort in expanding our existing businesses and identifying, completing and integrating acquisitions. We expect to face competition for acquisition candidates which may limit the number of acquisition opportunities available to us and may result in higher acquisition prices. We cannot be certain that we will be able to identify, acquire or profitably manage additional companies or successfully integrate such additional companies without substantial costs, delays or other problems. Also, there can be no assurance that companies acquired in the future will achieve revenues, profitability or cash flows that justify our investment in them. In addition, acquisitions may involve a number of special risks, including: adverse shortterm effects on our reported operating results; diversion of management's attention; loss of key personnel at acquired companies; or unanticipated management or operational problems or legal liabilities. Some or all of these special risks could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations.

If we fail to manufacture and deliver high quality products, we may lose customers.

Product quality and performance are a priority for our customers since many of our product applications involve caustic or volatile chemicals and, in many cases, involve processes that require precise control of fluids. Our products also are used in the aerospace, military, commercial aircraft, pharmaceutical, medical, analytical equipment and maritime industries. These industries require products that meet stringent performance and safety standards. If we fail to maintain and enforce quality control and testing procedures, our products will not meet these stringent performance and safety standards. Substandard products would seriously harm our reputation resulting in both a loss of current customers to our competitors and damage to our ability to attract new customers, which could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations.

If we are unable to continue operating successfully overseas or to successfully expand into new international markets, our revenues may decrease.

We derive a significant portion of our revenue from sales outside the United States. In addition, one of our key growth strategies is to market our products in international markets not currently served by us in portions of Europe, Latin America and Asia. We may not succeed in marketing, selling and distributing our products in these new markets. Moreover, conducting business outside the United States is subject to risks, including currency exchange rate fluctuations, changes in regional, political or economic conditions, trade protection measures such as tariffs or import or export restrictions, and unexpected changes in regulatory requirements. One or more of these factors could prevent us from successfully expanding into new international markets and could also have a material adverse effect on our current international operations.

Prices of our raw materials may increase which may adversely affect our business.

We obtain our raw materials for the manufacture of our products from thirdparty suppliers. We do not have contracts with many of these suppliers that require them to sell us the materials we need to manufacture our products. In the last few years, stainless steel, cast iron and carbon steel, in particular, have each increased in price as a result of increases in demand. While historically we have not experienced difficulties in obtaining the raw materials we require (including stainless steel, cast iron and carbon steel), we cannot be certain that our suppliers will continue to provide us with the raw materials we need in the quantities requested or at a price we are willing to pay. In the past we have been able to partially offset increases in the cost of raw materials by increased sales prices, active materials management, product engineering programs and the diversity of materials used in our production processes. However, we cannot be certain that we will be able to accomplish this in the future. Since we do not control the actual production of these raw materials, we may be subject to delays caused by interruption in production of materials for reasons we cannot control. These include job actions or strikes by employees of suppliers, transportation interruptions and natural disasters or other catastrophic events. Our inability to obtain adequate supplies of raw materials for our products at favorable prices, or at all, could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations.

The costs of complying with existing or future environmental regulations, and of curing any violations of these regulations, could increase our expenses or reduce our profitability.

We are subject to a variety of environmental laws relating to the storage, discharge, handling, emission, generation, use and disposal of chemicals, solid and hazardous waste and other toxic and hazardous materials used to manufacture, or resulting from the process of manufacturing, our products. We cannot predict the nature, scope or effect of future regulatory requirements to which our operations might be subject or the manner in which existing or future laws will be administered or interpreted. Future regulations could be applied to materials, products or activities that have not been subject to regulation previously. The costs of complying with new or more stringent regulations, or with more vigorous enforcement of these or existing regulations, could be significant.

Environmental laws require us to maintain and comply with a number of permits, authorizations and approvals and to maintain and update training programs and safety data regarding materials used in our processes. Violations of these requirements could result in financial penalties and other enforcement actions. We also could be required to halt one or more portions of our operations until a violation is cured. Although we attempt to operate in compliance with these environmental laws, we may not succeed in this effort at all times. The costs of curing violations or resolving enforcement actions that might be initiated by government authorities could be substantial.

The costs of complying with existing or future governmental regulations applicable to our importing and exporting practices, and of curing any violations of these regulations, could increase our expenses, reduce our revenues or reduce our profitability.

We are subject to a variety of laws regarding our international trade practices including regulations issued by the United States Customs Service and by the Bureau of Export Administration. We cannot predict the nature, scope or effect of future regulatory requirements to which our international trading practices might be subject or the manner in which existing laws might be administered or interpreted. Future regulations could limit the countries into which certain of our products may be sold or could restrict our access to and increase the cost of obtaining products from foreign sources. In addition, actual or alleged violations of import-export laws could result in enforcement actions and/or financial penalties that could result in substantial costs.

We face risks from product liability lawsuits which may adversely affect our business.

We, like other manufacturers and distributors of products designed to control and regulate fluids and chemicals, face an inherent risk of exposure to product liability claims in the event that the use of our products results in personal injury, property damage or business interruption to our customers. We may be subjected to various product liability claims, including, among others, that our products include inadequate or improper instructions for use or installation, or inadequate warnings concerning the effects of the failure of our products. Although we maintain strict quality controls and procedures, including the testing of raw materials and safety testing of selected finished products, we cannot be certain that our products will be completely free from defect. In addition, in certain cases, we rely on third-party manufacturers for our products or components of our products. Although we have liability insurance coverage, we cannot be certain that this insurance coverage will continue to be available to us at a reasonable cost, or, if available, will be adequate to cover any such liabilities. We generally seek to obtain contractual indemnification from our third-party suppliers, and for us to be added as an additional insured party under such parties' insurance policies. Any such indemnification or insurance is limited by its terms and, as a practical matter, is limited to the credit worthiness of the indemnifying or insuring party. In the event that we do not have adequate insurance or contractual indemnification, product liabilities could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations.

We may be responsible for certain historical liabilities in the event Watts and its affiliates are ultimately unable to satisfy such liabilities.

Until the spin-off, we were a member of Watts' consolidated group for federal income tax purposes. Each member of a consolidated group is liable for the federal income tax liability of the other members of the group, as well as for pension and benefit funding liabilities of the other group members. Under federal law we continue to be contingently liable for these Watts consolidated group liabilities for periods beginning before the spin-off.

We entered into a distribution agreement with Watts which allocates tax, pension and benefit funding liabilities between Watts and us. Under this agreement, Watts maintains full control and absolute discretion with regard to any combined or consolidated United States federal and state tax filings for periods through the spin-off date. Watts also maintains full control and absolute discretion regarding common tax audit issues of such entities. These arrangements may result in conflicts of interest with Watts. In addition, if Watts is ultimately unable to satisfy its liabilities, we could be responsible for satisfying them, despite the distribution agreement.

We would be jointly and severally liable for Watts' federal income taxes resulting from the spin-off if the Internal Revenue Service, or IRS, treats the spin-off as a taxable distribution.

At the time of the spin-off, Watts received a ruling from the IRS to the effect that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the spin-off would be tax-free to Watts and its shareholders. If the undertakings made to the IRS regarding the spin-off are not complied with or if representations made to the IRS regarding the spin-off were inaccurate, we could lose the benefit of the IRS tax ruling and the IRS could assert that the spin-off was a taxable distribution. In that case, under United States federal income tax law, we would be jointly and severally liable with Watts for a material amount of federal income tax. In our distribution agreement with Watts, we agreed that we will be wholly responsible for that tax if it results from our act or omission, and Watts will be wholly responsible for that tax if would be required to pay that tax if Watts was unable to, regardless of the distribution agreement.

We may have conflicts of interest with Watts that may adversely affect our business.

Conflicts of interest may arise with Watts in a number of areas relating to our past and ongoing relationships, including tax and employee benefit matters and indemnity arrangements. The Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of Watts, as well as another director of Watts, serve on our board of directors. These relationships may create conflicts of interest with respect to matters potentially or actually involving or affecting us and Watts.

We depend on our key personnel and the loss of their services may adversely affect our business.

We believe that our success will depend on the continued employment of our senior management team and other key personnel. If one or more members of our senior management team or other key personnel were unable or unwilling to continue in their present positions, our business could be seriously harmed. In addition, if any of our key personnel joins a competitor or forms a competing company, some of our customers might choose to use the services of that competitor or those of a new company instead of our own. Other companies seeking to develop capabilities and products similar to ours may hire away some of our key personnel. If we are unable to maintain our key personnel and attract new employees, the execution of our business strategy may be hindered and our growth limited.

Various restrictions and agreements could hinder a takeover of us which is not supported by our board of directors or which is leveraged.

Our amended and restated certificate of incorporation and amended and restated by-laws, the Delaware General Corporation Law and our shareholder rights plan contain provisions that could delay or prevent a change in control in a transaction that is not approved by our board of directors or that is

on a leveraged basis or otherwise. These include provisions creating a staggered board, limiting the shareholders' powers to remove directors, and prohibiting shareholders from calling a special meeting or taking action by written consent in lieu of a shareholders' meeting. In addition, our board of directors has the authority, without further action by the shareholders, to set the terms of and to issue preferred stock. Issuing preferred stock could adversely affect the voting power of the owners of our common stock, including the loss of voting control to others. Additionally, we have adopted a shareholder rights plan providing for the issuance of rights that will cause substantial dilution to a person or group of persons that acquires 15% or more of our shares of common stock, unless the rights are redeemed.

Furthermore, until October 18, 2001, the terms of our distribution agreement with Watts prohibit us from engaging in any transaction that results in one or more persons acquiring a 50% or greater interest in us, unless we obtain a supplemental ruling from the IRS or an opinion of legal counsel that the transaction will not adversely affect the qualification of our spin-off from Watts as a tax-free transaction.

Delaying or preventing a takeover could result in our shareholders ultimately receiving less for their shares by deterring potential bidders for our stock or assets.

Our ability to issue equity, make acquisitions, incur debt, pay dividends, make investments, sell assets, merge or raise capital is limited by our obligations to comply with the covenants under our debt agreements.

Our credit agreement and note purchase agreement both of which are dated October 19, 1999, govern our indebtedness to our lenders. The debt agreements include provisions which place limitations on certain activities including our ability to: issue shares of our common stock without, in certain circumstances, making prepayments under our credit agreement; incur additional indebtedness; create any liens or encumbrances on our assets or make any guarantees; make certain investments; pay dividends that exceed 50% of our consolidated income for the most recent fiscal quarter; or dispose of or sell assets or enter into a merger or a similar transaction.

The trading price of our common stock may be volatile and investors in our common stock may experience substantial losses.

The trading price of our common stock may be volatile. Our common stock could decline or fluctuate in response to a variety of factors, including, but not limited to: our failure to meet the performance estimates of securities analysts; changes in financial estimates of our revenues and operating results or buy/sell recommendations by securities analysts; the timing of announcements by us or our competitors concerning significant product line developments, contracts or acquisitions or publicity regarding actual or potential results or performance; fluctuation in our quarterly operating results caused by fluctuations in revenue and expenses; substantial sales of our common stock by our existing shareholders; general stock market conditions; or other economic or external factors.

In addition, the stock market as a whole has recently experienced extreme price and volume fluctuations. In the past, securities class action litigation has often been instituted against companies following periods of volatility in the market price of their securities. This type of litigation could result in substantial costs and a diversion of management attention and resources.

#### ITEM 7A. QUANTITIATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

# Market Risk

The oil and gas markets historically have been subject to cyclicality depending upon supply and demand for crude oil, its derivatives and natural gas. When oil or gas prices decrease, expenditures on maintenance and repair decline rapidly and outlays for exploration and in-field drilling projects decrease and, accordingly, demand for valve products is reduced. However, when oil and gas prices rise, maintenance and repair activity and spending for facilities projects normally increase, and we benefit from increased demand for valve products. However, oil or gas price increases may be considered temporary in nature, or not driven by customer demand and, therefore, may result in longer lead times for increases in petrochemical sales orders. As a result, the timing and magnitude of changes in market demand for oil and gas valve products are difficult to predict. Similarly, although not to the same extent as the oil and gas markets, the aerospace, military and maritime markets have historically experienced cyclical fluctuations in demand which also could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations.

# Interest Rate Sensitivity Risk

As of December 31, 2000, our primary interest rate risk related to borrowings under our revolving credit facility. The interest rate on those borrowings fluctuates with changes in short-term borrowing rates. There were no borrowings under our revolving credit facility outstanding as of December 31, 2000. Based upon the expected levels of borrowings under our credit facility in 2001, an increase in interest rates of 100 basis points would not have a material effect on our results of operations or cash flows.

#### Currency Exchange Risk

We use forward contracts to manage the currency risk related to business transactions denominated in foreign currencies. Related gains and losses are recognized when the contracts expire, which are generally in the same period as the underlying foreign currency denominated transactions. To the extent these transactions are completed, the contracts do not subject us to significant risk from exchange rate movements because they offset gains and losses on the related foreign currency denominated transactions. As of December 31, 2000, we had forward contracts to buy foreign currencies with a face value of \$10.1 million. These contracts mature on various dates between January 2001 and July 2001 and had a net fair market value of \$0.4 million as of December 31, 2000. The counterparties to these contracts are major financial institutions. Our risk of loss in the event of non-performance by the counterparties is not significant.

