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Subject to Completion, dated March 16, 1994

PROSPECTUS

Pursuant to Rule 424(a) Registration No. 33-52565

9,375,000 SHARES

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COMMON STOCK

Of the 9,375,000 shares of Common Stock ("Common Stock") of Lear Seating Corporation ("Lear" or the "Company") being offered hereby, 6,250,000 shares are being offered by the Company and 3,125,000 shares are being offered by a stockholder of the Company (the "Selling Stockholder"). The Company will not receive any of the proceeds from the sale of Common Stock by the Selling Stockholder. Of the 9,375,000 shares of Common Stock being offered hereby, 7,500,000 shares are being offered initially in the United States by the U.S. Underwriters (the "U.S. Offering") and 1,875,000 shares are being offered initially outside the United States by the International Managers (the "International Offering" and, together with the U.S. Offering, the "Offerings"). The initial public offering price and underwriting discounts and commissions per share are identical for both Offerings. See "Underwriting."

Prior to the Offerings, there has been no public market for the Common Stock. It is currently estimated that the initial public offering price will be between \$15.00 and \$17.00 per share. The Company has filed an application to list the Common Stock on the New York Stock Exchange.

SEE "CERTAIN CONSIDERATIONS" FOR CERTAIN FACTORS THAT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED BY PROSPECTIVE INVESTORS.

THESE SECURITIES HAVE NOT BEEN APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED BY THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR ANY STATE SECURITIES COMMISSION NOR HAS THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR ANY STATE SECURITIES COMMISSION PASSED UPON THE ACCURACY OR ADEQUACY OF THIS PROSPECTUS. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.

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	PRICE TO PUBLIC	UNDERWRITING DISCOUNTS AND COMMISSIONS(1)	PROCEEDS TO COMPANY(2)	PROCEEDS TO SELLING STOCKHOLDER
	<c></c>	<c> \$</c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Total(3)	\$	\$	\$	\$

- (1) Lear and the Selling Stockholder have agreed to indemnify the U.S. Underwriters, the International Managers and certain other persons against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. See "Underwriting."
- (2) Before deducting expenses payable by Lear estimated at \$
- (3) The Company has granted the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers a 30-day option to purchase up to an aggregate of 937,500 additional shares of Common Stock on the same terms and conditions as set forth above solely to cover over-allotments, if any. If such option is exercised in full, the total Price to Public, Underwriting Discounts and Commissions and Proceeds to Company will be \$, \$ and \$, respectively. See "Underwriting."

The shares of Common Stock offered by this Prospectus are offered by the U.S. Underwriters subject to prior sale, to withdrawal, cancellation or modification of the offer without notice, to delivery to and acceptance by the U.S. Underwriters and to certain further conditions. It is expected that delivery of certificates for the shares will be made at the offices of Lehman Brothers Inc., New York, New York, on or about , 1994.

LEHMAN BROTHERS

KIDDER, PEABODY & CO.
INCORPORATED

MORGAN STANLEY & CO.

INCORPORATED

WERTHEIM SCHRODER & CO.

INCORPORATED

, 1994

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IN CONNECTION WITH THE OFFERINGS, THE UNDERWRITERS MAY OVER-ALLOT OR EFFECT TRANSACTIONS WHICH STABILIZE OR MAINTAIN THE MARKET PRICE OF THE COMMON STOCK OF THE COMPANY AT A LEVEL ABOVE THAT WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVAIL IN THE OPEN MARKET. SUCH TRANSACTIONS MAY BE EFFECTED ON THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE OR OTHERWISE. SUCH STABILIZING, IF COMMENCED, MAY BE DISCONTINUED AT ANY TIME.

AVAILABLE INFORMATION

The Company is subject to the informational reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), pursuant to Section 15(d) thereof, and in accordance therewith files periodic reports and other information with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"). The registration statement (the "Registration Statement") (which term encompasses any amendments thereto) and the exhibits thereto filed by the Company with the Commission, as well as the reports and other information filed by the Company with the Commission, may be inspected at the public reference facilities maintained by the Commission at Room 1024, Judiciary Plaza, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549 and is also available for inspection and copying at the regional offices of the Commission located at Seven World Trade Center, 13th Floor, New York, New York 10048; and Citicorp Center, 500 West Madison Street, Suite 1400, Chicago, Illinois 60661. Copies of such material may also be obtained from the Public Reference Section of the Commission at 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549 at prescribed rates.

The Company has filed with the Commission the Registration Statement under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act") with respect to the shares of Common Stock offered hereby. This Prospectus does not contain all the information set forth in the Registration Statement and the exhibits and schedules thereto, to which reference is hereby made. Statements made in this Prospectus as to the contents of any contract, agreement, or other document referred to are not necessarily complete. With respect to each such contract, agreement, or other document filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement, reference is hereby made to the exhibit for a more complete description of the matter involved and each such statement shall be deemed qualified in its entirety by such reference.

The Company intends to furnish its stockholders with annual reports containing consolidated financial statements audited by its independent certified public accountants and with quarterly reports containing unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for each of the first three quarters of each year.

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LEAR SEATING CORPORATION

Lear conducts long-range product design, development and testing at its technical centers in Southfield, Michigan (shown) and Rietberg, Germany. 2 The last nine Motor Trend Lear's Integrated Restraint concept magazine Cars of the Year seating. were equipped with Lear Seating Corporation products. (PHOTOGRAPHS) (SEE APPENDIX A) 4

Lear started with the providing complete seat testing and design.

Ford Mustang (Motor Trend Corvette program in 1968 1994 Car of the Year) seats Viper features Lear and, since 1980, has been are assembled with Lear's seats designed to SureBond(R) process.

The hand-crafted Dodge complement this innovative automobile.

(PHOTOGRAPHS) (SEE APPENDIX A)

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PROSPECTUS SUMMARY

The following summary is qualified in its entirety by the more detailed information and consolidated financial statements appearing elsewhere in this Prospectus. As used in this Prospectus, unless the context otherwise requires, the "Company" or "Lear" refers to Lear Seating Corporation and its consolidated subsidiaries after giving effect to the Merger (as defined herein) or, with respect to periods prior to the 1988 Acquisition (as defined herein), the companies comprising the business of the Seating Group (as defined herein). Unless otherwise indicated, all information contained in this Prospectus is based on the assumption that the Underwriters' over-allotment option is not exercised and has been adjusted to reflect a 33-for-1 stock split of the Common Stock of the Company, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Stock") to be effected immediately prior to commencement of the Offerings.

THE COMPANY

The Company is the largest independent supplier of automobile and light truck seat systems in North America and is one of the largest independent suppliers of such systems and components worldwide. The Company's principal products include finished automobile and light truck seat systems, automobile and light truck seat frames, seat covers and other seat components. The Company's seat systems, which are designed, manufactured and assembled at the Company's manufacturing facilities, are shipped to customer assembly plants on a just-in-time ("JIT") basis for installation in vehicles near the end of the assembly process. This JIT process enables the Company to optimize inventory turnover and deliver products to its customers on as little as 90 minutes notice. In the twelve months ended December 31, 1993, approximately 70% of Lear's net sales were generated from sales in the United States and Canada, with the balance of sales being primarily in Europe and Mexico. The Company's present customers include 16 original equipment manufacturers ("OEMs"), the most significant of which are Ford, General Motors, Chrysler, Volvo, Volkswagen, Saab

The Company's net sales have grown rapidly from approximately \$159.8 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1983 to approximately \$1.8 billion in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, a ten-year average compound annual growth rate of approximately 27.1%. The Company has expanded its operations to facilitate such growth primarily through capital expenditures necessary to construct or acquire new facilities and to enhance existing facilities. This growth in sales is attributable primarily to the trend in the automotive industry to "outsource" more of its requirements for automotive components, particularly high cost components such as seat systems. Outsourcing has been increased in response to competitive pressures on OEMs to improve quality and reduce capital needs and the costs of labor, overhead and inventory. The outsourced market for automobile and light truck seat systems in North America is approximately 65% of the total North American seat systems market (approximately 83% taking into account future seating programs that have been awarded).

In addition to outsourcing the production of seat systems, OEMs increasingly are transferring the primary responsibility for design, engineering and quality control of these products to suppliers, such as Lear, with proven design, engineering and JIT program management and manufacturing capabilities. Suppliers that design, engineer, manufacture and conduct quality control testing are generally referred to as "Tier I" suppliers. The Company believes that early involvement in the design and engineering of new seating products as a Tier I supplier affords the Company a competitive advantage in securing new business and provides its customers with significant cost reduction opportunities through the coordination of the design, development and manufacturing processes.

The Company has enhanced its design and engineering capabilities by building two technical centers and making other investments to upgrade its capabilities. The Company is continuing this process of investing to substantially improve all aspects of its safety and functional testing and comfort assessment capabilities. An example of the Company's design and engineering capabilities is the development of the Company's patented SureBond process, which bonds seat covers to foam pads, minimizing the need for sewing.

"See Business -- Manufacturing." The Company believes its enhanced design and engineering capabilities have contributed to

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the increase in the Company's North American Content per Vehicle (as defined herein) from \$12 to \$98 between the fiscal years ended June 30, 1983 and 1993.

