As filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 18, 1999

## REGISTRATION STATEMENT NO.

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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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

CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC. (EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

DELAWARE (STATE OF INCORPORATION) 04-3477276 (I.R.S. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.)

35 CORPORATE DRIVE BURLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS 01803 (781) 270-1200 (ADDRESS, INCLUDING ZIP CODE, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE, OF REGISTRANT'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES)

CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC. 1999 STOCK OPTION AND INCENTIVE PLAN (FULL TITLE OF THE PLAN)

DAVID A. BLOSS, SR. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC. 35 CORPORATE DRIVE BURLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS 01803 (781) 270-1200 (NAME, ADDRESS, INCLUDING ZIP CODE, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE, OF AGENT FOR SERVICE)

> With copy to: ROBERT P. WHALEN, JR.,P.C. GOODWIN, PROCTER & HOAR LLP EXCHANGE PLACE BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02109-2881 (617) 570-1000

#### CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Securities Being Registered		Proposed Maximum Offering Price Per Share (5)	Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price	Amount of Registration Fee			
Common Stock, par value \$.01	39,106	\$ 8.04(3)	\$ 314, 412.24	\$ 87.41			
per share	132,961	\$ 8.37(3)	\$ 1,112,883.57	\$ 309.38			
	13,687	\$ 9.21(3)	\$ 126,057.27	\$ 35.04			
	136,872	\$ 9.43(3)	\$ 1,290,702.96	\$ 358.82			
	75,100	\$ 9.50(3)	\$ 713,450.00	\$ 198.34			
	323,000	\$10.375(3)	\$ 3,351,125.00	\$ 931.61			
	7,039	\$ 11.32(3)	\$ 79,681.48	\$ 22.15			
	87,989	\$ 11.95(3)	\$ 1,051,468.55	\$ 292.31			
	68,436	\$ 12.15(3)	\$ 831,497.40	\$ 231.16			
	146,648	\$ 12.98(3)	\$ 1,903,491.04	\$ 529.17			
	1,601,900	\$10.125(4)	\$16,219,237.50	\$4,508.95			
	2,632,738		\$26,994,007.01	\$7,504.34			

- (1) This Registration Statement also relates to such indeterminate number of additional shares of Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share, of CIRCOR International, Inc. (the "Common Stock") as may be required pursuant to the CIRCOR International, Inc. 1999 Stock Option and Incentive Plan (the "Option Plan") in the event of a stock dividend, reverse stock split, split-up, recapitalization, forfeiture of stock under the Option Plan or other similar event.
- (2) This Registration Statement also relates to an aggregate of 632,738 shares of Common Stock that may be issued upon the exercise of options which were

issued pursuant to a stock option and incentive plan of Watts Industries, Inc. ("Watts") and which were replaced by CIRCOR International, Inc. options upon the consummation of the distribution of all of the Company's Common Stock to the shareholders of Watts on October 18, 1999.

- (3) Determined pursuant to Rule 457(h) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act").
- (4) This estimate is made pursuant to Rule 457(c) and (h) under the Securities Act solely for the purposes of determining the amount of the registration fee. The registration fee is based upon the average of the high and low prices for the Registrant's Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share, as reported on the New York Stock Exchange on November 15, 1999.
- (5) This Registration Statement also relates to the Rights to purchase Series A Junior Participating Cumulative Preferred Stock of the Registrant which are attached to all shares of Common Stock outstanding as of, and issued subsequent to, October 19, 1999, pursuant to the terms of the Registrant's Shareholder Rights Agreement dated as of September 16, 1999. Until the occurrence of certain prescribed events, the Rights are not exercisable, are evidenced by the certificates of Common Stock and will be transferred only with such stock.

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#### PART II

# INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Item 3. Incorporation of Certain Documents by Reference.

CIRCOR International, Inc. (the "Registrant") hereby incorporates by

- reference the following documents which have previously been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"):
  - (a) the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form 10 filed with the Commission on August 6, 1999 (File No. 1-14962), as amended;
  - (b) all other reports filed with the Commission by the Registrant pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") since August 6, 1999; and
  - (c) the description of the Registrant's Rights to purchase shares of the Registrant's Series A Junior Participating Cumulative Preferred Stock contained in the Registration Statement on Form 8-A filed with the Commission on October 21, 1999 pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act, and any amendments or reports filed for the purpose of updating such description.

In addition, all documents subsequently filed with the Commission by the Registrant pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 and 15(d) of the Exchange Act, prior to the filing of a post-effective amendment hereto that indicates that all securities offered hereunder have been sold or which deregisters all securities then remaining unsold, shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement and to be a part hereof from the date of filing of such documents. Any statement contained in a document incorporated by reference herein shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes hereof to the extent that a statement contained herein or in any subsequently filed document which also is incorporated by reference herein modifies or supersedes such statement. Any statement so modified or superseded shall not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this Registration Statement.

Item 5. Interests of Named Expert and Counsel.

Mr. David F. Dietz, a director of the Registrant, has a professional corporation which is a partner of Goodwin, Procter & Hoar LLP, a law firm which provides legal services to the Registrant.