We do not use derivative financial instruments for trading purposes. Risk management strategies are reviewed and approved by senior management before implementation.

#### Commodity Price Risk

The primary raw materials used in our production process are stainless steel, carbon steel, cast iron and brass. We purchase these materials from numerous suppliers nationally and internationally, and have not historically experienced significant difficulties in obtaining these commodities in quantities sufficient for our operations. However, these commodities are subject to price fluctuations which may adversely affect our results of operations. We manage this risk by offsetting increases in commodities with increased sales prices, active materials management, product engineering programs and the diversity of materials used in our production processes.

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ITEM 9. CHANGES IN AND DISAGREEMENTS WITH ACCOUNTANTS ON ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE

None

# PART III

# ITEM 10. DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS OF THE REGISTRANT

The information appearing under the sections "Information Regarding Directors" and "Information Regarding Executive Officers" in our Definitive Proxy Statement relating to the 2000 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held on May 17, 2001 is incorporated herein by reference.

#### ITEM 11. EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

The information appearing under the section "Executive Compensation" in our Definitive Proxy Statement relating to the 2000 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held May 17, 2001 is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 12. SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT

The information appearing under the section "Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management" in our Definitive Proxy Statement relating to the 2000 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held May 17, 2001 is incorporated herein by reference.

#### ITEM 13. CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED TRANSACTIONS

The information appearing under the section "Certain Relationships and Related Transactions" in our Definitive Proxy Statement relating to the 2000 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held May 17, 2001 is incorporated herein by reference.

#### PART IV

ITEM 14. EXHIBITS, FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHEDULES AND REPORTS ON FORM 8-K

(a)(1) Financial Statements

The financial statements filed as part of the report are listed in Part II, Item 8 of this report on the Index to Consolidated Financial Statements included on page 28.

(a)(2) Financial Statement Schedules

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Schedule II Valuation and Qualifying Accounts for the year ended December 31, 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999, and the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998

All schedules for which provision is made in the applicable accounting regulations of the Security and Exchange Commission are not required under the related instructions or are not material, and therefore have been omitted.

(a)(3) Exhibits

Exhibit No.

# Description and Location

2 Plan of Acquisition, Reorganization, Arrangement, Liquidation or Succession:

- 2.1 Distribution Agreement between Watts Industries, Inc. and CIRCOR International, Inc. dated as of October 1, 1999, is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to Amendment No. 2 to CIRCOR International, Inc.'s Registration Statement on Form 10, File No. 000-26961, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 6, 1999 ("Amendment No. 2 to the Form 10").
- 3 Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws:
- 3.1 The Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of CIRCOR International, Inc. is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to CIRCOR International, Inc.'s Registration Statement on Form 10, File No. 000-26961, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 6, 1999 ("Form 10").
- 3.2 The Amended and Restated By-Laws of CIRCOR International, Inc. are incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to the Form 10.
- 3.3 Certificate of Designations, Preferences and Rights of a Series of Preferred Stock of CIRCOR International, Inc. classifying and designating the Series A Junior Participating Cumulative Preferred Stock is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to CIRCOR International, Inc.'s Registration Statement on Form 8-A, File No. 001-14962, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 21, 1999 ("Form 8-A").
- 4 Instruments defining Rights of Security Holders, including debentures:
- 4.1 Shareholder Rights Agreement, dated as of September 16, 1999, between CIRCOR International, Inc. and BankBoston, N.A., as Rights Agent is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Form 8-A.
  9 Voting Trust Agreements:
- 9.1 The Amended and Restated George B. Horne Voting Trust Agreement-1997 dated as of September 14, 1999 is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 9.1 to Amendment No. 1 to CIRCOR International, Inc.'s Registration Statement on Form 10, File No. 000-26961, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 22, 1999 ("Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10").
- 10 Material Contracts:
- 10.1 CIRCOR International, Inc. 1999 Stock Option and Incentive Plan is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10.

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- Form of Incentive Stock Option Agreement under the 1999 Stock Option 10.2 and Incentive Plan is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10.
- 10.3 Form of Non-Oualified Stock Option Agreement for Employees under the 1999 Stock Option and Incentive Plan (Five Year Graduated Vesting Schedule) is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.3 to Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10.
- 10.4 Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Agreement for Employees under the 1999 Stock Option and Incentive Plan (Performance Accelerated Vesting Schedule) is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.4 to Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10.
- Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Agreement for Independent Directors 10.5 under the 1999 Stock Option and Incentive Plan is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.5 to Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10.
- 10.6 CIRCOR International, Inc. Management Stock Purchase Plan is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.6 to Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10.
- 10.7 Form of CIRCOR International, Inc. Supplemental Employee Retirement Plan is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.7 to Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10.
- Supply Agreement between Watts Industries, Inc. and CIRCOR 10.8 International, Inc. is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.8 to Amendment No. 2 to the Form 10.
- Trademark License Agreement between Watts Industries, Inc. and CIRCOR 10.9 International, Inc. is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.9 to Amendment No. 2 to the Form 10.
- Lease Agreement, dated as of February 14, 1999, between BY-PASS 85 10.10 Associates, LLC and CIRCOR International, Inc. is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.10 to Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10.
- 10.11 Trust Indenture from Village of Walden Industrial Development Agency to The First National Bank of Boston, as Trustee, dated June 1, 1994 is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.14 of the Watts Industries, Inc. Annual Report on Form 10-K, File No. 0-14787, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 26, 1994.
- Loan Agreement between Hillsborough County Industrial Development Authority and Leslie Controls, Inc. dated July 1, 1994 is herein 10.12 incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.15 of the Watts Industries, Inc. Annual Report on Form 10-K, File No. 0-14787, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 26, 1994.
- 10.13 Trust Indenture from Hillsborough County Industrial Development Authority to The First National Bank of Boston, as Trustee, dated July 1, 1994 is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.17 of the Watts Industries, Inc. Annual Report on Form 10-K, File No. 0-14787, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 26, 1994.
- 10.14 Form of Indemnification Agreement between CIRCOR and each of its directors is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.20 to the Form 10.
- Executive Employment Agreement between CIRCOR, Inc. and David A. 10.15 Bloss, Sr., dated as of September 16, 1999 is incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.15 to Amendment No. 1 to the Form 10.
- 10.17 Amended and Restated Letter of Credit, Reimbursement and Guaranty Agreement dated as of October 18, 1999 among Leslie Controls, Inc., as Borrower, CIRCOR International, Inc., as Guarantor, and First Union National Bank as Letter of Credit Provider is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.17 to CIRCOR International, Inc.'s Current Report on Form 8-K, File No. 001-14962, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 21, 1999.
- Amended and Restated Letter of Credit, Reimbursement and Guaranty Agreement dated as of October 18, 1999 among Spence Engineering Company, Inc. as Borrower, CIRCOR International, Inc., as Guarantor, 10.18 and First Union National Bank as Letter of Credit Provider is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.18 to CIRCOR International, Inc.'s Current Report on Form 8-K, File No. 001-14962, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 21, 1999.

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- 10.19 Credit Agreement, dated as of October 18, 1999, by and among CIRCOR International, Inc., a Delaware corporation, as Borrower, each of the Subsidiary Guarantors named therein, the Lenders from time to time a party thereto, ING (U.S.) Capital LLC, as Agent for such Lenders, BankBoston, N.A., as Syndication Agent, First Union National Bank, as Documentation Agent and ING Barings LLC, as Arranger for the Lenders is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.19 to CIRCOR International, Inc.'s Current Report on Form 8-K, File No. 001-14962, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 21, 1999.
- Note Purchase Agreement, dated as of October 19, 1999, among CIRCOR 10.20 International, Inc., a Delaware corporation, the Subsidiary Guarantors and each of the Purchasers listed on Schedule A attached thereto is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.20 to CIRCOR International, Inc.'s Current Report on Form 8-K, File No. 001-14962, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 21, 1999.
- 10.21 Sharing agreements regarding the rights of debt holders relative to one another in the event of insolvency is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.21 on Form 10 Q/A, File No. 001-14962, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 14, 2000.
- Executive Change of Control Agreement between CIRCOR, Inc. and Carmine 10.22 F. Bosco dated August 8, 2000 is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.22 on Form 10-Q, File No. 001-14962, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 14, 2000.
- Executive Change of Control Agreement between CIRCOR, Inc. and Alan R. 10.23 Carlsen dated August 8, 2000 is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.23 on Form 10-Q, File No. 001-14962, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 14, 2000.
- 10.24 Executive Change of Control Agreement between CIRCOR, Inc. and Kenneth W. Smith dated August 8, 2000 is herein incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.24 on Form 10-Q, File No. 001-14962, filed on Form 10-Q with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 14, 2000.
- Executive Change of Control Agreement between CIRCOR, Inc. and Stephen \*10.25 J. Carriere dated August 8, 2000.
- Executive Change of Control Agreement between CIRCOR, Inc. and Alan J. \*10.26 Glass dated August 8, 2000. Schedule of Subsidiaries of CIRCOR International, Inc.
- \*21
- \*23 Consent of KPMG LLP.
- (b) Reports on Form 8-K.

The registrant filed no Current Reports on Form 8-K during the threemonth period ended December 31, 2000.

- (c) See Item 14(a) 3 above.
- \* Filed herewith

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

CIRCOR International, Inc.

By: /s/ David A. Bloss, Sr. David A. Bloss, Sr. Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: March 7, 2001

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1934, this Report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the Registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ David A. Bloss, Sr.	Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer	March 7, 2001
David A. Bloss, Sr.	(Principal Executive Officer)	
/s/ Kenneth W. Smith	Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and	March 7, 2001
Kenneth W. Smith	Treasurer (Principal Financial Officer)	
/s/ Stephen J. Carriere	Vice President, Corporate Controller and Assistant	March 7, 2001
Stephen J. Carriere	Treasurer (Principal Accounting Officer)	
/s/ Dewain K. Cross	Director	March 7, 2001
Dewain K. Cross		
/s/ David F. Dietz	Director	March 7, 2001
David F. Dietz		
/s/ Timothy P. Horne	Director	March 7, 2001
Timothy P. Horne		
/s/ Daniel J. Murphy, III	Director	March 7, 2001
Daniel J. Murphy, III		
/s/ Thomas N. Tullo	Director	March 7, 2001
Thomas N. Tullo		

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders CIRCOR International, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of CIRCOR International, Inc. as of December 31, 2000 and 1999, and June 30, 1999 and the related consolidated statements of operations, cash flows and shareholders' equity for the year ended December 31, 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999, and the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998. In connection with our audits of the consolidated financial statements, we also audited the accompanying financial statement schedule of valuation and qualifying accounts. These consolidated financial statements and schedule are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of CIRCOR International, Inc. as of December 31, 2000 and 1999 and June 30, 1999, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999, and the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Also, in our opinion, the related financial statement schedule, when considered in relation to the basic consolidated financial statements taken as a whole, presents fairly, in all material respects, the information set forth therein.

KPMG LLP

Boston, Massachusetts February 12, 2001

	Decembe		
	2000	1999	1999
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS: Cash and cash equivalents Trade accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$2,831, \$2,683 and \$2,949,	\$ 8,192	\$ 5,153	\$ 6,714
respectively Inventories	58,457 111,258	60,916 107,332	49,857 108,910
Prepaid expenses and other current assets Deferred income taxes	6,192 6,141	7,006 9,794	6,817 8,592
Total Current Assets	190,240		
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT, NET	64,794	75,154	76,682
Goodwill, net of accumulated amortization of \$14,303, \$11,775 and \$10,353, respectively Other assets	87,741 4,287	5,242	4,571
TOTAL ASSETS	\$347,062		\$359,043
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY CURRENT LIABILITIES:			
Accounts payable			
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities Accrued compensation and benefits	4,757	15,167 3,902	16,598 5,705
Income taxes payable Current portion of long-term debt	940	2,260	4,178
Total Current Liabilities	50,560	42,501	
LONG-TERM DEBT, NET OF CURRENT PORTION			
OTHER NONCURRENT LIABILITIES	7,490		7,439 10,525
MINORITY INTEREST SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY:	4,365	4,124	
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value; 1,000,000 shares authorized; no shares issued and			
outstanding Common stock, \$0.01 par value; 29,000,000 shares authorized; 13,262,891 and 13,236,877 issued and outstanding at December 31, 2000	-	-	-
and 1999, respectively			-
Additional paid-in capitalRetained earnings		180,887 3,393	-
Accumulated other comprehensive loss Investments by and advances from Watts			(691)
Industries, Inc.	-	-	259,947
Total Shareholders' Equity		183,409	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$347,062		\$359,043

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (In thousands, except per share data)