As a result of the Company's demonstrated capabilities as a full-service Tier I supplier, it has captured more than one-third of the outsourced market for automobile and light truck seat systems and seat components in North America and has become a leading supplier to this market in Europe. The Company's reputation with OEMs for timely delivery, customer service and quality products at competitive prices has resulted in many of the Company's facilities winning recognition awards from its customers.

The Company's continued expansion as a Tier I supplier has resulted in new business which recently has begun or will begin production over the next eighteen months. Such business includes new passenger car and light truck programs for the Dodge Ram Pick-up Truck, the Ford Mustang, the Ford Windstar Minivan, the BMW 3 Series and all Jaguar models, as well as the GM Opel Omega, the Chevrolet Cavalier and the Oldsmobile Aurora. In addition, in December 1993, the Company was awarded the seat system assembly responsibility for the Ford Taurus/Mercury Sable vehicle lines for seat systems scheduled to begin production in 1995. Ford Taurus has been the best selling car line in the United States for the past two years. As a result of this new business, the Company expects to construct several new seat facilities, which typically involve an upfront cost of between \$6.0 million and \$9.0 million per facility for owned facilities and between \$1.0 million and \$6.0 million per facility for leased facilities. See "Business -- General."

On November 1, 1993, the Company significantly expanded its operations in North America by purchasing certain portions of Ford's North American seat cover and seat systems business (the "NAB") for \$173.4 million in cash (after giving effect to an adjustment in the purchase price for changes in NAB working capital) and approximately \$10.5 million in notes payable to Ford or its affiliates (the "NAB Acquisition"). The NAB consists of an integrated United States and Mexican operation which produces seat covers for approximately 80% of Ford's North American vehicle production and manufactures seat systems for Ford's Crown Victoria and Grand Marquis vehicles. For the twelve months ended December 31, 1993, and after giving effect to the pro forma adjustments related to the NAB Acquisition, gross sales, EBITDA (as defined herein) and operating income of the NAB were approximately \$572.7 million, \$49.0 million and \$37.9 million, respectively.

In connection with the NAB Acquisition, the Company entered into a five-year supply agreement with Ford covering models for which the NAB produces seat covers and seat systems, establishing the Company as Ford's leading seat systems supplier. In addition, the Company believes that, as a result of the NAB Acquisition, its relationship with Ford will be enhanced, enabling Lear to be more involved in the planning and design of seat systems and related products for future vehicle models.

Lear believes that the same competitive pressures that contributed to the rapid expansion of its business in North America will require auto makers in Europe to outsource more of their seating requirements. The outsourced market for automobile and light truck seat systems in Europe is approximately 41% of the total European seat systems market. Over the past four years, the Company has aggressively pursued expansion in Europe both with its existing and new customers. As a result of its efforts, the Company has been awarded significant business in Sweden, Germany, Austria and England from General Motors-Adam Opel, Saab, Volvo, Chrysler, Volkswagen and Jaguar. Consequently, the Company's net sales in Europe have grown from approximately \$145.5 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991 to approximately \$432.5 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993.

The Company also has positioned itself as the leading supplier of seat systems and seat components in Mexico through its ownership of Central de Industrias S.A. de C.V. ("CISA"), the largest independent automotive seat systems manufacturer in Mexico serving Mexican domestic producers. As a result of its presence in Mexico, the Company believes that it will benefit from the growing activity of United States-based and German-based OEMs in Mexico. The Company also believes that it will benefit from the additional business opportunities resulting from the passage of the North American Free Trade Agreement ("NAFTA").

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On December 31, 1993, Lear Holdings Corporation ("Holdings"), the parent of the Company, merged with and into the Company (the "Merger"), and the separate

corporate existence of Holdings ceased on that date. In connection with the Offerings, the Company's Certificate of Incorporation will be amended and restated (as so amended and restated, the "Restated Certificate of Incorporation") to, among other things, increase the number of authorized shares of Common Stock to 150,000,000 shares and to authorize 15,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Preferred Stock"). See "Description of Capital Stock." Unless the context otherwise indicates, all information contained herein is presented (i) as if the Merger had occurred as of the date or as of the beginning of the period indicated and (ii) after giving effect to the adoption of the Restated Certificate of Incorporation.

In February 1994, the Company also changed its fiscal year end from June 30 to December 31, effective December 31, 1993.

The Company is the successor to a seat frame manufacturing business founded in 1917 that served as a supplier to General Motors and Ford from its inception. Holdings was organized in August 1988 to effect the leveraged acquisition (the "1988 Acquisition") of all of the outstanding common stock of Lear Seating Corporation (formerly known as Lear Siegler Seating Corp.) and certain other subsidiaries of Lear Siegler Holdings Corp. comprising its seating group (the companies acquired being collectively referred to herein as the "Seating Group"). IFINT S.A. ("IFINT"), through its wholly-owned subsidiary, FIMA Finance Management Inc. ("FIMA"), which is the Selling Stockholder, first invested in the Company in the 1988 Acquisition. IFINT is the international investment holding company of IFI S.p.A. ("IFI"), the parent company of the Agnelli Group. The Lehman Funds (as defined herein), which first invested in the Company in 1991, will continue to own a majority of the outstanding Common Stock upon consummation of the Offerings and are not selling any shares of Common Stock in the Offerings.

The Company's principal executive offices are located at 21557 Telegraph Road, Southfield, Michigan 48034. Its telephone number at that location is (810) 746-1500. The Company was incorporated in Delaware on January 13, 1987.

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THE OFFERINGS

Common Stock offered by:

The Company..... 6,250,000 shares

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Total Common Stock

Common Stock offered for sale in:

International Offering..... 1,875,000 shares

Common Stock to be outstanding

after the Offerings...... 45,072,784 shares(1)

Use of Proceeds..... The net p

The net proceeds to the Company from the Offerings will be used to repay a portion of the indebtedness outstanding under the Credit Agreement (as defined in "Description of Certain Indebtedness") incurred to finance the NAB Acquisition. The Company will not receive any proceeds from the sale of Common Stock by the Selling Stockholder.

Proposed NYSE Symbol..... LEA

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(1) Assumes the issuance of 3,300,000 shares issuable upon the exercise of warrants (the "Warrants") issued in connection with the 1988 Acquisition. The Warrants currently are exercisable without the payment of any consideration. Excludes 3,994,815 shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of options (the "Options") granted pursuant to the 1988 Stock Option Plan (as defined herein) and the 1992 Stock Option Plan (as defined herein) and outstanding as of January 31, 1994. Also excludes 498,750 shares issuable upon exercise of Options to be granted prior to the consummation of the Offerings pursuant to the 1994 Stock Option Plan (as defined herein). See "Management."

CERTAIN CONSIDERATIONS

Investment in the Company's Common Stock involves certain risks discussed under "Certain Considerations" that should be considered by prospective purchasers.

SUMMARY FINANCIAL DATA

The following summary financial and certain other data presented below were derived from the consolidated financial statements of the Company. The consolidated financial statements of the Company for the nine months ended June 30, 1989, for each of the fiscal years ended June 30, 1990, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993 have been audited by Arthur Andersen & Co. The consolidated financial statements of the Company for the six months ended January 2, 1993 are unaudited; however, in the Company's opinion, such financial statements reflect all adjustments, consisting only of normal recurring items, necessary for a fair presentation of the financial position and results of operations of the Company for such period. The summary financial data below should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements of the Company and the notes thereto and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of the Company."

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	NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1989	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1990	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1991	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1992	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1993	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993(1)	SIX MONTHS ENDED JANUARY 2, 1993	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993(1)
				(DOLLARS	IN THOUSANDS (2))		
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OPERATING DATA:								
Net sales	\$807,365	\$1,067,878	\$1,085,319	\$1,422,740	\$1,756,510 152,499	\$1,950,288	\$811,440	\$1,005,218
Gross profit Selling, general and administrative	81,632	104,707	101,429	115,641	132,499	170,215	54,519	72 , 235
expenses Incentive stock and other compensation	18,477	28 , 247	41,596	50,074	61,898	62 , 717	26,847	27,666
expense(3)	1,107	1,353	1,353	(12)		18,016		18,016
Amortization	10,174	13,838	13,810	8,746	9,548	9,929	4,374	4,755
Operating income	51,874	61,269	44,670	56,833	81,053	79,553	23,298	21,798
Interest expense	50,982	61,184	61,676	55,158	47,832	45,656	26,943	24,767
Other expense, net(4)	2,141	4,044	2,144	5,837	5,260	9,180	2,676	6 , 596
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Income (loss) before taxes on income and extraordinary								
items	(1,249)	(3,959)	(19,150)	(4,162)	27,961	24,717	(6,321)	(9,565)
Income taxes	7,409	16,630	14,019	12,968	17,847	26,864	4,450	13,467
<pre>Income (loss) before extraordinary items Extraordinary</pre>	(8,658)	(20,589)	(33,169)	(17,130)	10,114	(2,147)	(10,771)	(23,032)
items(5)				(5,100)		(11,684)		(11,684)
Net income (loss)	\$ (8,658)	\$ (20,589)	\$ (33,169)	\$ (22,230)	\$ 10,114	\$ (13,831)	\$(10,771)	\$ (34,716)
BALANCE SHEET DATA:								
Current assets	\$200,002	\$ 223,212	\$ 213,806	\$ 282,864	\$ 325,199	\$ 433,584	\$308,464	
Total assets	734,582	747,583	729,670	799,884	820,209	1,114,291	809,859	
Current liabilities	201,117	254,514	287,111	344,169	374,950	505,717	367,782	
Long-term debt Common stock subject to limited	433,336	402,800	386,655	348,331	321,116	498,324	331,930	
redemption rights, net	1,770	1,795	1,770	3,465	3,885	12,435	3,885	
Stockholders' equity	48,876	35,292	4,335	49,317	75,101	43,210	53,506	
OTHER DATA: EBITDA(6)	\$ 74.826	\$ 94,252	\$ 81,428	\$ 91,807	\$ 121 , 707	\$ 122 , 112	\$ 43 , 259	\$ 43,664
Capital								
expenditures Number of		\$ 14,906	\$ 20,892	\$ 27,926	\$ 31,595	\$ 45,915	\$ 14,669	\$ 28,989
facilities(7) North American Content per	30	33	40	45	48	61	45	61
Vehicle(8)	\$ 67	\$ 77	\$ 84	\$ 94	\$ 98	\$ 112	\$ 100	\$ 133