# Item 6. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

The Registrant's Amended and Restated By-laws (the "By-laws") provide that directors and officers of the Registrant shall be, and in the discretion of the Board of Directors non-officer employees may be, indemnified by the Registrant to the fullest extent authorized by Delaware law, as it now exists or may in the future be amended, against all expenses and liabilities reasonably incurred in connection with service for or on behalf of the Registrant. The By-laws also provide that the right of directors and officers to indemnification shall be a contract right and shall not be exclusive of any other right now possessed or hereafter acquired under any by-law, agreement, vote of shareholders or otherwise. The Registrant's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation contains a provision permitted by Delaware law that generally eliminates the personal liability of directors for monetary damages for breaches of their fiduciary duty, including breaches involving negligence or gross negligence in business combinations, unless the director has breached his or her duty of loyalty, failed to act in good faith, engaged in intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, paid a dividend or approved a stock repurchase in violation of the Delaware General Corporation Law or obtained an improper personal benefit. This provision does not alter a director's liability under the federal securities laws and does not affect the availability of equitable The remedies, such as an injunction or recision, for breach of fiduciary duty. Registrant also entered into indemnification agreements with each of its directors reflecting the foregoing and requiring the advancement of expenses in

proceedings involving the directors in most circumstances.

The following is a complete list of exhibits filed or incorporated by reference as part of this Registration Statement.

# Exhibits

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- 4.1 Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form 10 (File No. 1-14962), as filed with the Commission on August 6, 1999)
- 4.2 Amended and Restated By-laws (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form 10 (File No. 1-14962), as filed with the Commission on August 6, 1999)
- \* 5.1 Opinion of Goodwin, Procter & Hoar LLP as to the legality of the securities being registered
- 23.1 Consent of Goodwin, Procter & Hoar LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1)
- \* 23.2 Consent of KPMG LLP
  - 24.1 Powers of Attorney (included on signature pages to this Registration Statement)
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\* Filed herewith.

Item 9. Undertakings.

(a) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

(1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement:

- (i) To include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act;
- To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising (ii) after the effective date of the Registration Statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the Registration Statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than a 20 percent change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the "Calculation of Registration Fee" table in the effective Registration Statement; and
- (iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the Registration Statement or any material change to such information in the Registration Statement;

provided, however, that paragraphs (a)(1)(i) and (a)(1)(ii) herein do not apply if the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in periodic reports filed by the undersigned registrant pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act that are incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement; (2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof; and

(3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

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

(c) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the registrant pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act, and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

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#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act, CIRCOR International, Inc. certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in Burlington, Massachusetts on this 18th day of November, 1999.

CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /S/ DAVID A. BLOSS, SR. David A. Bloss, Sr. Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive Officer and President

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that each individual whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints each of David A. Bloss, Sr. and Cosmo S. Trapani such person's true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for such person and in such person's name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to this Registration Statement, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and all documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto each said attorney-in-fact and agent full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as such person might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that any said attorney-in-fact and agent, or any substitute or substitutes of any of them, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

	SIGNATURE	TITLE	DATE					
-	/s/ David A. Bloss, Sr. David A. Bloss, Sr.	Chairman of the Board,		18,	1999			
-	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Chief Financial Officer and Executive Vice President (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)	November	18,	1999			
-	/s/ Dewain K. Cross Dewain K. Cross	Director	November	18,	1999			
-	/s/ David F. Dietz David F. Dietz	Director	November	18,	1999			
-	/s/ Timothy P. Horne Timothy P. Horne	Director	November	10,	1999			
-	/s/ Daniel J. Murphy, III Daniel J. Murphy, III	Director	November	18,	1999			

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November 18, 1999

CIRCOR International, Inc. 35 Corporate Drive Burlington, MA 01803

# Re: Registration Statement on Form S-8

Ladies and Gentlemen:

This opinion is delivered in our capacity as counsel to CIRCOR International, Inc. (the "Company") in connection with the preparation and filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933 of a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (the "Registration Statement") relating to 2,000,000 shares (the "Shares") of the Company's common stock, par value \$.01 per share (the "Common Stock"), which the Company is authorized to issue pursuant to the CIRCOR International, Inc. 1999 Stock Option and Incentive Plan (the "Option Plan").

As counsel for the Company, we have examined a copy of the Option Plan and the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation and the Amended and Restated By-laws, each as currently in effect, and such records, certificates and other documents of the Company as we have deemed necessary or appropriate for the purposes of this opinion.

Based on the foregoing, we are of the opinion that, when the Shares are sold and paid for pursuant to the terms of the Option Plan, the Shares will be legally issued, fully paid and non-assessable by the Company.

We hereby consent to being named as counsel to the Company in the Registration Statement and to the inclusion of this opinion as an exhibit to the Registration Statement.

> Very truly yours, /s/ Goodwin, Procter & Hoar LLP GOODWIN, PROCTER & HOAR LLP

## CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

The Board of Directors CIRCOR International, Inc.

We consent to the incorporation by reference in the registration statement on Form S-8 of CIRCOR International, Inc. of our report dated August 3, 1999 relating to the combined balance sheets of CIRCOR International, Inc. as of June 30, 1999 and 1998 and the related combined statements operations, cash flows and shareholder's equity for each of the years in the three-year period ended June 30, 1999, which report is included in the Registrant's Information Statement dated October 6, 1999 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

/s/ KPMG LLP

Boston, Massachusetts November 17, 1999