		Six Months Ended ear Ended December 31, cember 31,		Ended June 30,		
	2000	1999	1998	1999		
			(unaudited)			
Net revenues Cost of revenues	\$316,863 221,072	\$157,265 108,613	114,995	\$324,258 220,612	198,152	
GROSS PROFIT	95,791					
Selling, general and administrative						
expenses Special charges	66,246 1,909	34,084 722	36,221	74,096	-	
OPERATING INCOME	27,636	13,846	15,581	29,550	38,191	
Other (income) expense: Interest income Interest expense Other, net			(192) 4,624 (514)		(427) 3,898 (306)	
	10,036	5,002	3,918	8,579	3,165	
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES Provision for income taxes		8,844	11,663		35,026	
NET INCOME	\$ 10,560			\$ 12,510		
	\$ 10,500		\$ 0,840	\$ 12,510		
Earnings per common share: Basic Diluted Weighted average common shares outstanding:	\$0.80 \$0.78	*	*	*	* *	
Basic Diluted	13,238 13,480	*	*	*	*	

\* See notes 2 and 15 of the consolidated financial statements for an explanation of pro forma earnings per share.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements

	Year Ended			End	Fiscal Years Ended June 30,		
	December 31, 2000	1999	1998 (unaudited)		1998		
OPERATING ACTIVITIES Net income Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	\$ 10,560	\$ 4,880	\$ 6,840	\$ 12,510	\$ 22,425		
Depreciation Amortization Deferred income taxes (benefit) (Gain) loss on disposal of property, plant	10,141 2,864 1,326	5,468 1,608 (3,503)	4,517 1,418 642	9,440 3,322 4,193	6,312 1,532 173		
and equipment Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of effects from business acquisitions:	(312)	(285)	(78)	(54)			
Trade accounts receivable Inventories Prepaid expenses and other assets Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other	1,681 (4,147) 1,357	(11,274) 1,340 (570)	7,681 2,277 (1,483)	13,665 209 (3,102)	(6,254) (9,783) 1,491		
liabilities	8,230	(12,493)	(16,252)	(19,655)	5,160		
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	31,700	(14,829)	5,562	20,528	21,075		
INVESTING ACTIVITIES Additions to property, plant and equipment Disposal of property, plant and equipment Increase in other assets Business acquisitions, net of cash acquired Purchase price adjustment on previous acquisition	(3,743) 4,179 (79) (4,030) 9,500	(4,557) 298 (912) -	(2,072) 169 (335) (63,875)	(9,499) 1,208 (237) (74,176)	(6,115) 146 (725) (22,503)		
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	5,827	(5,171)			(29,197)		
FINANCING ACTIVITIES Proceeds from long-term borrowings Payments of long-term debt Dividends paid Proceeds from the exercise of stock options Conversion of restricted stock units Net intercompany activity with Watts Industries, Inc Partial payment of investments by and from Watts Industries, Inc	36,172 (69,590) (1,502) 179 58 -	188,643 (90,157) - - 15,950 (96,000)	1,738 (6,962) - - 63,016 -	4,331 (20,646) - - 79,260	9,104 -		
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(34,683)	18,436	57,792	62,945	11,633		
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	195	3	608	(296)			
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	3,039 5,153	(1,561) 6,714	(2,151) 6,241	473 6,241	3,654 2,587		
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR	\$ 8,192 ======	\$ 5,153 ======	\$ 4,090 ======	\$ 6,714 =======			

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (In thousands)

		Amount	Additional Paid-in Capital		Investments by and Advances from Watts	Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)	Shareholders'
BALANCE AT JUNE 30, 1997	-	\$ - 	\$	\$-	\$136,648	\$ 629	\$137,277
Net income Cumulative translation adjustment					22,425	(150)	22,425 (150)
Comprehensive income Net intercompany activity					9,104		22,275 9,104
BALANCE AT JUNE 30, 1998					168,177	479	168,656
Net income Cumulative translation adjustment					12,510	(1,170)	12,510 (1,170)
Comprehensive income Net intercompany activity					79,260		11,340 79,260
BALANCE AT JUNE 30, 1999					259,947	(691)	259,256
Net income prior to spin-off Net income after spin-					1,487		1,487
off Cumulative translation adjustment				3,393		(312)	3,393 (312)
Comprehensive income Partial repayment of advances Issuance of shares of common stock in connection with the					(96,000)		4,568 (96,000)
spin-off Net intercompany activity	13,237	132			(132) 15,551		- 15,551
Contribution to capital of remaining unpaid advances Net change in restricted			180,853		(180,853)		-
stock units BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31,			34				34
1999	13,237	132	180,887	3,393	-	(1,003)	183,409
Net income Cumulative translation adjustment				10,560		(1,584)	10,560 (1,584)
Comprehensive income Common stock dividends declared				(1,502)			8,976 (1,502)
Stock options exercised Conversion of restricted	20	1	178				179
stock units Net change in restricted stock units	6	-	58 61				58 61
BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 2000	13,263 =====	\$133 ====	\$181,184 =======	\$12,451 ======	\$	\$(2,587) ======	\$191,181 ======

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

### CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# (1) Description of Business

CIRCOR International, Inc. ("CIRCOR" or the "Company") designs, manufactures and distributes valves and related products and services for use in a wide range of applications to optimize the efficiency or ensure the safety of fluidcontrol systems. The valves and related fluid-control products we manufacture are used in processing industries; oil and gas production, pipeline construction and maintenance; aerospace, military and commercial aircraft; and maritime manufacturing and maintenance. We have used both internal product development and strategic acquisitions to assemble a complete array of fluidcontrol products and technologies that enables us to address our customers' unique fluid-control application needs. We have two major product groups: instrumentation and fluid regulation products and petrochemical products.

The instrumentation and fluid regulation products group designs, manufactures and supplies valves and controls for diverse end-uses including hydraulic, pneumatic, cryogenic and steam applications. Selected products include precision valves, compression tube and pipe fittings, control valves and regulators. The instrumentation and fluid regulation products group includes the following subsidiaries and major divisions: Hoke; GO Regulator; Circle Seal Controls; Leslie Controls; Spence Engineering; Nicholson Steam Trap; Aerodyne Controls; Atkomatic Valve; CPC; Cryolab; and Rockwood Swendeman.

The petrochemical products group designs, manufactures and supplies flangedend and threaded floating and trunnion ball valves, needle valves, check valves, butterfly valves and large forged steel ball valves, gate valves and strainers for use in oil, gas and chemical processing and industrial applications. The petrochemical products group includes the following subsidiaries and major divisions: KF Industries; Contromatics Specialty Products; Eagle Check Valve; Telford Valve and Specialities; Pibiviesse; Suzhou KF Valve; and SSI Equipment.

On October 18, 1999 (the "spin-off date"), we became a publicly-owned company as a result of a tax-free distribution of our common stock (the "distribution" or "spin-off") to the shareholders of our former parent, Watts Industries, Inc. ("Watts"). A description of the spin-off and certain transactions with Watts is included in Note 3.

### (2) Accounting Policies

# Principles of Consolidation and Basis of Presentation

The accompanying consolidated financial statements present our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows as if we had been an independent, publicly-owned company for all periods presented. Certain allocations of previously unallocated Watts interest and general and administrative expenses, as well as computations of separate tax provisions, have been made to facilitate such presentation (see Note 3). The consolidated financial statements prior to October 18, 1999 represent the former combined operations of Watts' industrial, oil and gas businesses. All significant intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

### Change in Fiscal Year

Effective July 1, 1999, we changed our fiscal year-end from June 30th to December 31st. Accordingly, the audited financial statements include the results for the year ended December 31, 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999 ("Transition Period"), and the prior two fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 ("fiscal 1999"), and June 30, 1998 ("fiscal 1998").

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS--(Continued)

### Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognized upon shipment, net of a provision for estimated returns and allowances based on historical experience.

#### Shipping and Handling Costs

We have adopted the Financial Accounting Standards Board Emerging Issues Task Force Abstract No. 00-10 Accounting for Shipping and Handling Fees and Costs, effective October 2000. We record amounts invoiced to customers for shipping and handling charges as components of revenues and the associated costs are recorded as cost of sales. Accordingly, financial information for all periods presented has been restated to conform with this pronouncement.

### Research and Development

Research and development expenditures are expensed when incurred and are included in operating income in the Consolidated Statements of Operations.

#### Cash Equivalents

Cash equivalents consist of investments with maturities of three months or less at the date of original issuance.

#### Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost (principally first-in, first-out method) or market.

### Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are recorded at cost. Plant and equipment under capital leases are stated at the present value of minimum lease payments.

Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets, which range from 10 to 40 years for buildings and improvements and 3 to 15 years for machinery and equipment. Plant and equipment held under capital leases and leasehold improvements are amortized on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the lease term or estimated useful life of the asset.

### Goodwill

Goodwill represents the excess of cost over the fair value of net assets of businesses acquired. This balance is amortized over 40 years using the straight-line method. We assess the recoverability of this intangible asset by determining whether the amortization of the goodwill balance over its remaining life can be recovered through undiscounted future operating cash flows of the acquired operation. The amount of goodwill impairment, if any, is measured based on projected discounted future operating cash flows using a discount rate reflecting the average cost of funds.

# Long-Lived Assets

Impairment losses are recorded on long-lived assets used in operations when indicators of impairment are present and the undiscounted cash flows estimated to be generated by those assets are less than the assets' carrying amount. In such instances, the carrying values of long-lived assets are reduced to their estimated fair value, as determined using an appraisal or a discounted cash flow approach, as appropriate.

### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

# Income Taxes

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset and liability method. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period that includes the enactment date.

# Foreign Currency Translation

Balance sheet accounts of foreign subsidiaries are translated into United States dollars at fiscal year-end exchange rates. Operating accounts are translated at weighted average exchange rates for each year. Net translation gains or losses are adjusted directly to a separate component of shareholders' equity. The Company does not provide for U.S. income taxes on foreign currency translation adjustments since it does not provide for such taxes on undistributed earnings of foreign subsidiaries.

# Earnings Per Common Share

Basic earnings per common share is calculated by dividing net income by the number of weighted average common shares outstanding. Diluted earnings per common share assumes the conversion of all dilutive securities (see note 10).

Earnings per common share and number of shares used to compute net earnings per common share, basic and assuming full dilution, are reconciled below (in thousands, except per share data):

		nded De 1, 2000	cember
	Net Income	Shares	Per Share Amount
Basic EPS Dilutive securities, principally common stock options			
Diluted EPS	\$10,560 ======	13,480 ======	\$0.78 =====

Historical earnings per share has been omitted for certain fiscal periods presented in the accompanying consolidated statement of operations since we were not an independent, publicly-owned company until October 18, 1999. The computation of pro forma net earnings per share is included in Note 15.

### Stock-Based Compensation

As allowed under Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 123, Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation, we account for our stock-based employee compensation plans in accordance with the provisions of APB Opinion No. 25, Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees.

# Derivative Financial Instruments

We use foreign currency forward exchange contracts to manage currency exchange exposures in certain foreign currency denominated transactions. Gains and losses on contracts designated as hedges are

### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

recognized when the contracts expire, which is generally in the same time period as the underlying foreign currency denominated transactions.

# Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### Reclassification of Prior Years

Certain prior-year financial statement amounts have been reclassified to conform to the December 31, 2000 presentation.

### New Accounting Standards

In 1998, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued SFAS 133, "Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities." We will adopt SFAS 133, as amended by SFAS No. 137 and SFAS No. 138, on January 1, 2001. The adoption of this statement will not have a significant impact on our financial condition, results of operations or cash flows.

In December 1999, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued Staff Accounting Bulletin No. 101, "Revenue Recognition." An amendment delayed the effective date until the fourth quarter of 2000. Our adoption of this bulletin did not have a material effect on our financial condition, results of operations or cash flows.

(3) Spin-off from and Transactions with Former Affiliates

# Spin-off and Relationships after the Spin-off

At the spin-off date of October 18, 1999, all of our common shares were distributed on a pro-rata basis to the record date holders of Watts common shares at a ratio of one share for each two outstanding Watts shares. After the spin-off, Watts had no ownership in us. Immediately after the spin-off, however, certain of our shares were held by the Watts pension trust on behalf of Watts' employees. We have entered into separation and other related agreements (the "Distribution Agreement"), outlined below, governing the spinoff transaction and our subsequent relationship with Watts. Such agreements provide certain indemnities to the parties, and provide for the allocation of tax and other assets, liabilities and obligations arising from periods prior to the spin-off.

The Distribution Agreement provided for, among other things, our assumption of all liabilities relating to industrial, oil and gas businesses of Watts, and the indemnification of Watts with respect to such liabilities. The net investment by and advances from Watts were determined to be approximately \$277.0 million at the spin-off date. The Distribution Agreement provided that we pay, prior to the spin-off, \$96.0 million to Watts as repayment of certain amounts due to Watts. Watts contributed to our capital its remaining unpaid advances of approximately \$181.0 million, as provided by the Distribution Agreement.

This determination has been completed. The accompanying consolidated financial statements reflect our estimates, based on available information, of the net assets that were transferred.

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

In connection with the spin-off, Watts received a ruling from the Internal Revenue Service (the "IRS") to the effect, among other things, that the spinoff would qualify as a tax-free distribution under Section 355 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Such a ruling, while generally binding upon the IRS, is subject to certain factual representations and assumptions provided by Watts. We have agreed to certain restrictions on our future actions to provide further assurances that the spin-off will qualify as a tax-free distribution. Restrictions include, among other things: limitations on the liquidation, merger or consolidation with another company. Additionally, we committed to engage in a public offering of a significant amount of our common stock within one year of the distribution date. In November 2000 we received a supplemental ruling by the IRS providing us with an extension until April 18, 2001 to complete a follow-on equity offering. If the distribution was to be considered taxable for United States federal income tax purposes, Watts and CIRCOR would be joint and severally liable for the resulting Watts' Federal taxes, which could be substantial.