North American vehicle production								
(in millions) (9)	10.8	12.4	11 2	12 2	13.6	13.7	5.9	6.1
Inventory Turnover	10.0	12.1	11.2	12.2	10.0	10.7	3.3	0.1
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Ratio(10)		27.4	25.6	30.3	36.7	36.0		

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- (1) On July 1, 1993, the Company adopted SFAS 106 (as defined herein). As a result, the twelve months and six months ended December 31, 1993 represent the first periods during which the Company began to incur additional expense associated with the adoption of SFAS 106. The additional expense for each of these periods was \$3,273.
- (2) Except North American Content per Vehicle.
- (3) Includes a one-time charge of \$18,016, of which \$14,474 is non-cash, for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993 for incentive stock and other compensation expense (see Note 14, "Warrants, Stock Options and Common Stock Subject to Redemption" in the consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Prospectus).
- (4) Consists of foreign currency exchange gain or loss, minority interest in net income of subsidiaries, equity (income) loss of affiliates, state and local taxes and other expense.
- (5) The extraordinary items result from the prepayment of debt.
- (6) "EBITDA" is operating income plus depreciation and amortization. EBITDA does not represent and should not be considered as an alternative to net income or cash flow from operations as determined by generally accepted accounting principles.
- (7) Includes facilities operated by the Company's less than majority-owned affiliates and facilities under construction.
- (8) "North American Content per Vehicle" is the Company's net sales in North America divided by total North American vehicle production.
- (9) "North American vehicle production" includes car and light truck production in the United States, Canada and Mexico estimated from industry sources.
- (10) "Inventory Turnover Ratio" is cost of goods sold divided by average inventory. The Inventory Turnover Ratio for the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 excludes the NAB, which was acquired by the Company on November 1, 1993.

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SUMMARY PRO FORMA FINANCIAL DATA

The following unaudited summary pro forma financial and other data were derived from and should be read in conjunction with the pro forma financial data included elsewhere in this Prospectus. The following summary pro forma financial data give effect to (i) the NAB Acquisition and the related incurrence of debt to finance such acquisition, (ii) the incurrence of indebtedness under the Credit Agreement to retire the GECC Mortgage Loan (as defined in "Certain Transactions") and to refinance the term loans outstanding under the Company's Original Credit Agreement (as defined in "Certain Transactions"), (iii) the offering (the "1994 Note Offering") of the Company's 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes due 2002 (the "8 1/4% Subordinated Notes") and the application of the net proceeds therefrom to redeem the Company's 14% Subordinated Debentures due 2000 (the "14% Subordinated Debentures"), (iv) the Offerings of Common Stock and the application of the net proceeds to the Company therefrom to repay indebtedness outstanding under the Credit Agreement and (v) the elimination of a one-time charge for incentive stock and other compensation expense (collectively, the "Pro Forma Transactions") as if such transactions had occurred at the beginning of the periods presented below. The following summary pro forma financial data do not purport to represent (i) the actual historical results of operations or financial condition of the Company, (ii) the actual results of operations or financial condition of the Company had the Pro Forma Transactions occurred at the beginning of the periods presented below or (iii) the results to be expected in the future.

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	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1993	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993(1)
		(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS	(2))
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OPERATING DATA:			
Net sales	\$ 2,235,150	\$ 2,361,422	\$1,159,482
Gross profit	212,399	218,945	90,377
Selling, general and administrative			
expenses	80,607	79,574	33,579
Amortization	12,030	11,999	5,583
Operating income	119,762	127,372	51,215
Interest expense, net	46,512	43,169	23,147
Other expense, net(3)	7,111	11,302	7,475

Income before taxes on income		66,139		72,901		20,593
Income taxes		31,435		37,785		17,863
Net income	\$	34,704	\$	35,116	\$	2,730
OTHER DATA:						
EBITDA(4)	\$	171,677	\$	179,317	\$	76,836
Net income per share	\$	0.75	\$	0.74	\$	0.06
Weighted average shares outstanding(5)	4	6,299,064	4	7,212,436	47	,524,141
North American Content per Vehicle(6)						

 \$ | 133 | \$ | 142 | \$ | 158 |- -----

- (1) The Company's business is seasonal in nature and the Company's results of operations have historically been weakest in the third calendar quarter. See Note 16, "Quarterly Financial Data," in the consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Prospectus.
- (2) Except per share data and North American Content per Vehicle.
- (3) Consists of foreign currency exchange gain or loss, minority interest in net income of subsidiaries, equity (income) loss of affiliates, state and local taxes and other expense.
- (4) "EBITDA" is operating income plus depreciation and amortization. EBITDA does not represent and should not be considered as an alternative to net income or cash flow from operations as determined by generally accepted accounting principles.
- (5) Includes (i) shares to be issued in the Offerings, (ii) shares issuable upon exercise of the Warrants and (iii) the number of shares issuable upon exercise of options, reduced by the number of shares which could have been purchased with the proceeds from the exercise of such options.
- (6) "North American Content per Vehicle" is the Company's net sales in North America divided by total North American vehicle production. "North American vehicle production" includes car and light truck production in the United States, Canada and Mexico estimated from industry sources.

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CERTAIN CONSIDERATIONS

A prospective investor should consider carefully all of the information contained in this Prospectus before deciding whether to purchase shares of Common Stock offered hereby and, in particular, should consider the following:

CYCLICAL NATURE OF AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY

The Company's principal operations are related directly to domestic and foreign automotive vehicle production. Automotive vehicle sales and production are cyclical and can be affected by the strength of a country's general economy and by other factors which may have an effect on the level of the Company's sales to automobile and light truck manufacturers.

RELIANCE ON MAJOR CUSTOMERS AND SELECTED MODELS

Two of Lear's customers, General Motors and Ford, accounted for approximately 45% and 28%, respectively, of the Company's net sales in the twelve months ended December 31, 1993. The Company's net sales to General Motors and Ford in the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 as a percentage of its total net sales, after giving pro forma effect to the NAB Acquisition as if it had occurred at the beginning of such period, were approximately equal. Although the Company has long-term purchase orders from many of its customers, such purchase orders generally provide for supplying the customer's annual requirements for a particular model or assembly plant, renewable on a year-to-year basis, rather than for manufacturing a specific quantity of products. In addition, certain of the Company's manufacturing and assembly plants are dedicated to a single customer vehicle assembly plant. A customer's decision to close any such plant would require the Company to obtain alternate supply agreements, relocate existing business to such facility or close such facility. To date, neither model discontinuances nor plant closings have had a material adverse effect on the Company because of the breadth of the vehicle lines incorporating the Company's products and the ability of the Company to relocate its manufacturing operations with minimal capital expenditures. There can be no assurances that the Company's loss of business with respect to either a particular vehicle model or a particular assembly plant would not have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition in the future. See "Business -- Customers."

There is substantial and continuing pressure from the major OEMs to reduce costs, including costs associated with outside suppliers such as the Company. Management believes that the Company's ability to develop new products and to control its own costs, many of which are variable, will allow the Company to remain competitive. However, there can be no assurance that the Company will be able to improve or maintain its gross margins.

NET LOSSES

The Company has experienced net losses during two of its last three completed fiscal years ended June 30, principally as a result of the significant interest charges on the debt incurred in connection with the 1988 Acquisition. The Company experienced net losses of \$33.2 million and \$22.2 million for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1991 and 1992, respectively, net income of \$10.1 million for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 and a net loss of \$34.7 million for the six months ended December 31, 1993. The Company had significant non-cash charges to income during these periods, including (i) charges for depreciation and amortization of goodwill of \$36.8 million, \$35.0 million, \$40.7 million and \$21.9 million, (ii) write-offs and amortization of deferred financing fees of \$4.1 million, \$5.7 million, \$3.0 million and \$6.0 million, in each case for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1991, 1992, 1993 and for the six months ended December 31, 1993, respectively and (iii) a one-time charge for incentive stock and other compensation of \$14.5 million for the six months ended December 31, 1993. See "Selected Financial Data," "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of the Company" and the Company's Statements of Cash Flows included elsewhere in this Prospectus.

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LEVERAGE

A significant portion of the funds needed to finance the 1988 Acquisition and the NAB Acquisition were raised through borrowings. As a result, the Company has debt that is substantial in relation to its stockholders' equity, and a significant portion of the Company's cash flow from operations is and will be required for debt service. As of December 31, 1993, after giving effect to the 1994 Note Offering, the Offerings and the application of the proceeds therefrom, the Company would have had total long-term debt of \$419.2 million and stockholders' equity of \$148.6 million, resulting in a total capitalization of \$567.8 million. See "Capitalization" and "Selected Financial Data."

CONTROL BY LEHMAN BROTHERS HOLDINGS INC.

Certain merchant banking partnerships affiliated with Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc. (the "Lehman Funds") own an aggregate of approximately 66.9% of Lear's Common Stock and upon the closing of the Offerings will own an aggregate of approximately 57.6% of Lear's Common Stock (in each case assuming all outstanding Warrants are exercised and no outstanding Options are exercised). As a result of the stock ownership by the Lehman Funds and related arrangements, the Lehman Funds can effectively control the affairs and policies of the Company. The Lehman Funds are not selling any shares of Common Stock in the Offerings. See "Certain Transactions."

SUBSTANTIAL DILUTION

Persons purchasing shares of Common Stock at the public offering price will incur immediate dilution in net tangible book value per share of Common Stock (the difference between the assumed per share initial public offering price of the Common Stock of \$16.00 and the deficit in net tangible book value per share of Common Stock as of December 31, 1993, after giving pro forma effect to the Offerings) of approximately \$22.09 per share assuming all outstanding Warrants and no outstanding Options are exercised, and a dilution of approximately \$21.34 per share assuming all outstanding Warrants and Options are exercised. For purposes of these calculations, the net tangible book value per share includes amounts classified as Common Stock Subject to Redemption in the Company's December 31, 1993 consolidated balance sheet included elsewhere in this Prospectus.

RESTRICTIONS ON DIVIDENDS

The Company's ability to pay dividends to holders of Common Stock are limited under the terms of the Credit Agreement and of the indentures governing its 11 1/4% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2000 (the "Senior Subordinated Notes") and its 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes (the "Indentures"). The Company does not intend to pay any cash dividends in the foreseeable future. See "Dividend Policy."

ANTI-TAKEOVER PROVISIONS

After the closing of the Offerings, certain provisions of the Company's Restated Certificate of Incorporation and by-laws, as well as provisions of the Delaware General Corporation Law, may have the effect of delaying, deterring or

preventing transactions involving a change of control of the Company, including transactions in which stockholders might otherwise receive a substantial premium for their shares over then current market prices, and may limit the ability of stockholders to approve transactions that they may deem to be in their best interests. For example, under the Restated Certificate of Incorporation, the Board of Directors is authorized to issue one or more classes of preferred stock having such designations, rights and preferences as may be determined by the Board of Directors. In addition, the Board of Directors will be divided into three classes, each having a term of three years, with the term of one class expiring each year. A director may be removed from office only for cause. These provisions could delay the replacement of a majority of the Board of Directors and have the effect of making changes in the Board of Directors more difficult than if such provisions were not in place. Further, Section 203 of the Delaware General Corporation Law restricts certain business combinations with any "interested stockholder" as defined in such law. The current stockholders of the Company are not, by virtue of their current holdings, deemed to be "interested stockholders" under this statute. This statute also may delay, deter or prevent a change of control of the Company. See "Description of

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Capital Stock" for additional information regarding these and certain other anti-takeover provisions adopted by the Company.

NO PRIOR MARKET FOR COMMON STOCK

Prior to the Offerings, there has been no public market for the Common Stock, and there can be no assurance that an active public market will develop or be sustained after the Offerings. The initial public offering price was determined by negotiations between the Company and the representatives of the Underwriters. The market price of the Common Stock may be highly volatile depending upon a number of factors. See "Underwriting" for a discussion of the factors considered in determining the initial public offering price.

SHARES ELIGIBLE FOR FUTURE SALE

Sales of a substantial number of shares of the Common Stock in the public market following the Offerings could adversely affect the market price for the Common Stock. There will be 45,072,784 shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately following the Offerings assuming no exercise of the Underwriters' over-allotment options. After the Offerings, 32,521,864 shares of Common Stock will be restricted securities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act") and may only be sold pursuant to a registration statement under the Securities Act or an applicable exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act, including Rule 144 and Rule 144A. The holders of such restricted shares will have certain registration rights with respect to all such shares of Common Stock. However, these holders have agreed not to sell or otherwise dispose of such shares for 180 days after the date of this Prospectus without the prior consent of the representatives of the Underwriters. See "Description of Capital Stock -- Shares Eligible for Future Sale" and "-- Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement."

USE OF PROCEEDS

All of the net proceeds to the Company from the Offerings, estimated to be \$93.0 million, will be used to repay a portion of the indebtedness outstanding under the Credit Agreement incurred to finance the NAB Acquisition, bearing a rate of interest as of March 1, 1994 of approximately 5%. See "Description of Certain Indebtedness -- Credit Agreement." The Company will not receive any proceeds from the sale of Common Stock by the Selling Stockholder.

DIVIDEND POLICY

To date, the Company has paid no cash dividends on its Common Stock. The Company currently intends to retain all future earnings, if any, to fund the development and growth of its business and, therefore, does not anticipate paying any cash dividends in the foreseeable future. The Credit Agreement and the Indentures governing the Senior Subordinated Notes and the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes limit the Company's ability to pay dividends on its Common Stock. Upon the consummation of the Offerings, the Credit Agreement will contain the most restrictive limitation on dividends, allowing a maximum of \$2.5 million of dividends on Common Stock in the aggregate per quarter. See "Description of Certain Indebtedness."

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CAPITALIZATION (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

The following table sets forth the capitalization of the Company at

December 31, 1993, and after giving effect to the 1994 Note Offering, the Offerings and the application of the proceeds therefrom. See "Use of Proceeds" and "Pro Forma Financial Data."

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	ACTUAL	AS ADJUSTED
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Short-term debt:	A 40 455	
Short-term notes payable	\$ 48,155 1,168	\$ 28,240(1)
current maturities of term foams	1,100	1,168
Total short-term debt	\$ 49,323	\$ 29,408
Long-term debt, less current portion: Term loans	\$ 6,424	\$ 6,424
Revolving credit loans	230,700	141,553(2)
Long-term notes payable	1,200	1,200
11 1/4% senior subordinated notes due 2000	125,000	125,000
8 1/4% subordinated notes due 2002		145,000(3)
14% subordinated debentures due 2000	135,000	(4)
Total long-term debt, less current portion	498,324	419,177
Common stock subject to redemption, par value \$0.01 per share; 990,033 shares issued and outstanding, net of notes		
receivable from the sale of common stock	12,435	(5)
Stockholders' equity:		
Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share; 15,000,000 shares authorized, no shares issued		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share; 150,000,000 shares authorized, issued shares of 37,809,981 actual and		
45,050,014 shares after giving effect to the Offerings	378	451(5)
Additional paid-in capital	156,551	262,978(5)
Notes receivable from sale of common stock		(1,065)(5)
Warrants exercisable for common stock	10,000	10,000
Treasury stock, 3,300,000 shares of common stock	(10,000)	(10,000)
Retained deficit	(109,248)	(109,248)
Minimum pension liability adjustment	(4,164)	(4,164)
Cumulative translation adjustment	(307)	(307)
Total stockholders' equity	43,210	148,645
Total capitalization	\$553,969	\$ 567 , 822
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- (1) Reflects the exercise of the put option related to the El Jarudo and Omega facilities. See "Business -- Facilities."
- (2) Reflects the application of the net proceeds of the Offerings to repay indebtedness under the Credit Agreement and borrowings under the Credit Agreement to pay a portion of the accrued and unpaid interest on the 14% Subordinated Debentures and the fees and expenses related to the redemption thereof. The amount reflected above does not include \$21,846 in outstanding unfunded letters of credit and \$15,000 in outstanding letters of credit backing a note payable included under short-term notes payable above.
- (3) Reflects the issuance of \$145,000 in aggregate principal amount of the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes.
- (4) Reflects the redemption of \$135,000 in aggregate principal amount of the 14% Subordinated Debentures.
- (5) Reflects the amendment to the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement, to be effected upon the closing of the Offerings, that eliminates certain management stockholders' limited redemption rights. See "Certain Transactions -- Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement."