Under the Distribution Agreement, Watts maintains full control and absolute discretion with regard to any combined or consolidated United States federal and state tax filings for periods through the spin-off date. Watts also maintains full control and absolute discretion regarding common tax audit issues of such entities. Although Watts has contractually agreed, in good faith, to use its best efforts to settle all joint interests in any common audit issue on a consistent basis with prior practice, there can be no assurance that determinations so made by Watts would be the same as we would reach, acting on our own behalf.

The Distribution Agreement specifies methods for allocation of assets, liabilities and responsibilities with respect to certain existing employee compensation and benefit plans and programs. Such allocations have been completed for employees of Watts who became CIRCOR employees at the spin-off date. In addition, all vested and unvested Watts options held by our employees were terminated and replaced with CIRCOR options of equivalent value. We have agreed to indemnify Watts as to any employer payroll tax it incurs related to the exercise of such options after the spin-off. Certain provisions of the Distribution Agreement also governed the transfer of employees between the parties during the transition period ended in 1999. We have also agreed on arrangements between the parties with respect to certain internal software, third-party agreements, telecommunications services and computing services.

Allocations and Determination of Common Costs in Historical Financial Statements

Prior to the spin-off, our operations were financed through our operating cash flows, and investments by and advances from Watts. For this reason, our historical financial statements include interest expense on our external debt plus an allocation of interest expense which had not previously been separately allocated by Watts. These interest allocations were based on Watts' weighted average interest rate applied to the average annual balance of investments by and advances from Watts.

Additionally, our historical financial statements include an allocation of Watts' previously unallocated general and administrative expenses. These allocations were based on our revenue as a percent of Watts' total revenue. The amounts, by year, of the historical allocations described above are as follows:

		Fiscal Years Ended June	
	July 1, 1999	30,	
	Through		
	Spin-Off Date	1999 1998	
	(In thou	usands)	
General and administrative expenses allocated	\$1,678	\$5,600 \$4,900	
Interest expense allocated	1,899	6,455 3,101	

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

We believe that the original bases of allocation of interest and general and administrative expenses were reasonable based on the facts available at the date of their allocation. However, based on current information, such amounts are not indicative of amounts which we would have incurred if we had been an independent, publicly-owned entity for all periods presented. As noted in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet, our capital structure changed as a result of the distribution from Watts and bears little relationship to the average net outstanding investments by and advances from Watts. We chose to add personnel and incur other costs to perform services previously provided by Watts. The full cost reflective of our capital structure and our personnel complement have been included in our Consolidated Statement of Operations as incurred.

For periods prior to the spin-off, income tax expense was calculated, to the extent possible, as if we had filed separate income tax returns and benefited from the Watts strategies associated with our operations. We did not employ similar tax planning strategies immediately following the spin-off until we were sure that these tax strategies would not jeopardize the tax-free nature of the spin-off. We requested and chose to wait for a favorable supplemental ruling from the IRS, which we received in April 2000. As Watts managed its tax position on a consolidated basis, which takes into account the results of all of its businesses, our effective tax rate in the future could vary significantly from our historical effective tax rates. Our future effective tax rate will be partially dependent on our structure and tax strategies as a separate entity.

### Other Transactions with Former Affiliates

Prior and subsequent to the spin-off transaction we conducted business with various other subsidiaries of Watts, under various contracts and agreements. The following table summarizes transactions with these related parties:

			Fiscal Years Ended June 30,			
	Year Ended December 31, 2000	Six Months Ended December 31, 1999		1999		998
		(In thousands)				
Purchases of inventory Sale of goods	\$4,277 835	\$3,621 2,042	\$	7,484 1,366	\$	7,672 1,081

### (4) Business Acquisitions

On July 22, 1998, Watts Investment Company, a subsidiary of our former parent, Watts Industries, Inc., acquired Hoke, Inc. ("Hoke"), a multinational manufacturer of industrial valves and fittings, for approximately \$85.0 million including assumption of debt. The following table reflects unaudited pro forma consolidated results on the basis that the Hoke acquisition had taken place and was recorded at the beginning of the fiscal year for each of the periods presented:

	Fiscal Yea June	
	1999	1998
	(In thou	sands)
Net revenues Net income		\$ 358,191 19,365

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

In our opinion the unaudited pro forma consolidated results of operations may not be indicative of the actual results that would have occurred had the acquisition been consummated at the beginning of fiscal 1998, or at the beginning of fiscal 1999, or of future operations of the consolidated companies under our ownership and management.

On October 18, 1999, the spin-off date, the ownership of Hoke was transferred to CIRCOR. Additionally, Watts Investment Company assigned to us all of its rights under the Stock Purchase Agreement governing the Hoke acquisition (the "Stock Purchase Agreement"). As a result, we became the claimant in two separate arbitration proceedings against the former Hoke shareholders.

Under the terms of the Stock Purchase Agreement, Watts Investment Company was obligated to prepare a closing date balance sheet and closing net worth statement, which when compared to the closing net worth as detailed in the Stock Purchase Agreement, would result in either an upward or downward purchase price adjustment. Watts Investment Company prepared the closing date balance sheet that showed that the closing net worth was approximately \$9.9 million lower than the target amount in the Stock Purchase Agreement, and sought a purchase price adjustment for that amount. The former Hoke shareholders objected to the closing date balance sheet and closing net worth statement. In early 1999, pursuant to the terms of the Stock Purchase Agreement, arbitration proceedings began between the former Hoke shareholders and us to determine the closing net worth of Hoke. In May 2000, the arbitrator awarded us a purchase price adjustment in the amount of \$6.2 million. Because the Stock Purchase Agreement provided for a deferred purchase price payment by us of \$3.5 million, the net effect of the arbitrator's award resulted in a payment to us of \$2.7 million.

We also were the claimant in an indemnification claim against the former Hoke shareholders pursuant to the Stock Purchase Agreement. This second claim, made on December 11, 1998, asserted that the former Hoke shareholders, either intentionally or unintentionally, made misrepresentations in the Stock Purchase Agreement regarding Hoke's financial statements and that those misrepresentations caused Hoke's earnings for 1997 to be inflated, thereby causing us harm. This claim was the subject of a separate proceeding. During November 2000, the claim was settled for \$8.5 million. The amount of the cash received for these two claims, less the associated costs of pursuing these claims, has been accounted for as a \$9.5 million reduction in the purchase price for Hoke.

Additionally, in connection with the Hoke acquisition, we implemented a plan to integrate certain of Hoke's operations and activities into our existing operations. This plan included the closure of Hoke's headquarters facility and relocation of certain manufacturing operations to other CIRCOR facilities. As a result of this plan, 170 former Hoke employees were involuntarily terminated. Details of costs recorded as part of the acquisition for the integration activities are as follows:

	Original Accrual	Activity in 1999	Balance at December 31, 1999	Activity in 2000	Balance at December 31, 2000
			(In thous	ands)	
Employee severance and					
related benefits	\$3,167	\$(2,839)	\$328	\$(328)	\$ -
employees	45	(6)	39	(39)	-
Other exit costs	1,365	(1,365)	-	-	-
	\$4,577	\$(4,210)	\$367	\$(367)	\$ -
	======	======	====	=====	===

### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

Additionally, during the year ended December 31, 2000 and the six months ended December 31, 1999, costs of \$0.5 million and \$0.7 million, respectively, were incurred to relocate certain Hoke manufacturing equipment to our other manufacturing facilities. These costs were expensed as incurred, were included in operating expenses and were identified as special charges.

In fiscal 1998, we acquired Telford Valve and Specialties, Inc. of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, Atkomatic Valve Company, located in Indianapolis, Indiana and Aerodyne Controls Corp. of Ronkonkoma, New York. During fiscal 1999, we also acquired SSI Equipment Inc. of Burlington, Ontario, Canada, and GO Regulator, Inc. of San Dimas, California. On November 29, 2000, we acquired the Rockwood Swendeman line of cryogenic safety relief valves, located in Scarborough, Maine. All of these acquired companies are valve manufacturers and the aggregate purchase price of these acquisitions was approximately \$37.5 million. The goodwill which resulted from these acquisitions is being amortized on a straight-line basis over a 40-year period.

All acquisitions have been accounted for under the purchase method and the results of operations of the acquired businesses have been included in the consolidated financial statements from the date of acquisition. Had these acquisitions, other than Hoke, occurred at the beginning of each respective fiscal year of acquisition, the effect on operating results would not have been material.

### (5) Inventories

Inventories consist of the following:

	December 31, June 30, 2000 1999 1999				
	[]	(In thousands)			
Raw materials Work in process Finished goods	31,804	27,466	23,087		
	\$111,258	\$107,332	\$108,910 ======		

(6) Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment consist of the following:

	Decembe	June 30,	
	2000		1999
	(In	thousands	)
Land Buildings and improvements Machinery and equipment Construction in progress	24,983 108,254	\$ 6,225 27,665 111,470 1,724	,
Accumulated depreciation	,	147,084 (71,930) \$ 75,154	'
	=======	=======	=======

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

# (7) Income Taxes

The significant components of our deferred income tax liabilities and assets are as follows:

	December 31,			
	2000			
	(In	thousand	s)	
Deferred income tax liabilities: Excess tax over book depreciation Inventory Other	3,314 532		3,327 620	
Total deferred income tax liabilities	10,765	11,456	10,766	
Deferred income tax assets: Accrued expenses Net operating loss and credit carryforward Cost basis differences in intangible assets Other Total deferred income tax assets Valuation allowance Net deferred income tax asset Deferred income tax asset, net	5,413 803 2,013 5,804 	529 2,499 7,333 16,088 	5,554 716 5,649 11,919 11,919 \$ 1,153	
The above components of deferred income taxes are classified in the respective consolidated balance sheet as follows: Net current deferred income tax asset Net noncurrent deferred income tax liability	. ,	. ,		
Deferred income tax asset, net		\$ 4,632 ======		

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

The provision for income taxes is based on the following pre-tax income:

	Year Ended	Six Months Ended	Fiscal Ended J	
		December 31, 1999	1999	1998
		(In thousands)		
Domestic Foreign	\$13,790 3,810	\$ 6,587 2,257	\$ 14,011 6,960	\$ 22,864 12,162
	\$17,600	\$ 8,844 ======	\$ 20,971	\$ 35,026

The provision for income taxes consists of the following:

	Veer Ended			ears Ended 830,	
		December 31, 1999			
		(In thousands)			
Current tax expense (benefit):					
	\$ 3,759	\$(1,360)	\$ 173	\$ 7,156	
Foreign	1,354	1,272	2,408	3,085	
State	612	244	26	1,678	
	5,725	156	2,607	11,919	
Deferred tax expense (benefit):					
Federal	73	3,798	4,684	599	
Foreign	954	(366)	613	(22)	
State	288	376	557	105	
	1,315	3,808	5,854	682	
	\$ 7,040 ======	\$ 3,964 ======	\$ 8,461	\$ 12,601 =======	

Actual income taxes reported from operations are different than those which would have been computed by applying the federal statutory tax rate to income before income taxes. The reasons for these differences are as follows:

	Voor Ended	Six Months Ended	Fiscal Years Ended June 30,		
	December 31, 2000 December 31, 1999	1999	1998		
Computed expected federal income tax					
expense State income taxes, net of federal tax	35.0%	35.0%	35.0%	35.0%	
benefit	3.3	4.6	2.0	2.0	
Goodwill amortization	4.4	4.2	3.8	0.8	
Foreign tax rate					
differential	1.5	1.3	1.8	(3.1)	
Foreign Sales				( <i>'</i>	
Corporation benefit	(5.0)	(3.1)	(2.2)	(1.5)	
Other, net	0.8	2.8	(0.1)	2.8	
	40.0%	44.8%	40.3%	36.0%	
	=======	======	========	=======	

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

Undistributed earnings of our foreign subsidiaries amounted to \$1.7 million at December 31, 2000, \$4.7 million at December 31, 1999, and \$3.2 million and \$0.8 million at June 30, 1999 and 1998, respectively. Those earnings are considered to be indefinitely reinvested and, accordingly, no provision for U.S. federal and state income taxes has been recorded thereon. Upon distribution of those earnings, in the form of dividends or otherwise, we will be subject to both U.S. income taxes (subject to an adjustment for foreign tax credits) and withholding taxes payable to the various foreign countries. Determination of the amount of U.S. income tax liability that would be incurred is not practicable because of the complexities associated with its hypothetical calculation; however, unrecognized foreign tax credits would be available to reduce some portion of any U.S. income tax liability. Withholding taxes of \$0.2 million would be payable upon remittance of all previously unremitted earnings at December 31, 2000, %2.7 million during the six months ended December 31, 1999, and \$4.7 million and \$4.3 million in fiscal years 1999 and 1998, respectively.