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PRO FORMA FINANCIAL DATA

The following unaudited pro forma consolidated statements of operations (the "Pro Forma Statements") of the Company were prepared to illustrate the

estimated effects of (i) the NAB Acquisition and the related incurrence of debt to finance such acquisition, (ii) the incurrence of indebtedness under the Credit Agreement to retire the GECC Mortgage Loan and to refinance the term loans outstanding under the Company's Original Credit Agreement, (iii) the 1994 Note Offering and the application of the net proceeds therefrom to redeem the 14% Subordinated Debentures, (iv) the Offerings of Common Stock and the application of the net proceeds to the Company therefrom to repay indebtedness outstanding under the Credit Agreement and (v) the elimination of a one-time charge for incentive stock and other compensation expense (collectively, the "Pro Forma Transactions"), as if the Pro Forma Transactions had occurred as of the beginning of each period presented.

The Pro Forma Statements do not purport to represent what the Company's results of operations would actually have been if such transactions in fact had occurred at the beginning of the periods indicated or to project the Company's results of operations for any future period.

The pro forma adjustments are based upon available information and upon certain assumptions that management believes are reasonable. The Pro Forma Statements and accompanying notes should be read in conjunction with the historical financial statements of the Company and the NAB, including the notes thereto, and other financial information pertaining to the Company and the NAB, including "Capitalization" and related notes thereto included elsewhere in the Prospectus.

PRO FORMA STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED, DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

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TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993

	COMPANY HISTORICAL	NAB HISTORICAL(1)	EXCLUDED NAB BUSINESS(2)	OPERATIONS ADJUSTMENTS(3)	NAB ADJUSTED	CONSOLIDATION AND FINANCING ADJUSTMENTS	PRO FORMA
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Net sales	\$1,950,288	\$ 585,160	\$ (46,667)	\$(61,995)		\$ (65,364)(4)	\$2,361,422
Cost of sales	1,780,073	437,116	(26,133)	16,785	427 , 768	(65,364)(4)	2,142,477
Gross profit Selling, general and administrative				(78,780)			218,945
expenses Incentive stock and other compensation	62 , 717	10,473		6 , 384	16 , 857		79,574
expense	18,016					(18,016)(5)	
Amortization	9,929			2,070	2,070		11 , 999
Operating income		137,571		(87,234)	29,803	18,016	
Interest expense	45,656	2,251			2,251	(4,738)(6)	43,169
Other expense	9,180	2,122			2,122		11,302
Income before provision for income taxes and extraordinary							
items Provision for	24,717	133,198	(20,534)	(87,234)	25,430	22,754	72,901
income taxes	26,864	48,218	(7,433)	(31,579)	9,206	1,715	37,785
Income (loss) before extraordinary items	(2,147)	84,980	(13,101)	(55,655)	16,224	21,039	35,116
early extinguishment of debt	11,684					(11,684)(7)	
Net income (loss)	\$ (13,831) 	\$ 84,980	\$ (13,101) 	\$ (55 , 655)		\$ 32,723 	\$ 35,116
EBITDA(8)							

 \$ 122**,**112 | \$ 145,760 | \$ (20,534) | \$(86,037) | \$ 39,189 | \$ 18,016 | \$ 179,317 |13

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YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1993

		EXCLUDED			CONSOLIDATION	
COMPANY	NAB	NAB	OPERATIONS	NAB	AND FINANCING	
HISTORICAL	HISTORICAL(1)	BUSINESS (2)	ADJUSTMENTS (3)	ADJUSTED	ADJUSTMENTS	PRO FORMA

<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Net sales	\$1,756,510	\$ 701,901	\$ (56,000)	\$ (98,798)	\$547,103	\$ (68,463)(4)	\$2,235,150
Cost of sales	1,604,011	498,648	(31,360)	19,915	487,203	(68,463)(4)	2,022,751
Gross Profit Selling, general and administrative		203,253	(24,640)	(118,713)	59,900		212,399
expenses	61,898	11,048		7,661	18,709		80,607
Amortization	9,548			2,482	2,482		12,030
Operating income	81,053	192,205	(24,640)	(128,856)	38,709		119,762
Interest expense	47,832	2,964			2,964	(4,284)(6)	46,512
Other expense	5,260	1,851			1,851		7,111
Income before provision							
for income taxes Provision for income	27,961	187,390	(24,640)	(128,856)	33,894	4,284	66,139
taxes	17,847	66,359	(8,673)	(45,615)	12,071	1,517	31,435
Net income (loss)	\$ 10,114	\$ 121,031	\$ (15,967)	\$ (83,241)	\$ 21,823	\$ 2,767	\$ 34,704
EBITDA(8)	\$ 121 , 707	\$ 202,259	\$ (24,640)	\$ (127,649)	\$ 49,970	\$	\$ 171 , 677

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SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993

	COMPANY HISTORICAL	NAB HISTORICAL(1)	EXCLUDED NAB BUSINESS(2)	OPERATIONS ADJUSTMENTS(3)	NAB ADJUSTED	CONSOLIDATION AND FINANCING ADJUSTMENTS	PRO FORMA
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Net sales		\$ 226,118	\$ (18,667)	\$(22,055)		\$ (31,132)(4)	\$1,159,482
Cost of sales	932,983	171,670	(10,453)	6,037	167,254	(31,132)(4)	1,069,105
Gross profit Selling, general and administrative	72,235	54,448	(8,214)	(28,092)	18,142		90,377
expenses Incentive stock and other compensation	27,666	4,189		1,724	5,913		33,579
expense	18,016					(18,016)(5)	
Amortization				828	828		5,583
Operating income		50,259	(8,214)	(30,644)	11,401	18,016	51,215
Interest expense	24,767	900			900	(2,520)(6)	23,147
Other expense	6 , 596	879			879		7,475
Income before provision for income taxes and extraordinary items	(9,565)	48,480	(8,214)	(30,644)		20 536	20,593
Provision for income	(9,303)	40,400	(0,214)	(30,044)	9,022	20,330	20,393
taxes	13,467	17,550	(2,973)	(11,093)	3,484	912	17,863
Income (loss) before extraordinary items Extraordinary loss on	(23,032)	30,930	(5,241)	(19,551)	6,138	19,624	2,730
early extinguishment of debt	11,684					(11,684)(7)	
Net income (loss)	\$ (34,716)	\$ 30,930	\$ (5,241)	\$(19,551)	\$ 6,138		\$ 2,730
EBITDA(8)	\$ 43,664	\$ 53,535	\$ (8,214)	\$(30,165)	\$ 15,156	\$ 18,016	\$ 76,836

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⁽¹⁾ The NAB historical information represents amounts derived from the unaudited financial statements of the NAB, including an allocation of period-end adjustments. No information is included for periods after November 1, 1993 because the Company acquired the NAB on that date.

⁽²⁾ Reflects elimination of the approximate net sales and cost of sales for periods prior to November 1, 1993 associated with a non-seating product line

of the NAB that the NAB will continue to produce until its anticipated phase-out in the third quarter of calendar year 1994.

(3) Operations adjustments consist of pro forma adjustments to the historical revenues and expenses of the NAB to reflect (i) the Company's estimates of the impact of product pricing reductions negotiated as part of the NAB Acquisition, (ii) estimated actual expenses associated with ongoing engineering activities in support of Ford seating programs and the reallocation of the NAB engineering expenses among financial statement categories for consistency with the financial statements of the Company, (iii) incremental ongoing overhead and administrative expenses associated with the NAB Acquisition, including amounts to be paid to Ford for continuation of certain support functions, (iv) estimated adjustments to amortization and depreciation expense resulting from the revaluation of NAB assets and (v) the estimated income tax effects of these items. The adjustments include the following items:

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	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1993	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Effects of product pricing agreements negotiated between the Company and Ford in the NAB Acquisition	\$ 61,995	\$ 98,798	\$ 22,055
expenses	24,042	28,851	8,110
Amortization of goodwill resulting from the NAB Acquisition Decrease in NAB depreciation expense Estimated income tax effects of operations adjustments	2,070 (873) (31,579)	2,482 (1,275) (45,615)	828 (349) (11,093)
	\$ 55,655	\$ 83,241	\$ 19,551

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The estimated effects of the product pricing adjustments were derived by management through the application of agreed upon average price reductions effective as of the date of the NAB Acquisition to the historical revenues of the NAB by product line. The adjustment is proportionately greater for the year ended June 30, 1993 than for the year and the six months ended December 31, 1993 due to additional pro forma adjustments in the year ended June 30, 1993 to reflect price reductions from the NAB to Ford which were effective as of January 1, 1993.

- $(4)\,$ Reflects the elimination in consolidation of sales from the NAB to other Lear locations.
- (5) Reflects the elimination of the one-time charge for incentive stock and other compensation expense.
- (6) Reflects interest expense changes as follows:

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	TWELVE MONTHS	YEAR	SIX MONTHS
	MONIHS ENDED	ENDED	ENDED
	DECEMBER 31.		DECEMBER 31,
	1993	1993	1993
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Reduction of interest due to application of proceeds from the Offerings Estimated interest on borrowings under the Credit Agreement to finance the	\$ (3,943)	\$ (4,025)	\$ (1,986)
NAB Acquisition	6,022	7,474	2,441
Interest expense on the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes	11,963	11,963	5,981
Elimination of interest expense on the 14% Subordinated Debentures	(18,900)	(18,900)	(9,450)
Interest expense on short-term notes payable used to finance the NAB			
Acquisition, at 8%	1,000	1,200	400
Elimination of interest expense on Favesa note payable prepaid in			
connection with the NAB Acquisition	(1,230)	(1,476)	(492)
Difference between interest expense on Favesa note payable at 6% prior to			
acquisition, 11.5% subsequent	913	1,095	365
Net reduction in interest expense due to refinancing of the Original			
Credit Agreement and retirement of the GECC Mortgage Loan	(986)	(1,362)	(354)
Interest on borrowings under the Credit Agreement to finance fees and			
expenses related to the Pro Forma Transactions	331	337	187
Change in deferred financing fee amortization due to refinancing of the			
Original Credit Agreement, issuance of the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes,			
retirement of the GECC Mortgage Loan and redemption of the 14%			
Subordinated Debentures	92	(590)	388

\$ (4,738)	\$ (4,284)	\$ (2,520)

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- (7) Reflects the elimination of the extraordinary losses on the refinancing of the Original Credit Agreement, the GECC Mortgage Loan and the 14% Subordinated Debentures which were recorded in the third and fourth quarters of the twelve months ended December 31, 1993. Such loss would have been incurred in a prior period had the NAB Acquisition taken place at the beginning of the periods presented.
- (8) "EBITDA" is operating income plus depreciation and amortization. EBITDA does not represent and should not be considered as an alternative to net income or cash flow from operations as determined by generally accepted accounting principles.

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SELECTED FINANCIAL DATA

The following income statement and balance sheet data were derived from the consolidated financial statements of the Company. The consolidated financial statements of the Company for the nine months ended June 30, 1989, for each of the fiscal years ended June 30, 1990, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993 have been audited by Arthur Andersen & $\operatorname{Co.}$ The consolidated financial statements of the Company for the six months ended January 2, 1993 are unaudited; however, in the Company's opinion, reflect all adjustments, consisting only of normal recurring items, necessary for a fair presentation of the financial position and results of operations of the Company for such period. In February 1994 the Company changed its fiscal year end from June 30 to December 31 effective December 31, 1993. The results of operations for any interim period are not necessarily indicative of results of operations for a full year. The selected financial data below should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements of the Company and the notes thereto and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of the Company."

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	NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1989	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1990	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1991	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1992	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1993	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993(1)	SIX MONTHS ENDED JANUARY 2, 1993	MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993(1)
					IN THOUSANDS (2))		
<pre><s> OPERATING DATA:</s></pre>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Net sales	\$ 807,365	\$1,067,878	\$1,085,319	\$1,422,740	\$1,756,510	\$1,950,288	\$ 811,440	\$1,005,218
Gross profit Selling, general and	81,632	104,707	101,429	115,641	152,499	170,215	54,519	72,235
administrative expenses Incentive stock and other compensation	18,477	28,247	41,596	50,074	61,898	62,717	26,847	27,666
expense(3)	1,107	1,353	1,353	(12)		18,016		18,016
Amortization	10,174	13,838	13,810	8,746	9,548	9,929	4,374	4,755
Operating income Interest expense,	51,874	61,269	44,670	56,833	81,053	79 , 553	23,298	21,798
net	50,982	61,184	61,676	55,158	47,832	45,656	26,943	24,767
net(4)	2,141	4,044	2,144	5 , 837	5,260	9,180	2 , 676	6,596
Income (loss) before taxes on income and extraordinary items	(1,249) 7,409	(3,959) 16,630	(19,150) 14,019	(4,162) 12,968		24,717 26,864	(6,321) 4,450	(9,565) 13,467
Net income (loss) before extraordinary items	(8,658)	(20,589)	(33,169)	(17,130)	10,114	(2,147)	(10,771)	(23,032)
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items(5)								(5,100)				(11,684)				(11,684)
Net income (loss)	\$	(8,658)	\$	(20,589)	\$	(33,169)	\$	(22,230)	\$	10,114	\$	(13,831)	\$	(10,771)	\$	(34,716)
Net income (loss) per share before extraordinary																
items Net income (loss)	\$	(0.50)	\$	(1.25)	\$	(2.01)	\$	(0.62)	\$	0.25	\$	(0.06)	\$	(0.31)	\$	(0.65)
per share Weighted average shares	\$	(0.50)	\$	(1.25)	\$	(2.01)	\$	(0.80)	\$	0.25	\$	(0.39)	\$	(0.31)	\$	(0.98)
outstanding BALANCE SHEET DATA:	17	7,478,120	16	,500,000	16	,493,499	27	,768,312	40	0,049,064	35	,500,014	3	4,836,773	35	,500,014
Current assets Current		200,002 734,582	\$	223,212 747,583	\$	213,806 729,670	\$	282,864 799,884	\$	325,199 820,209		433,584 ,114,291	\$	308,464 809,859		
liabilities Long-term debt Common stock		201,117 433,336		254,514 402,800		287,111 386,655		344,169 348,331		374,950 321,116		505,717 498,324		367,782 331,930		
subject to limited redemption																
rights, net Stockholders'		1,770		1,795		1,770		3,465		3,885		12,435		3,885		
equity		48,876		35,292		4,335		49,317		75,101		43,210		53,506		
EBITDA(6)	\$	74,826	\$	94,252	\$	81,428	\$	91,807	\$	121,707	\$	122,112	\$	43,259	\$	43,664
expenditures Number of	\$	11,353	\$	14,906	\$	20,892	\$	27,926	\$	31,595	\$	45,915	\$	14,669	\$	28,989
facilities(7) North American Content per		30		33		40		45		48		61		45		61
Vehicle(8) North American vehicle	\$	67	\$	77	\$	84	\$	94	\$	98	\$	112	\$	100	\$	133
production (in millions) (9)		10.8		12.4		11.2		12.2		13.6		13.7		5.9		6.1
<pre>Inventory Turnover Ratio(10) </pre>																

 | | | 27.4 | | 25.6 | | 30.3 | | 36.7 | | 36.0 | | | | |-----

(2) Except per share data and North American Content per Vehicle.

- (3) Includes a one-time charge of \$18,016, of which \$14,474 is non-cash, for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993 for incentive stock and other compensation expense (see Note 14 "Warrants, Stock Options and Common Stock Subject to Redemption" in the consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Prospectus).
- (4) Consists of foreign currency exchange gain or loss, minority interest in net income of subsidiaries, equity (income) loss of affiliates, state and local taxes and other expense.
- (5) The extraordinary items result from the prepayment of debt.
- (6) "EBITDA" is operating income plus depreciation and amortization. EBITDA does not represent and should not be considered as an alternative to net income or cash flow from operations as determined by generally accepted accounting principles.
- (7) Includes facilities operated by the Company's less than majority-owned affiliates and facilities under construction.
- (8) "North American Content per Vehicle" is the Company's net sales in North America divided by total North American vehicle production.
- (9) "North American vehicle production" includes car and light truck production in the United States, Canada and Mexico estimated from industry sources.
- (10) "Inventory Turnover Ratio" is cost of goods sold divided by average inventory. The Inventory Turnover Ratio for the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 excludes the NAB, which was acquired by the Company on November 1, 1993.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS OF THE COMPANY

⁽¹⁾ On July 1, 1993, the Company adopted SFAS 106 (as defined herein). As a result, the twelve months and six months ended December 31, 1993 represent the first periods during which the Company began to incur additional expense associated with the adoption of SFAS 106. The additional expense for each of these periods was \$3,273.

Lear has expanded its net revenues at an annual compound growth rate of approximately 27.1% during the period from July 1, 1983 to June 30, 1993. Since the fiscal year ended June 30, 1990, the Company has increased its net sales by 64.5% by building upon its existing business in the United States and Canada and significantly expanding its operations in Europe and Mexico.

As a result of significant new business added since the fiscal year ended June 30, 1990, the Company has experienced substantial upfront costs for new programs and new facilities. Such costs consist of administrative expenses in Europe, engineering and design expenses for new seating programs and new facility costs, including pre-production expenses and inefficiencies incurred until the customer reaches normal operating levels. New business which has been added since the fiscal year ended June 30, 1990 includes seat systems for the GM-Suburban, Saab, Volvo, GM-Opel (2 facilities), Chrysler-Europe, Hyundai and Volkswagen-Mexico, as well as a seat cover manufacturing facility in Mexico. The Company expenses such non-recurring pre-production expenses as they are incurred.

The Company's financial results in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 improved over prior fiscal years as a result of improved operating efficiencies obtained at new facilities which impacted prior fiscal year results unfavorably and strong performance at established facilities. Together these facilities offset new program costs associated with the Dodge Ram Pick-up Truck, the Ford Mustang, the Ford Windstar Minivan and the GM Opel Omega and facility costs relating to new programs for BMW and Jaguar, which have begun production since the end of the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 or will begin production in calendar year 1994.