# (8) Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consist of the following:

	December 31,		
	2000	1999	June 30, 1999
		n thousa	
Commissions and sales incentive payable Acquisition related costs Insurance Other	207 2,397	\$ 3,895 1,068 2,875 7,329	4,708 2,414
Total		\$15,167 ======	

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

# (9) Financing Arrangements

Long-term debt consists of the following:

	December 31,		- lune 30	
	2000	1999	1999	
		n thousand		
Senior unsecured notes, maturing in 2006, at a fixed interest rate of 8.23% Revolving line of credit, maturing in 2003, at a	\$75,000	\$ 75,000	\$-	
variable interest rate, 7.57% at December 31, 1999 Industrial revenue bonds, maturing in varying amounts through 2020, at a variable interest rate, 4.66% at December 31, 2000, 5.45% at December 31, 1999, and	-	32,000	-	
3.88% at June 30, 1999 Term loan, at a variable interest rate, 8.50% at June	12,265	12,265	12,540	
30, 1999 Capital lease obligations, at varying interest rates	-	-	4,658	
ranging from 9.87% to 18.50%	232	596	4,081	
Other borrowings, at varying interest rates ranging from 6.25% to 9.00%	4,036	5,266	5,303	
Total long-term debt Less: current portion		125,127 2,260		
Total long-term debt, less current portion	,	\$122,867		

On October 18, 1999, we entered into a \$75.0 million unsecured revolving credit facility maturing in 2003. Under the credit facility agreement we are required to pay a facility fee of 0.35% per annum, and are able to borrow at various interest rates based on either the Euro dollar rate plus 1.25% or prime lending rate, as specified by the lender. On October 19, 1999, we also issued \$75.0 million of unsecured notes maturing in 2006. Proceeds from the notes and borrowings under the credit facility were used to repay \$96.0 million of investments by and advances from Watts and the outstanding balance under the term loan agreement.

At December 31, 2000, we had \$75.0 million available from the unsecured credit facility to support our acquisition program, working capital requirements and for general corporate purposes.

Certain of our loan agreements contain covenants that require, among other items, maintenance of certain financial ratios and also limit our ability to enter into secured borrowing arrangements.

At December 31, 2000, principal payments during each of the next five fiscal years and thereafter are due as follows: 2001-\$0.9 million; 2002-\$15.1 million; 2003-\$15.9 million; 2004-\$15.5 million; and 2005-\$15.9 million and \$28.2 million thereafter. Interest paid for all periods presented in the accompanying consolidated financial statements approximates interest expense.

### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

### (10) Stock-Based Compensation

During the Transition Period, the 1999 Stock Option and Incentive Plan (the "1999 Stock Plan") was adopted by our Board of Directors. Generally, the 1999 Stock Plan permits the grant of the following types of awards to our officers, other employees and non-employee directors: incentive stock options, nonqualified stock options, deferred stock awards, restricted stock awards, unrestricted stock awards, performance share awards, stock appreciation rights and dividend equivalent rights. The 1999 Stock Plan provides for the issuance of up to 2,000,000 shares of common stock (subject to adjustment for stock splits and similar events). New options granted under the 1999 Stock Plan could have varying vesting provisions and exercise periods. Options granted subsequent to the spin-off vest in periods ranging from 1 to 7 years and expire 10 years after grant.

The CIRCOR Management Stock Purchase Plan, which is a component of the 1999 Stock Plan, provides that eligible employees may elect to receive restricted stock units in lieu of all or a portion of their pre-tax annual incentive bonus and, in some cases, make after-tax contributions in exchange for restricted stock units. In addition, non-employee directors may elect to receive restricted stock units in lieu of all or a portion of their annual directors' fees. Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of our common stock after a three-year vesting period. Restricted stock units are granted at a discount of 33% from the fair market value of the shares of common stock on the date of grant. This discount is amortized to compensation expense ratably over the vesting period.

At the spin-off date, vested and non-vested Watts options held by our employees terminated in accordance with their terms and new options of equivalent value were issued under the 1999 Stock Plan to replace the Watts options ("replacement options"). The vesting dates and exercise periods of the options were not affected by the replacement. Based on their original Watts grant date, CIRCOR replacement options vest during the 1999 to 2003 time period and expire 10 years after grant of the original Watts options. Additionally, at the spin-off date vested and non-vested Watts restricted stock units held by our employees were converted into comparable restricted stock units based on our common stock and will be payable in shares of our common stock. At December 31, 2000, 142,513 restricted stock units were outstanding.

Had compensation cost for all our option grants subsequent to the spin-off to employees and non-employee directors been determined consistent with SFAS 123, our net income for the year ended December 31, 2000 would have decreased by \$0.6 million to \$10.0 million. Similarly, our net income for the six months ended December 31, 1999 would have decreased by \$0.1 million to \$4.8 million. The pro forma net income may not be representative of future disclosures of pro forma net income since the estimated fair value of stock options is amortized to expense over the vesting period, which was only a partial year in the transition period, and additional options may be granted in varying quantities in future years. SFAS 123 pro forma income per share data is not meaningful as we were not an independent, publicly owned company prior to the spin-off.

The fair value of each option grant made subsequent to the spin-off was estimated as of the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following weighted average assumptions:

	December	
	2000	1999
Risk-free interest rate	5.8%	6.1%
Expected life (years)	-	5
Expected stock volatility Expected dividend yield		

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

A summary of the status of all options granted to employees and nonemployee directors as of December 31, 2000 and 1999, and changes during the year and six months then ended is presented in the table below:

	Year Ended December 31, 2000		Six Months Ended December 31, 1999		
	(thousands)	Weighted Average Exercise Price	(thousands)	Exercise Price	
Options outstanding at beginning of period Replacement of Watts	1,025	\$10.43	-	\$-	
options	-	-	627	10.60	
Granted	406	8.60	398	10.13	
Exercised	(20)	8.78	-	-	
Forfeited	(179)	10.48	-	-	
Options outstanding at end of period	1,232 =====	\$ 9.85	1,025 =====	\$10.43	
Options exercisable	464	\$10.62	359	\$10.67	
Weighted average fair value of options					
granted		\$ 3.61		\$ 2.37	

The following table summarizes information about stock options outstanding as of December 31, 2000:

		Options O	utstanding	Options	Exercisable
Range of Exercise Prices	Options (thousands)	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life	Weighted Average Exercise Price		Weighted Average Exercise Price
\$ 7.50 - \$ 8.37 9.20 - 10.38 11.00 - 11.96 12.15 - 13.94	481 391 101 259	8.4 8.5 5.2 6.6	\$ 7.76 9.89 11.85 12.89	133 100 89 142	\$ 8.28 9.78 11.94 12.58
\$ 7.50 - \$13.94	1,232	7.7	\$ 9.85	464	\$10.62

# (11) Employee Benefit Plans

We sponsor a defined benefit pension plan covering substantially all of our domestic non-union employees. Benefits are based primarily on years of service and employees' compensation. Our funding policy for these plans is to contribute annually the maximum amount that can be deducted for federal income tax purposes. Prior to the spin-off, the participants in the plan were covered by plans with similar benefits, sponsored by Watts. Under an agreement with Watts, we have assumed or retained pension liabilities related to substantially all of our participants. Assets of the Watts plans have been allocated, in accordance with regulatory rules, between the Watts plans and our plan.

Additionally, substantially all of our domestic non-union employees are eligible to participate in a 401(k) savings plan. Under this plan, we match a specified percentage of employee contributions, subject to certain limitations.

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

The components of net benefit expense are as follows:

		Six Months Ended December 31, 1999	Fiscal Yea June 3 1999	30,
		(In thousands)		
Components of net benefit expense Service cost-benefits				
earned Interest cost on	\$1,071	\$ 526	\$ 1,085	\$ 786
benefits obligation Estimated return on	643	298	531	459
assets	(793)	(330)	(654)	(443)
	921	494	962	802
Defined contribution				
plans	345	203	216	210
Tatal nat banafita				
Total net benefits expense	\$1,266 ======	\$ 697 =====	\$ 1,178	\$1,012 ======

The funded status of the defined benefit plan and amounts recognized in the balance sheet follow:

	Decembe	r 31,	
	2000	1999	1999
		thousand	
Change in projected benefit obligation Balance at beginning of period Service cost Interest cost Actuarial gain (loss) Benefits paid Administrative expenses Amendments.	1,071 643 (1,399) (49) (94) (90)	526 298 267 -	1,085 531 (623) -
Balance at end of period	\$ 9,187		\$ 8,014
Change in fair value of plan assets Balance at beginning of period Actual return on assets Benefits paid Administrative expenses Employer contributions	25 (49) (94) 918	650 - -	595 - - 119
Fair value of plan assets at end of period	\$ 8,623		\$ 7,173
Funded status Plan assets less than benefit obligation Unrecognized transition obligation Unrecognized prior service cost Unrecognized actuarial gain (loss) Net accrued benefit cost.	\$ (563) (200) 233 (964) \$(1,494)	\$(1,282) (264) 353 (298)	\$ (841) (257) 207 (1,047) \$(1,938)

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

The weighted average assumptions used in determining the obligations of pension benefit plans are shown below:

	December 31,			,
	2000 1999		9 1999 1998	
Discount rate Expected return on plan assets Rate of compensation increase	9.00%	9.00%	9.00%	9.00%

(12) Contingencies and Environmental Remediation

### Contingencies

We are subject to pending or threatened lawsuits and proceedings or claims arising from the ordinary course of operations. Reserves have been established which management presently believes are adequate in light of probable and estimable exposure to the pending or threatened litigation of which it has knowledge. Such contingencies are not expected to have a material effect on our financial condition, results of operations, or liquidity.

On July 12, 2000, we were notified that the United States Customs Service, or Customs, had begun an investigation to determine whether our subsidiary, KF Industries was, and continues to be, in compliance with country of origin marking requirements on those valves that KF Industries imports from sources in the People's Republic of China, including our Chinese joint venture. While we believe that the Customs investigation will not result in any material liability to KF Industries, there can be no assurances as to the outcome of the matter. If the Customs investigation were to reveal that violations of the customs laws had occurred, KF Industries could be subjected to civil fines and forfeitures and, if such violations were determined to be intentional, criminal penalties, which could be material. We believe that KF Industries' marking practices have been in substantial compliance with Customs' regulations and we are cooperating with Customs in its investigation.

### Environmental Remediation

We have been named a potentially responsible party with respect to identified contaminated sites. The level of contamination varies significantly from site to site as do the related levels of remediation efforts. Environmental liabilities are recorded based on the most probable cost, if known, or on the estimated minimum cost of remediation. Our accrued estimated environmental liabilities are based on assumptions which are subject to a number of factors and uncertainties. Circumstances which can affect the reliability and precision of these estimates include identification of additional sites, environmental regulations, level of cleanup required, technologies available, number and financial condition of other contributors to remediation and the time period over which remediation may occur. We recognize changes in estimates as new remediation requirements are defined or as new information becomes available. We estimate that accrued environmental remediation liabilities will likely be paid over the next five to ten years. Such environmental remediation contingencies are not expected to have a material effect on our financial condition, results of operation, or liquidity.

### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

### **Operating Lease Commitments**

At December 31, 2000, minimum rental commitments under noncancellable operating leases, primarily for office and warehouse facilities were: \$2.6 million in 2001, \$2.5 million in 2002, \$2.3 million in 2003, \$2.1 million in 2004, \$1.8 million in 2005 and \$6.0 million for years thereafter. Rental expense amounted to: \$3.2 million during the year ended December 31, 2000, \$1.5 million during the six months ended December 31, 1999, and \$3.4 million and \$1.4 million during the years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998, respectively.

# (13) Financial Instruments

# Fair Value

The carrying amounts of cash and cash equivalents, short-term investments, trade receivables and trade payables approximate fair value because of the short maturity of these financial instruments. The fair value of the senior unsecured notes, based on the value of comparable instruments brought to market, is \$74.1 million as of December 31, 2000. The fair value of the Company's variable rate debt approximates its carrying value.

# Use of Derivatives

We use foreign currency forward exchange contracts to manage the currency risk related to business transactions denominated in foreign currencies. Related gains and losses are recognized when the contracts expire, which are generally in the same period as the underlying foreign currency denominated transaction. To the extent these transactions are completed, these contracts do not subject us to significant market risk from exchange movement because they offset gains and losses on the related foreign currency denominated transactions. At December 31, 2000 and 1999 and June 30, 1999, we had forward contracts to buy foreign currencies with a face value of \$10.1 million, \$9.0 million and \$4.8 million, respectively. These contracts had various settlement dates between January-July 2001, July 1999-January 2000 and January-June 2000 and had fair market values of \$0.4 million, \$(0.6) million and \$(0.2) million, respectively.

The counterparties to the above contracts are major financial institutions. Our risk of loss, in the event of non-performance by a counterparty, is not significant.