The Company's financial results for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 do not include the NAB Acquisition. After giving effect to the Pro Forma Transactions, the Company's net sales, EBITDA and operating income for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 were approximately \$2.2 billion, \$171.7 million and \$119.8 million, respectively. See "Business -- NAB Acquisition."

Results for the six months ended December 31, 1993 do not include the NAB for periods prior to November 1, 1993 and do include additional expense due to the adoption by the Company of the prospective method of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 106, "Employers' Accounting for Post-retirement Benefits Other than Pensions" ("SFAS 106"). The implementation of SFAS 106 had an unfavorable impact in the six months ended December 31, 1993 on gross profit of \$2.9 million, operating income of \$3.3 million and net income of \$3.3 million. See the consolidated financial statements of the Company included elsewhere in this Prospectus.

The Company's financial results for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993 include a one-time charge of \$18.0 million for compensation expense, of which \$14.5 million was non-cash. Accelerated vesting of incentive management stock options under the 1992 Stock Option Plan and the issuance of the remaining options under the 1992 Stock Option Plan to 66 individuals resulted in the one-time non-cash charge of \$14.5 million. Also included in the one-time charge was \$3.5 million of cash compensation expense. The \$3.5 million payment was made to 28 of the Management Investors (as defined herein) in order to assist such individuals in achieving some liquidity, which in certain instances will enable such individuals to repay debt incurred in connection with the 1988 Acquisition without necessitating the sale of any Common Stock.

The Company's performance is dependent on automotive vehicle production, which is seasonal in nature. The third calendar quarter is historically the Company's weakest quarter due to the impact of customer plant shutdowns for vacation and model changeover which affect automotive production in both North America and Europe. See Note 16 to the consolidated financial statements of the Company included elsewhere in this Prospectus.

In February 1994, the Company changed its fiscal year end from June 30 to December 31, effective December 31, 1993.

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The following chart shows operating results of the Company by principal geographic area:

GEOGRAPHIC OPERATING RESULTS

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			SIX MONTHS	SIX MONTHS
YEAR ENDED	YEAR ENDED	YEAR ENDED	ENDED	ENDED
JUNE 30,	JUNE 30,	JUNE 30,	JANUARY 2,	DECEMBER 31,
1991	1992	1993	1993	1993
(DOLLARS IN	THOUSANDS)			

<s> NET SALES:</s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
United States	\$ 468,80 349,93		\$ 765,652 372,045	\$ 335,669 164,861	\$ 551,211 168,613
Europe	145,54	0 268,175	432,546	218,055	189,337
Mexico	121,04	0 154,054	186,267 	92,855 	96,057
Net sales	\$1,085,31 	9 \$1,422,740	\$1,756,510 	\$ 811,440 	\$1,005,218
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS):					
United States	\$ 6,18 35,30		\$ 51,752 15,308	\$ 17,550 1,808	\$ 27,081 12,128
Europe Mexico	(3,66 8,20	7) 2,952	(3,907) 17,900	(1,847) 5,787	(7,608) 8,213
Unallocated corporate expense(1)	(1,35	•			(18,016)
Operating income	\$ 44,67	0 \$ 56,833	\$ 81,053	\$ 23,298	\$ 21,798

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Six Months Ended December 31, 1993 Compared With Six Months Ended January 2, 1993.

Net sales of \$1,005.2 million in the six months ended December 31, 1993 surpassed the six months ended January 2, 1993 by \$193.8 million or 23.9% despite the effect of depressed automotive vehicle sales on existing seating programs in Europe. Net sales benefitted from the purchase of the NAB on November 1, 1993, new business in the United States and Europe and incremental volume on established domestic seating programs.

Net sales in the United States of \$551.2 million in the six months ended December 31, 1993 increased by \$215.5 million or 64.2% from the comparable period in the prior year, reflecting \$86.0 million in sales from the NAB Acquisition, improved domestic car and truck production on established seating programs, incremental sales from new seat programs, including the Dodge Ram Pick-up Truck and the Ford Mustang, and sales generated by a new lead vendor program under which the Company assumed management of components for a seat program with Ford.

Net sales in Canada for the six months ended December 31, 1993 of \$168.6 million exceeded sales during the comparable period in the prior year by \$3.8 million or 2.3%, reflecting modest vehicle production increases on established General Motors seat programs. Net sales were adversely impacted by downtime associated with a General Motors plant conversion necessary for a replacement mid-size passenger car model introduction. Production for that replacement program is scheduled to begin in the first quarter of 1994.

Net sales in Europe of \$189.3 million in the six months ended December 31, 1993 declined in relation to the six months ended January 2, 1993 by \$28.7 million or 13.2% due to reduced vehicle production requirements for carryover seating programs in Sweden and Finland and unfavorable exchange rate fluctuations. Partially offsetting the decrease in sales was additional volume on established seating programs in Germany and Austria.

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Net sales in Mexico of 96.1 million increased in the six month period ended December 31, 1993 compared to the six month period ended January 2, 1993 due to increased production activity on existing Volkswagen and Chrysler programs.

Gross profit (net sales less cost of sales) and gross margin (gross profit as a percentage of net sales) were \$72.2 million and 7.2% for the six month period ended December 31, 1993 as compared to \$54.5 million and 6.7% for the prior comparable period. Gross profit and gross margin in the six month period ended December 31, 1993 benefitted from the overall increase in North American automotive production, productivity improvement programs, favorable Canadian exchange rate fluctuations and the NAB Acquisition. Partially offsetting the increase in gross profit were reduced capacity utilization in Europe, facility pre-production costs for seating programs in Canada, England and Germany, the devaluation of the Swedish krona and severance costs associated with the downsizing of German component operations. The adoption of SFAS 106 had an unfavorable impact on gross profit in the six month period ended December 31, 1993 of \$2.9 million.

Selling, general and administrative expenses decreased to 2.8% of net sales

Unallocated corporate expense consists of incentive stock option expense and other one-time compensation expense.

for the six months ended December 31, 1993 as compared to 3.3% for the comparable period in the prior year. While expenditures for the more recent period increased 3.1%, or \$0.8 million, over the earlier period, an increase in sales led to an overall decrease in these expenses as a percentage of sales. Primarily contributing to the increase in selling, general and administrative expenses in the six month period ended December 31, 1993 were design, development and pre-production costs relating to a new BMW seating program scheduled to be launched in mid-1994.

Operating income and operating margin (operating income as a percentage of net sales), before the one-time charge of \$18.0 million for incentive stock and other compensation expense, were \$39.1 million and 3.9% for the six months ended December 31, 1993 compared to \$23.3 million and 2.9% during the comparable period in the prior year. The increase in operating income was due largely to an overall increase in net sales in North America, including an increase in net sales as a result of the NAB Acquisition and productivity improvements, which offset lower margin contribution in Europe and the adoption of SFAS 106.

Non-cash depreciation and amortization charges were \$21.9 million and \$19.9 million for the six months ended December 31, 1993 and January 2, 1993, respectively.

Interest expense for the six month period ended December 31, 1993 decreased by \$2.2 million from the comparable period in the prior year primarily due to the refinancing of certain subordinated and senior debt at lower interest rates, lower European interest rates, reduced borrowings in Canada and Europe and reduced amortization of financing fees due to the early extinguishment of debt. See Note 3, "1994 Refinancing -- Subsequent Event," to the Company's consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Prospectus.

Other expense for the six months ended December 31, 1993, including state and local taxes, foreign exchange loss, minority interest in income of subsidiaries and equity in income of affiliates, increased in comparison to the comparable period in the prior year due to the \$4.0 million write-off of equipment associated with a discontinued Volkswagen program in Germany and non-seating related assets in the United States.

A loss of \$5.0 million, before extraordinary items and the one-time charge of \$18.0 million for incentive stock and other compensation expense, was recognized for the six months ended December 31, 1993 as compared to a net loss of \$10.8 million in the prior comparable period. The net loss in the six months ended December 31, 1993 reflects a \$13.5 million provision for national income taxes of which approximately \$8.7 million relates to foreign operations. For the six month period ended December 31, 1993, the Company recognized a net loss of \$34.7 million after giving effect to an extraordinary item for the early extinguishment of debt of \$11.7 million and the one-time charge of \$18.0 million for incentive stock and other compensation expense. The extraordinary item was comprised of unamortized deferred financing fees expense and a call premium resulting from the redemption of the 14% Subordinated Debentures, net of related tax effects.

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1993 Compared With Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1992 And 1991 $\,$

Net sales of \$1.8 billion in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 represents the Company's twelfth consecutive year of increased sales. Net sales increased \$333.8 million or 23.5% over the fiscal year ended

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June 30, 1992 and \$671.2 million or 61.8% as compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. Net sales in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 as compared to the fiscal year ended year ended June 30, 1992 benefitted from new business in the United States and Europe, full year production of a second facility in Sweden for Volvo, of which the Company assumed control in November 1991, and incremental volume on domestic and Mexican programs. In comparison to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991, net sales increased in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 by \$337.4 million or 31.1% due to the contribution of new business in North America and Europe, volume increases in domestic and foreign carryover programs, including production of replacement programs, and the acquisition of existing operations from Saab and Volvo to handle new programs.