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

# (14) Segment Information

The following table presents certain operating segment information:

	Instrumentation & Fluid Regulation Products		Corporate Adjustments	
		(In thousa	nds)	
Year Ended December 31,				
2000				
Net revenues	\$178,237	\$138,626	\$-	\$316,863
Operating income				
(loss)	30,480	3,868	(6,712)	27,636
Identifiable assets	238,901	150,604	(42,443)	347,062
Capital expenditures	1,947	1,615	181	3,743
Depreciation and				
amortization	7,873	4,872	260	13,005
Six Months Ended				
December 31, 1999				
Net revenues	\$ 84,564	\$ 72,701	\$-	\$157,265
Operating income				
(loss)	10,254	6,331	(2,739)	13,846
Identifiable assets	212,328	141,773	12,984	367,085
Capital expenditures	1,822	2,258	477	4,557
Depreciation and				
amortization	4,412	2,566	98	7,076
Fiscal Year Ended June				
30, 1999				
Net revenues	\$175,697	\$148,561	\$-	\$324,258
Operating income		,		,
(loss)	24,843	10,324	(5,617)	29,550
Identifiable assets	218,732	136, 328	3,983	359,043
Capital expenditures	6,592	2,907	-	9,499
Depreciation and		,		,
amortization	7,939	4,823	-	12,762
Fiscal Year Ended June		,		,
30, 1998				
Net revenues	\$110,759	\$180,821	\$-	\$291,580
Operating income		. ,		. ,
(loss)	17,883	25,256	(4,948)	38,191
Identifiable assets	97,245	153,186	3,046	253,477
Capital expenditures	1,586	4,529		6,115
Depreciation and	,	/		- / - 2
amortization	3,611	4,233	-	7,844
	- / -	,		,

Each operating segment is individually managed and has separate financial results that are reviewed by the Company's chief operating decision-maker. Each segment contains closely related products that are unique to the particular segment. Refer to Note 1 for further discussion of the products included in each segment.

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

In calculating profit from operations for individual operating segments, substantial administrative expenses incurred at the operating level that are common to more than one segment are allocated on a net revenues basis. Certain headquarters expenses of an operational nature also are allocated to segments and geographic areas. All intercompany transactions have been eliminated, and inter-segment revenues are not significant.

(a) Not revenues by		Six Months Ended	Fiscal Year June 3	30,
(a) Net revenues by geographic area	2000	December 31, 1999	1999	1998
		(In thousand	s)	
United States Italy Canada Other	\$220,568 3,579 18,020 74,696	\$ 95,943 2,386 16,094 42,842	\$ 189,909 \$ 42,956 27,830 63,563	5 198,512 50,734 23,783 18,551
Total revenues	\$316,863	\$157,265 =======	\$ 324,258 \$ ======	§ 291,580

December 31,				
(b) Long-lived assets by geographic area	2000 1999		June 30, 1999	
	(In thousands)			
United States Italy Canada Other	\$55,040 3,107 2,262 4,385	\$64,193 3,770 2,439 4,752	\$64,773 4,254 2,671 4,984	
Total long-lived assets	\$64,794	\$75,154 =======	\$76,682	

### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

### (15) Pro Forma Financial Information (unaudited)

As discussed in Note 3, we became an independent publicly-owned company on October 18, 1999 as a result of a spin-off from Watts. The following unaudited pro forma financial information presents a summary of the consolidated results of operations as if the spin-off and related transactions had occurred at the beginning of the periods presented:

		Fiscal Years Ended June 30,		
		1999	1998	
	(In thousands,			
Net income as reported Pro forma adjustments: Incremental administrative expenses	\$ 4,880	\$ 12,510	\$ 22,425	
(a) Incremental interest expenses (b) Income tax effect of pro forma	(61) (322)	(253) (1,037)	(246) (429)	
adjustments (c)		516		
Net pro forma adjustments	(230)	(774)	(405)	
Pro forma net income	\$ 4,650 ======		\$ 22,020	
Basic earnings per share: (d)				
Before pro forma adjustments Impact of pro forma adjustments	\$ 0.37 (0.02)	\$ 0.95 (0.07)	(0.03)	
Pro forma basic earnings per share	\$ 0.35 ======	\$ 0.88 ======	\$ 1.62	
Diluted earnings per share: (d) Before pro forma adjustments Impact of pro forma adjustments	\$ 0.37 (0.02)	(0.07)	(0.03)	
Pro forma diluted earnings per share	\$ 0.35 ======	\$ 0.88 ======	\$ 1.62	

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- (a) To record estimated additional administrative expenses that would have been incurred by CIRCOR as a publicly-owned, independent company. Such amounts include additional compensation and related costs for employees to perform functions that have been performed by Watts' corporate headquarters (treasury, investor relations, regulatory compliance, risk management, etc.). These additional costs also include amounts for corporate governance costs, stock transfer agent costs, incremental professional fees and other administrative activities.
- (b) To record estimated incremental interest expense for estimated outstanding borrowings under the CIRCOR credit facility and from the issuance of senior unsecured notes. The borrowings under the credit facility and senior unsecured notes are assumed to bear an annualized interest rate, including amortization of related fees, of 7.3% for the six months ended December 31, 1999 and 8.5% for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998. These interest rates represent management's best estimate of the available rates for borrowings under similar facilities. Net income as reported includes an allocation of Watts' interest expense based on Watts' weighted average interest rate applied to the average balance of investments by and advances to CIRCOR.
- (c) To record the income tax benefit attributable to adjustments (a) and (b) at a combined Federal and state tax rate of 40.0%.
- (d) The number of shares used to calculate pro forma earnings per share for the six months ended December 31, 1999 assumes the spin-off transaction occurred at July 1, 1999. The number of shares used to calculate pro forma earnings per share for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998 is based on the weighted average common stock and common stock equivalents outstanding used by Watts to determine earnings per share for that period, adjusted in accordance with the distribution ratio (see Note 3).

Basic net income per common share is calculated by dividing net income by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding. The calculation of diluted earnings per share assumes the conversion of all dilutive securities (see Note 10).

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - (Continued)

Pro forma net income and number of shares used to compute pro forma net earnings per share, basic and assuming full dilution, are reconciled below (in thousands, except per share data):

		Months E			Fis	cal Years	Ended June	30,	
	December 31, 1999		1999			1998			
	Pro Forma Net Incom						Pro Forma Net Income	Shares	Per Share Amount
Basic EPS Dilutive securities, principally common	. ,	,		\$11,736	13,368		\$22,020	13,554	• -
stock options	-	86	-	-	7	-	-	40	-
Diluted EPS	\$ 4,650	13,315	\$0.35 =====	\$11,736	13,375	\$0.88 =====	\$22,020	13,594	\$1.62 =====

(16) Quarterly Financial Information (unaudited)

	First Second Third Fourth Quarter Quarter Quarter	
	(In thousands, except per share data)	
Year ended December 31, 2000		
Net revenues Gross profit	\$82,305 \$80,269 \$75,988 \$78,301 26,219 23,640 23,008 22,924	
Net income Earnings per common share:	3,186 2,426 2,287 2,661	
Basic	\$ 0.24 \$ 0.18 \$ 0.17 \$ 0.20	
Diluted	0.24 0.18 0.17 0.20	
Dividends per common share	- 0.0375 0.0375 0.0375	
Six months ended December 31, 1999		
Net revenues	\$78,063 \$79,202 n/a n/a	
Gross profit	23,602 25,050 n/a n/a	
Net income Pro forma earnings per common share:	1,688 3,192 n/a n/a	
Basic	\$ 0.11 \$ 0.24 n/a n/a	
Diluted	0.11 0.24 n/a n/a	
Dividends per common share Fiscal year ended June 30, 1999	n/a - n/a n/a	
Net revenues	\$81,411 \$85,386 \$79,492 \$77,969	
Gross profit	25,557 26,245 25,644 26,200	
Net income	3,706 3,134 2,493 3,177	

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS--(Continued)

# (17) Special Charges

During the year ended December 31, 2000, we incurred \$1.9 million of costs in connection with the consolidation and reorganization of manufacturing operations. The severance costs recognized for 88 terminated employees were \$1.3 million. Other costs of \$0.6 million were incurred and were primarily associated with the closure, consolidation and reorganization of manufacturing plants in both the instrumentation and fluid regulation and petrochemical segments. The portion of the accrued severance cost to be paid subsequent to December 31, 2000 totals \$0.1 million. Special charges of \$0.7 million were incurred in the last six months of 1999, all associated with the closure, consolidation and reorganization of manufacturing plants in the instrumentation and fluid regulation segment. Special charges have been recognized as incurred.

# (18) Subsequent Event

On January 26, 2001 we filed a registration statement on Form S-3 with the Securities and Exchange Commission to register our offering of 1,552,500 shares of our common stock.

# SCHEDULE II--VALUATION AND QUALIFYING ACCOUNTS

# CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC. (In thousands)

	Additions					
Description	Beginning of	and	Charged to Other Accounts	Deductions	Balance at End of Period	
Fiscal Year ended December 31, 2000 Deducted from asset account: Allowance for doubtful accounts Six months ended December 31, 1999 Deducted from asset account: Allowance for	\$2,683	\$ 77	\$-	\$(71)	\$2,831	
doubtful accounts Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1999 Deducted from asset account: Allowance for	\$2,949	\$483	\$-	\$749	\$2,683	
doubtful accounts Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1998 Deducted from asset account: Allowance for doubtful accounts	\$2,092 \$1,709	\$106 \$493	\$1,259(2) \$ 208(2)		\$2,949 \$2,092	

Uncollectible accounts written off, net of recoveries.
 Balance acquired in connection with acquisition of SSI and Hoke, Inc. in 1999, and Telford Valve in 1998.

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# EXECUTIVE CHANGE OF CONTROL AGREEMENT

This EXECUTIVE CHANGE OF CONTROL AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made as of the 8th day of August, 2000, between CIRCOR, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation (the "Company"), and Stephen J. Carriere("Executive").

WHEREAS, the Company presently employs the Executive in which capacity the Executive serves as an officer of the Company and its Parent (as defined below); and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Parent (the "Board") recognizes the valuable services rendered to the Company, the Parent and their respective affiliates by the Executive; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that it is in the best interests of the Company, the Parent and their affiliates to encourage in advance the continued loyalty of the Executive as well as the Executive's continued attention to his assigned duties and objectivity in the event of a threatened or possible change in control of the Parent;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

1. DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

"CAUSE" shall mean: (a) conduct by Executive constituting a material act of willful misconduct in connection with the performance of his duties, including, without limitation, misappropriation of funds or property of the Company or any of its affiliates other than the occasional, customary and de minimis use of Company property for personal purposes; (b) criminal or civil conviction of Executive, a plea of nolo contendere by Executive or conduct by Executive that would reasonably be expected to result in material injury to the reputation of the Company if he were retained in his position with the Company, including, without limitation, conviction of a felony involving moral turpitude; (c) continued, willful and deliberate non-performance by Executive of his duties hereunder (other than by reason of Executive's physical or mental illness, incapacity or disability) which has continued for more than thirty (30) days following written notice of such non-performance from the Chief Executive Officer; or (d) a violation by Executive of the Company's employment policies which has continued following written notice of such violation from the Chief Executive Officer.

"CHANGE IN CONTROL" shall mean any of the following:

(a) Any "person," as such term is used in Sections 13(d) and 14(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act") (other than the Parent, any of its subsidiaries, any member of the Horne Family Group (as defined herein) or any trustee, fiduciary or other person or entity holding securities under any employee benefit plan or trust of the Parent or any of its subsidiaries), together with all "affiliates" and "associates" (as such terms are defined in Rule 12b-2 under the Act) of such

person, shall become the "beneficial owner" (as such term is defined in Rule 13d-3 under the Act), directly or indirectly, of securities of the Parent representing twenty-five percent (25%) or more of either (A) the combined voting power of the Parent's then outstanding securities having the right to vote in an election of the Parent's Board ("Voting Securities") or (B) the then outstanding shares of Parent's common stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock") (other than as a result of an acquisition of securities directly from the Parent); or

(b) Incumbent Directors (as defined below) cease for any reason, including, without limitation, as a result of a tender offer, proxy contest, merger or similar transaction, to constitute at least a majority of the Board; or

(c) The stockholders of the Parent shall approve (A) any consolidation or merger of the Parent where the stockholders of the Parent, immediately prior to the consolidation or merger, would not, immediately after the consolidation or merger, beneficially own (as such term is defined in Rule 13d-3 under the Act), directly or indirectly, shares representing in the aggregate fifty percent (50%) or more of the voting shares of the Parent or other party issuing cash or securities in the consolidation or merger (or of its ultimate parent corporation, if any), (B) any sale, lease, exchange or other transfer (in one transaction or a series of transactions contemplated or arranged by any party as a single plan) of all or substantially all of the assets of the Parent or (C) any plan or proposal for the liquidation or dissolution of the Parent.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a "Change of Control" shall not be deemed to have occurred for purposes of the foregoing clause (a) solely as the result of an acquisition of securities by the Parent which, by reducing the number of shares of Common Stock or other Voting Securities outstanding, increases the proportionate number of shares beneficially owned by any person to twenty-five percent (25%) or more of either (A) the combined voting power of all of the then outstanding Voting Securities or (B) Common Stock; provided, however, that if any person referred to in this sentence shall thereafter become the beneficial owner of any additional shares of Voting Securities or Common Stock (other than pursuant to a stock split, stock dividend, or similar transaction or as a result of an acquisition of securities directly from the Parent) and immediately thereafter beneficially owns twenty-five percent (25%) or more of either (A) the combined voting power of all of the then outstanding Voting Securities or (B) Common Stock, then a "Change of Control" shall be deemed to have occurred for purposes of the foregoing clause (a).

"GOOD REASON" shall mean that Executive has complied with the "Good Reason Process" (hereinafter defined) following the occurrence of any of the following events: (a) a substantial diminution or other substantive adverse change, not consented to by Executive, in the nature or scope of Executive's responsibilities, authorities, powers, functions or duties; (b) any removal, during the term of this Agreement from Executive of his titles as an officer of the Parent; (c) an involuntary reduction in Executive's Base Salary except for across-the-board reductions similarly affecting all or substantially all management employees; (d) a breach by the Company of any of its other material obligations under this Agreement and the failure of the Company to cure such breach within thirty (30) days after written notice thereof by Executive; or (e) the involuntary relocation of the Company's offices at which Executive is principally employed or the involuntary relocation of the offices of Executive's primary workgroup to a location more than thirty (30) miles from such offices, or the requirement by the Company that Executive be based anywhere other than the Company's offices at such location on an extended basis, except for required travel on the Company's business

to an extent substantially consistent with Executive's business travel obligations. "Good Reason Process" shall mean that (i) Executive reasonably determines in good faith that a "Good Reason" event has occurred; (ii) Executive notifies the Company in writing of the occurrence of the Good Reason event; (iii) Executive cooperates in good faith with the Company's efforts, for a period not less than ninety (90) days following such notice, to modify Executive's employment situation in a manner acceptable to Executive and Company; and (iv) notwithstanding such efforts, one or more of the Good Reason events continues to exist and has not been modified in a manner acceptable to Executive. If the Company cures the Good Reason event in a manner acceptable to Executive during the ninety (90) day period, Good Reason shall be deemed not to have occurred.

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(ii) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any applicable option agreement or stock-based award agreement, upon a Change in Control, all stock options and other stock-based awards granted to Executive by the Parent shall immediately accelerate and become exercisable or nonforfeitable as of the effective date of such Change in Control. In addition, all restricted stock units held by the Executive pursuant to the Management Stock Purchase Plan shall become fully vested upon a Change of Control and the Executive shall be entitled to receive the shares of stock represented by such restricted stock units. Executive shall also be entitled to any other rights and benefits with respect to stock-related awards, to the extent and upon the terms provided in the employee stock option or incentive plan or any agreement or other instrument attendant thereto pursuant to which such options or awards were granted; and

(iii) If the Executive is otherwise eligible for participation in the Company's Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan ("SERP"), the Executive shall be fully vested in his accrued benefit under the SERP as of the Date of Termination; and

(iv) The Company shall, for a period of one (1) year commencing on the Date of Termination, pay such health insurance premiums as may be necessary to allow Executive, Executive's spouse and dependents to continue to receive health insurance coverage substantially similar to the coverage they received prior to the Date of Termination.

### (b) ADDITIONAL LIMITATION.

(i) Anything in this Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding, in the event that any compensation, payment or distribution by the Company to or for the benefit of Executive, whether paid or payable or distributed or distributable pursuant to the terms of this Agreement or otherwise (the "Severance Payments"), would be subject to the excise tax imposed by Section 4999 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), the following provisions shall apply:

(A) If the Severance Payments, reduced by the sum of (1) the Excise Tax and (2) the total of the Federal, state and local income and employment taxes payable by Executive on the amount of the Severance Payments which are in excess of the Threshold Amount, are greater than or equal to the Threshold Amount, Executive shall be entitled to the full benefits payable under this Agreement.

(B) If the Threshold Amount is less than (x) the Severance Payments, but greater than (y) the Severance Payments reduced by the sum of (1) the Excise Tax and (2) the total of the Federal, state, and local income and employment taxes on the amount of the Severance

Payments which are in excess of the Threshold Amount, then the benefits payable under this Agreement shall be reduced (but not below zero) to the extent necessary so that the maximum Severance Payments shall not exceed the Threshold Amount. To the extent that there is more than one method of reducing the payments to bring them within the Threshold Amount, Executive shall determine which method shall be followed; provided that if Executive fails to make such determination within 45 days after the Company has sent Executive written notice of the need for such reduction, the Company may determine the amount of such reduction in its sole discretion.

For the purposes of this Paragraph 3, "Threshold Amount" shall mean three times Executive's "base amount" within the meaning of Section 280G(b)(3) of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder less one dollar (\$1.00); and "Excise Tax" shall mean the excise tax imposed by Section 4999 of the Code, and any interest or penalties incurred by Executive with respect to such excise tax.

(ii) The determination as to which of the alternative provisions of Paragraph 3(b)(i) shall apply to Executive shall be made by KPMG LLP or any other nationally recognized accounting firm selected by the Company (the "Accounting Firm"), which shall provide detailed supporting calculations both to the Company and Executive within 15 business days of the Date of Termination, if applicable, or at such earlier time as is reasonably requested by the Company or Executive. For purposes of determining which of the alternative provisions of Paragraph 3(b)(i) shall apply, Executive shall be deemed to pay federal income taxes at the highest marginal rate of federal income taxation applicable to individuals for the calendar year in which the determination is to be made, and state and local income taxes at the highest marginal rates of individual taxation in the state and locality of Executive's residence on the Date of Termination, net of the maximum reduction in federal income taxes which could be obtained from deduction of such state and local taxes. Any determination by the Accounting Firm shall be binding upon the Company and Executive.

4. UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE. Executive acknowledges that in the course of his employment with the Company (and, if applicable, its predecessors), he has been allowed to become, and will continue to be allowed to become, acquainted with the Company's and the Parent's business affairs, information, trade secrets, and other matters which are of a proprietary or confidential nature, including but not limited to the Company's, the Parent's and their affiliates' and predecessors' operations, business opportunities, price and cost information, finance, customer information, business plans, various sales techniques, manuals, letters, notebooks, procedures, reports, products, processes, services, and other confidential information and knowledge (collectively the "Confidential Information") concerning the Company's, the Parent's and their affiliates' and predecessors' business. The Company agrees to provide on an ongoing basis such Confidential Information as the Company deems necessary or desirable to aid Executive in the performance of his duties. Executive understands and acknowledges that such Confidential Information is confidential, and he agrees not to disclose such Confidential Information to anyone outside the Company or the Parent except to the extent that (i) Executive deems such disclosure or use reasonably necessary or appropriate in

connection with performing his duties on behalf of the Company and the Parent, (ii) Executive is required by order of a court of competent jurisdiction (by subpoena or similar process) to disclose or discuss any Confidential Information, provided that in such case, Executive shall promptly inform the Company or the Parent, as appropriate, of such event, shall promptry inform the Company or the Parent, as appropriate, in attempting to obtain a protective order or to otherwise restrict such disclosure, and shall only disclose Confidential Information to the minimum extent necessary to comply with any such court order; (iii) such Confidential Information becomes generally known to and available for use in the Company's industry (the "Fluid-Control Industry"), other than as a result of any action or inaction by Executive; or (iv) such information has been rightfully received by a member of the Fluid-Control Industry or has been published in a form generally available to the Fluid-Control Industry prior to the date Executive proposes to disclose or use such information. Executive further agrees that he will not during employment and/or at any time thereafter use such Confidential Information in competing, directly or indirectly, with the Company or the Parent. At such time as Executive shall cease to be employed by the Company, he will immediately turn over to the Company or the Parent, as appropriate, all Confidential Information, including papers, documents, writings, electronically stored information, other property, and all copies of them provided to or created by him during the course of him during the course of his employment with the Company. The provisions of this Paragraph 4 shall survive termination of this Agreement for any reason.

5. COVENANT NOT TO COMPETE. In consideration of the benefits afforded the Executive under the terms provided in this Agreement and as a means to aid in the performance and enforcement of the terms of the provisions of Paragraph 4, Executive agrees that

(a) during the term of Executive's employment with the Company and for a period of twelve (12) months thereafter, regardless of the reason for termination of employment, Executive will not, directly or indirectly, as an owner, director, principal, agent, officer, employee, partner, consultant, servant, or otherwise, carry on, operate, manage, control, or become involved in any manner with any business, operation, corporation, partnership, association, agency, or other person or entity which is engaged in a business that is competitive with any of the Company's or the Parent's products which are produced by the Company or the Parent or any affiliate of either entity as of the date of Executive's termination of employment with the Company, in any area or territory in which the Company or the Parent or any affiliate of either entity conducts operations; provided, however, that the foregoing shall not prohibit Executive from owning up to one percent (1%) of the outstanding stock of a publicly held company engaged in the Fluid-Control Industry; and

(b) during the term of Executive's employment with the Company and for a period of twelve (12) months thereafter, regardless of the reason for termination of employment, Executive will not directly or indirectly solicit or induce any present or future employee of the Company or the Parent or any affiliate of either entity to accept employment with Executive or with any business, operation, corporation, partnership, association, agency, or other person or entity with which Executive may be associated, and Executive will not employ or cause any business, operation, corporation, partnership, associated to employ any present or future employee of the Company or the Parent without providing

the Company or the Parent, as appropriate, with ten (10) days' prior written notice of such proposed employment.

Should Executive violate any of the provisions of this Paragraph, then in addition to all other rights and remedies available to the Company at law or in equity, the duration of this covenant shall automatically be extended for the period of time from which Executive began such violation until he permanently ceases such violation.

6. NOTICE. For purposes of this Agreement, notices and all other communications provided for in the Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given when delivered or mailed by United States certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

if to the Executive:

At his home address as shown in the Company's personnel records;

if to the Company:

CIRCOR, Inc. 35 Corporate Drive Burlington, MA 01803 Attention: Board of Directors of CIRCOR International, Inc.

or to such other address as either party may have furnished to the other in writing in accordance herewith, except that notices of change of address shall be effective only upon receipt.

7. NOT AN EMPLOYMENT CONTRACT. This Agreement is intended only to provide those benefits for the Executive as set forth in Paragraph 3 in connection with a Change of Control. As such, this Agreement is not intended to and does not in any way constitute an employment agreement or other contract which would cause the employee to be considered anything other than an employee at will or to in any way be entitled to any specific payments or benefits from the Company in the event of a termination of employment not subject to Paragraph 3 of this Agreement.

8. MISCELLANEOUS. No provisions of this Agreement may be modified, waived, or discharged unless such waiver, modification, or discharge is agreed to in writing and signed by Executive and such officer of the Company as may be specifically designated by the Board. No waiver by either party hereto of, or compliance with, any condition or provision of this Agreement to be performed by such other party shall be deemed a waiver of similar or dissimilar provisions or conditions at the same or at any prior or subsequent time. No agreements or representations, oral or otherwise, express or implied, unless specifically referred to herein, with respect to the subject matter hereof have been made by either party which are not set forth expressly in this Agreement. The validity, interpretation, construction, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts (without regard to principles of conflicts of laws).

9. VALIDITY. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision or provisions of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Agreement, which shall remain in full force and effect. The invalid portion of this Agreement, if any, shall be modified by any court having jurisdiction to the extent necessary to render such portion enforceable.

10. COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original but all of which together will constitute one and the same instrument.

11. ARBITRATION; OTHER DISPUTES. In the event of any dispute or controversy arising under or in connection with this Agreement, the parties shall first promptly try in good faith to settle such dispute or controversy by mediation under the applicable rules of the American Arbitration Association before resorting to arbitration. In the event such dispute or controversy remains unresolved in whole or in part for a period of thirty (30) days after it arises, the parties will settle any remaining dispute or controversy exclusively by arbitration in Boston, Massachusetts, in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association then in effect. Judgment may be entered on the arbitrator's award in any court having jurisdiction. Notwithstanding the above, the Company shall be entitled to seek a restraining order or injunction in any court of competent jurisdiction to prevent any continuation of any violation of Paragraph 4 or 5 hereof.

12. LITIGATION AND REGULATORY COOPERATION. During and after Executive's employment, Executive shall reasonably cooperate with the Company and the Parent in the defense or prosecution of any claims or actions now in existence or which may be brought in the future against or on behalf of the Company and/or the Parent which relate to events or occurrences that transpired while Executive was employed by the Company; provided, however, that such cooperation shall not materially and adversely affect Executive or expose Executive to an increased probability of civil or criminal litigation. Executive's cooperation in connection with such claims or actions shall include, but not be limited to, being available to meet with counsel to prepare for discovery or trial and to act as a witness on behalf of the Company and/or the Parent at mutually convenient times. During and after Executive's employment, Executive also shall cooperate fully with the Company and the Parent in connection with any investigation or review of any federal, state or local regulatory authority as any such investigation or review relates to events or occurrences that transpired while Executive was employed by the Company. The Company shall also provide Executive with compensation on an hourly basis (to be derived from the sum of his Base Compensation and Average Incentive Compensation) for requested litigation and regulatory cooperation that occurs after his termination of employment, and reimburse Executive for all costs and expenses incurred in connection with his performance under this Paragraph 12, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.

13. GENDER NEUTRAL. Wherever used herein, a pronoun in the masculine gender shall be considered as including the feminine gender unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement effective on the date and year first above written.

CIRCOR, INC.

By: /S/ David A. Bloss, Sr. David A. Bloss, Sr. President

EXECUTIVE

/S/ Stephen J. Carriere Stephen J. Carriere

### EXECUTIVE CHANGE OF CONTROL AGREEMENT

This EXECUTIVE CHANGE OF CONTROL AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made as of the 8th day of August, 2000, between CIRCOR, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation (the "Company"), and Alan J. Glass ("Executive").

WHEREAS, the Company presently employs the Executive in which capacity the Executive serves as an officer of the Company and its Parent (as defined below); and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Parent (the "Board") recognizes the valuable services rendered to the Company, the Parent and their respective affiliates by the Executive; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that it is in the best interests of the Company, the Parent and their affiliates to encourage in advance the continued loyalty of the Executive as well as the Executive's continued attention to his assigned duties and objectivity in the event of a threatened or possible change in control of the Parent;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

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(A) If the Severance Payments, reduced by the sum of (1) the Excise Tax and (2) the total of the Federal, state and local income and employment taxes payable by Executive on the amount of the Severance Payments which are in excess of the Threshold Amount, are greater than or equal to the Threshold Amount, Executive shall be entitled to the full benefits payable under this Agreement.

(B) If the Threshold Amount is less than (x) the Severance Payments, but greater than (y) the Severance Payments reduced by the sum of (1) the Excise Tax and (2) the total of the Federal, state, and local income and employment taxes on the amount of the Severance

Payments which are in excess of the Threshold Amount, then the benefits payable under this Agreement shall be reduced (but not below zero) to the extent necessary so that the maximum Severance Payments shall not exceed the Threshold Amount. To the extent that there is more than one method of reducing the payments to bring them within the Threshold Amount, Executive shall determine which method shall be followed; provided that if Executive fails to make such determination within 45 days after the Company has sent Executive written notice of the need for such reduction, the Company may determine the amount of such reduction in its sole discretion.

For the purposes of this Paragraph 3, "Threshold Amount" shall mean three times Executive's "base amount" within the meaning of Section 280G(b)(3) of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder less one dollar (\$1.00); and "Excise Tax" shall mean the excise tax imposed by Section 4999 of the Code, and any interest or penalties incurred by Executive with respect to such excise tax.

(ii) The determination as to which of the alternative provisions of Paragraph 3(b)(i) shall apply to Executive shall be made by KPMG LLP or any other nationally recognized accounting firm selected by the Company (the "Accounting Firm"), which shall provide detailed supporting calculations both to the Company and Executive within 15 business days of the Date of Termination, if applicable, or at such earlier time as is reasonably requested by the Company or Executive. For purposes of determining which of the alternative provisions of Paragraph 3(b)(i) shall apply, Executive shall be deemed to pay federal income taxes at the highest marginal rate of federal income taxation applicable to individuals for the calendar year in which the determination is to be made, and state and local income taxes at the highest marginal rates of individual taxation in the state and locality of Executive's residence on the Date of Termination, net of the maximum reduction in federal income taxes which could be obtained from deduction of such state and local taxes. Any determination by the Accounting Firm shall be binding upon the Company and Executive.

4. UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE. Executive acknowledges that in the course of his employment with the Company (and, if applicable, its predecessors), he has been allowed to become, and will continue to be allowed to become, acquainted with the Company's and the Parent's business affairs, information, trade secrets, and other matters which are of a proprietary or confidential nature, including but not limited to the Company's, the Parent's and their affiliates' and predecessors' operations, business opportunities, price and cost information, finance, customer information, business plans, various sales techniques, manuals, letters, notebooks, procedures, reports, products, processes, services, and other confidential information and knowledge (collectively the "Confidential Information") concerning the Company's, the Parent's and their affiliates' and predecessors' business. The Company agrees to provide on an ongoing basis such Confidential Information as the Company deems necessary or desirable to aid Executive in the performance of his duties. Executive understands and acknowledges that such Confidential Information is confidential, and he agrees not to disclose such Confidential Information to anyone outside the Company or the Parent except to the extent that (i) Executive deems such disclosure or use reasonably necessary or appropriate in

connection with performing his duties on behalf of the Company and the Parent, (ii) Executive is required by order of a court of competent jurisdiction (by subpoena or similar process) to disclose or discuss any Confidential Information, provided that in such case, Executive shall promptly inform the Company or the Parent, as appropriate, of such event, shall promptry inform the Company or the Parent, as appropriate, in attempting to obtain a protective order or to otherwise restrict such disclosure, and shall only disclose Confidential Information to the minimum extent necessary to comply with any such court order; (iii) such Confidential Information becomes generally known to and available for use in the Company's industry (the "Fluid-Control Industry"), other than as a result of any action or inaction by Executive; or (iv) such information has been rightfully received by a member of the Fluid-Control Industry or has been published in a form generally available to the Fluid-Control Industry prior to the date Executive proposes to disclose or use such information. Executive further agrees that he will not during employment and/or at any time thereafter use such Confidential Information in competing, directly or indirectly, with the Company or the Parent. At such time as Executive shall cease to be employed by the Company, he will immediately turn over to the Company or the Parent, as appropriate, all Confidential Information, including papers, documents, writings, electronically stored information, other property, and all copies of them provided to or created by him during the course of him during the course of his employment with the Company. The provisions of this Paragraph 4 shall survive termination of this Agreement for any reason.

5. COVENANT NOT TO COMPETE. In consideration of the benefits afforded the Executive under the terms provided in this Agreement and as a means to aid in the performance and enforcement of the terms of the provisions of Paragraph 4, Executive agrees that

(a) during the term of Executive's employment with the Company and for a period of twelve (12) months thereafter, regardless of the reason for termination of employment, Executive will not, directly or indirectly, as an owner, director, principal, agent, officer, employee, partner, consultant, servant, or otherwise, carry on, operate, manage, control, or become involved in any manner with any business, operation, corporation, partnership, association, agency, or other person or entity which is engaged in a business that is competitive with any of the Company's or the Parent's products which are produced by the Company or the Parent or any affiliate of either entity as of the date of Executive's termination of employment with the Company, in any area or territory in which the Company or the Parent or any affiliate of either entity conducts operations; provided, however, that the foregoing shall not prohibit Executive from owning up to one percent (1%) of the outstanding stock of a publicly held company engaged in the Fluid-Control Industry; and

(b) during the term of Executive's employment with the Company and for a period of twelve (12) months thereafter, regardless of the reason for termination of employment, Executive will not directly or indirectly solicit or induce any present or future employee of the Company or the Parent or any affiliate of either entity to accept employment with Executive or with any business, operation, corporation, partnership, association, agency, or other person or entity with which Executive may be associated, and Executive will not employ or cause any business, operation, corporation, partnership, associated to employ any present or future employee of the Company or the Parent without providing

the Company or the Parent, as appropriate, with ten (10) days' prior written notice of such proposed employment.

Should Executive violate any of the provisions of this Paragraph, then in addition to all other rights and remedies available to the Company at law or in equity, the duration of this covenant shall automatically be extended for the period of time from which Executive began such violation until he permanently ceases such violation.

6. NOTICE. For purposes of this Agreement, notices and all other communications provided for in the Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given when delivered or mailed by United States certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

if to the Executive:

At his home address as shown in the Company's personnel records;

if to the Company:

CIRCOR, Inc. 35 Corporate Drive Burlington, MA 01803 Attention: Board of Directors of CIRCOR International, Inc.

or to such other address as either party may have furnished to the other in writing in accordance herewith, except that notices of change of address shall be effective only upon receipt.

7. NOT AN EMPLOYMENT CONTRACT. This Agreement is intended only to provide those benefits for the Executive as set forth in Paragraph 3 in connection with a Change of Control. As such, this Agreement is not intended to and does not in any way constitute an employment agreement or other contract which would cause the employee to be considered anything other than an employee at will or to in any way be entitled to any specific payments or benefits from the Company in the event of a termination of employment not subject to Paragraph 3 of this Agreement.

8. MISCELLANEOUS. No provisions of this Agreement may be modified, waived, or discharged unless such waiver, modification, or discharge is agreed to in writing and signed by Executive and such officer of the Company as may be specifically designated by the Board. No waiver by either party hereto of, or compliance with, any condition or provision of this Agreement to be performed by such other party shall be deemed a waiver of similar or dissimilar provisions or conditions at the same or at any prior or subsequent time. No agreements or representations, oral or otherwise, express or implied, unless specifically referred to herein, with respect to the subject matter hereof have been made by either party which are not set forth expressly in this Agreement. The validity, interpretation, construction, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts (without regard to principles of conflicts of laws).

9. VALIDITY. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision or provisions of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Agreement, which shall remain in full force and effect. The invalid portion of this Agreement, if any, shall be modified by any court having jurisdiction to the extent necessary to render such portion enforceable.

10. COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original but all of which together will constitute one and the same instrument.

11. ARBITRATION; OTHER DISPUTES. In the event of any dispute or controversy arising under or in connection with this Agreement, the parties shall first promptly try in good faith to settle such dispute or controversy by mediation under the applicable rules of the American Arbitration Association before resorting to arbitration. In the event such dispute or controversy remains unresolved in whole or in part for a period of thirty (30) days after it arises, the parties will settle any remaining dispute or controversy exclusively by arbitration in Boston, Massachusetts, in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association then in effect. Judgment may be entered on the arbitrator's award in any court having jurisdiction. Notwithstanding the above, the Company shall be entitled to seek a restraining order or injunction in any court of competent jurisdiction to prevent any continuation of any violation of Paragraph 4 or 5 hereof.

12. LITIGATION AND REGULATORY COOPERATION. During and after Executive's employment, Executive shall reasonably cooperate with the Company and the Parent in the defense or prosecution of any claims or actions now in existence or which may be brought in the future against or on behalf of the Company and/or the Parent which relate to events or occurrences that transpired while Executive was employed by the Company; provided, however, that such cooperation shall not materially and adversely affect Executive or expose Executive to an increased probability of civil or criminal litigation. Executive's cooperation in connection with such claims or actions shall include, but not be limited to, being available to meet with counsel to prepare for discovery or trial and to act as a witness on behalf of the Company and/or the Parent at mutually convenient times. During and after Executive's employment, Executive also shall cooperate fully with the Company and the Parent in connection with any investigation or review of any federal, state or local regulatory authority as any such investigation or review relates to events or occurrences that transpired while Executive was employed by the Company. The Company shall also provide Executive with compensation on an hourly basis (to be derived from the sum of his Base Compensation and Average Incentive Compensation) for requested litigation and regulatory cooperation that occurs after his termination of employment, and reimburse Executive for all costs and expenses incurred in connection with his performance under this Paragraph 12, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.

13. GENDER NEUTRAL. Wherever used herein, a pronoun in the masculine gender shall be considered as including the feminine gender unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement effective on the date and year first above written.

CIRCOR, INC.

By: /S/ David A. Bloss, Sr. David A. Bloss, Sr. President

EXECUTIVE

/S/ Alan J. Glass Alan J. Glass

# EXHIBIT 21

SUBSIDIARIES OF CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC.

- I. Subsidiaries of CIRCOR International, Inc.:
  - 1. Spence Engineering Company, Inc., a Delaware Corporation
  - 2. KF Sales Corporation, a Delaware Corporation
  - 3. Leslie Controls, Inc., a New Jersey Corporation
  - 4. Circle Seal Controls, Inc., a Delaware Corporation
  - 5. KF Industries, Inc., an Oklahoma Corporation
  - 6. Circor, Inc., a Massachusetts Corporation
- II. Subsidiaries of Circle Seal Controls, Inc.:
  - 1. CIRCOR IP Holding Co., a Delaware Corporation
  - 2. Circle Seal Corporation, a Delaware Corporation
  - 3. Suzhou Watts Valve Co., Ltd. (JV), a Chinese Joint Venture
  - 4. Hoke, Inc., a New York Corporation
  - 5. Circor Business Trust, a Massachusetts Business Trust
- III. Subsidiaries of KF Industries, Inc.:
  - 1. Pibiviesse SpA, an Italian Company
  - 2. IOG Canada Inc., a Canadian Corporation
- IV. Subsidiaries of Pibiviesse SpA;
  - 1. De Martin Giuseppe & Figli Srl, an Italian Company
- V. Subsidiaries of IOG Canada, Inc.:
  - 1. SSI Equipment Inc., a Canadian Corporation
- VI. Subsidiaries of Hoke, Inc.
  - 1. Hoke International, Ltd., a New York Corporation
  - 2. Hoke Overseas Sales Corp., a US Virgin Islands Company
  - 3. Hoke GmbH, a German Partnership
  - 4. Hoke Controls, Ltd., a Canadian Corporation
- VII. Subsidiaries of Hoke International, Ltd.
  - 1. Circor Instrumentation Ltd., a United Kingdom Company

# Consent of Independent Public Accountants

We consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration statement (No. 333-91229) on Form S-8 of CIRCOR International Inc. of our report dated February 12, 2001, relating to the consolidated balance sheets of CIRCOR International, Inc. and subsidiaries as of December 31, 2000 and 1999 and June 30, 1999, and the related consolidated statements of earnings, cash flows and shareholders' equity for the year ended December 31, 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999, and the fiscal years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998, and all related schedules which report appears in the December 31, 2000, annual report on Form 10-K of CIRCOR International, Inc.

/S/ KPMG LLP

Boston, Massachusetts March 7, 2001