Gross profit and gross margin were \$152.5 million and 8.7% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, \$115.6 million and 8.1% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and \$101.4 million and 9.3% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. Gross profit and gross margin in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 surpassed that of the prior fiscal year due to the benefit of incremental volume, including production of new business programs, productivity improvement programs and improved operating performance at new facilities in North America, Europe and Mexico. Partially offsetting the increase in gross profit were participation in customer cost reduction programs, plant shutdown costs at a dedicated facility in Finland, nonrecurring favorable foreign exchange effect on sales and a retroactive price increase recognized in the first and second quarters of the

fiscal year ended June 30, 1992. Gross profit in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 increased as compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991 as the overall growth in sales activity coupled with productivity improvements more than offset customer cost reduction programs. Comparing the same periods, gross margin declined as a result of the incurrence of start-up costs at several new facilities.

Selling, general and administrative expenses as a percentage of net sales remained unchanged at 3.5% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 as compared to the prior fiscal year. The increase in actual expenses was largely the result of increased research and development costs for future seating programs in the United States, Canada and Europe. Further contributing to the increase in expenses were administrative support expenses for Mexican operations and costs associated with the establishment of customer business units in North America. In comparison to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991, selling, general and administrative expenses in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 increased due to design and development costs for future seat systems and technical and administrative support for new and existing European and Mexican operations.

Operating income and operating margin were \$81.1 million and 4.6% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, \$56.8 million and 4.0% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and \$44.7 million and 4.1% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. The growth in operating income in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 as compared to the prior fiscal year was due to incremental volume on established seating programs and improved performance at new seat and seat cover facilities. Partially offsetting the increase in operating income were pre-production and facility costs for programs to be introduced after June 30, 1993, plant shutdown costs and nonrecurring prior fiscal year adjustments noted above. As compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991, operating income in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 increased due to the benefit of vehicle production increases by automotive manufacturers on established programs in North America and Europe which offset customer cost reduction programs and start-up costs associated with the introduction of new seat systems within established business programs. Non-cash depreciation and amortization charges were \$40.7 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, \$35.0 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and \$36.8 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991.

Interest expense in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 declined in relation to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991 due to lower interest rates on bank debt, refinancing of certain subordinated debt at a lower interest rate and the application of funds received from the capital infusions initiated on September 27, 1991 and July 30, 1992. See Notes 4 and 5 of the consolidated financial statements of the Company included in this Prospectus for additional information regarding these transactions.

Other expense, including state and local taxes, foreign exchange gain or loss, minority interests and equity in income of affiliates, decreased in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 in comparison to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 as reduced income derived from joint ventures accounted for under the equity method coupled with the Company's write-off of its \$1.7 million investment in Probel S.A., a Brazilian company, were more

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than offset by the expense portion of nonrecurring capitalization and related costs of \$3.2 million associated with the 1991 Transactions (as defined under "Certain Transactions") which were incurred in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 other expense in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 increased in comparison to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991 due to costs related to the 1991 Transactions.

Net income of \$10.1 million was realized in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 as compared to a net loss of \$22.2 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992. The net income of \$10.1 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 reflects an \$11.9 million provision for foreign national income taxes as compared to an \$8.2 million provision in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992. In comparison to a net loss of \$33.2 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991, the net loss of \$22.2 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 reflects a \$13.0 million provision for national income taxes as compared to a provision of \$14.0 million in the previous fiscal year and to a \$5.1 million extraordinary loss on the early retirement of debt.

United States Operations

Net sales in the United States were \$765.7 million, \$597.2 million and \$468.8 million in the fiscal years ended June 30, 1993, 1992 and 1991, respectively. Net sales in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 surpassed the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 due to improved domestic car and truck production on established seating programs in the second half of the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 coupled with a new Ford passenger car program and the attainment of targeted production levels for a General Motors truck program

introduced in the fall of 1991. Net sales in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 reflect vehicle production increases from the prior fiscal year's depressed operating levels by OEMs on certain established seating programs and the launch of a new General Motors truck program.

Operating income and operating margin were \$51.8 million and 6.8% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, \$32.0 million and 5.4% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and \$6.2 million and 1.3% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. The growth in operating income and operating margin was due to the benefits derived from incremental volume on established and new seating programs, productivity improvements and improved operating performance at new seat systems and seat cover facilities. Partially offsetting the increase in operating income were participation in customer cost reduction programs and preproduction costs associated with a new seating program scheduled to begin production in mid-1994. Operating income and operating margin in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 increased as compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991 due to the transfer of component production from Canada in order to benefit from lower operating costs and incremental volume on established seating programs.

Canadian Operations

Net sales from Canadian operations were \$372.0 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, \$403.4 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and \$349.9 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. Net sales in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 were adversely impacted by market demand and vehicle inventories as General Motors announced temporary plant shutdowns and production adjustments on existing passenger car and light truck programs. In comparison to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991, net sales in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 benefitted from incremental volume on carryover General Motors car and truck programs and to the launch of a new Hyundai passenger car program, which was partially offset by the transfer of component production from Canada to the United States.

Operating income and operating margin were \$15.3 million and 4.1% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, \$14.7 million and 3.6% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and \$35.3 million and 10.1% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. Operating income in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 as compared to the prior fiscal year benefitted from productivity improvement programs, favorable exchange rate fluctuations and improved operating performance at a new seat facility. Partially offsetting the increase in operating income were reduced vehicle production schedules on existing programs and engineering costs associated with a future Ford seating program. Operating income in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 declined in relation to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991 due to a shift in component production to the Company's United States facilities in order to take advantage of lower operating costs, participation in customer cost reduction programs, incremental costs associated with the start-up of a new seat facility and to design and development costs related to a future Ford seat system.

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European Operations

Net sales in Europe were \$432.5 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, \$268.2 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and \$145.5 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. Net sales in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 exceeded the prior fiscal year due to the addition of new operations in Germany and Austria, the full year impact resulting from the acquisition of facilities in Sweden and Finland and incremental volume on carryover programs in Germany. Partially offsetting the increase in net sales were reduced vehicle production schedules for established seating programs in Sweden and unfavorable exchange rate fluctuations. Net sales in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 surpassed net sales in the prior fiscal year due to additional volume on an existing program in Sweden and the acquisition of facilities in Sweden and Finland in November 1991 and January 1992, respectively, while demand for existing programs in Germany remained essentially unchanged.

The Company's European operations sustained an operating loss of \$3.9 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 as compared to operating income of \$3.0 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and an operating loss of \$3.7 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. The \$6.9 million unfavorable variance in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 was the result of lower margin products introduced at an established facility in Germany, technical and administration costs required to support European manufacturing facilities, a retroactive price increase recognized in the first half of the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and the devaluation of the Swedish krona, which was partially offset by the favorable impact of foreign exchange rates. Also contributing to the decrease in operating income were reserves established by the Company for the anticipated plant shutdown costs at a dedicated facility in Finland due to the customer transfer of production to alternative locations in Europe. Partially offsetting the decrease in operating income was the overall growth in sales activity, including production from new programs in Germany and

Austria and to the full year contribution of facilities in Sweden and Finland of which the Company assumed control in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992. Operating income of \$3.0 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 increased by \$6.6 million as compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991 due to improved pricing on an existing program, incremental volume on carryover programs and improved operating performance at an established facility in Sweden which combined to more than offset pre-production, technical and administrative costs necessary to support new facilities opened as a result of seating programs awarded.

Mexican Operations

Net sales in Mexico were \$186.3 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, \$154.1 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and \$121.0 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. Net sales in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 surpassed the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991 due to increased production activity on established General Motors, Ford, Volkswagen and Chrysler programs.

Operating income and operating margin in Mexico were \$17.9 million and 9.6% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, \$7.2 million and 4.7% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 and \$8.2 million and 6.8% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991. The increase in operating income and operating margin in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 as compared to the prior fiscal year was due to the benefit of additional sales, productivity improvement programs and improved manufacturing performance at a seat cover facility. Operating income and operating margin in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 declined in relation to the fiscal year ended June 30, 1991 as a result of the Company's participation in a customer cost reduction program and incremental start-up costs associated with a new seat cover facility.

LIQUIDITY AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On October 25, 1993, the Company amended and restated the Original Credit Agreement (as amended and restated, the "Credit Agreement"), increasing the Company's total availability to \$425.0 million from \$150.0 million, reducing the Company's average bank borrowing costs by approximately 150 basis points and enabling the Company to refinance all of its then outstanding indebtedness under the Company's Original Credit Agreement, to retire the GECC Mortgage Loan and to finance a portion of the NAB Acquisition. As of December 31, 1993, and after giving effect to the 1994 Note Offering, the Offerings and the application of the net proceeds therefrom, the Company would have had \$178.4 million outstanding under the Credit Agreement

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(\$36.8 million of which would have been outstanding under letters of credit), resulting in \$246.6 million unused and available. The Company also had term loans outstanding in Germany of approximately \$7.6 million.

Of the \$230.7 million of borrowings actually outstanding under the Credit Agreement as of December 31, 1993, \$173.4 million related to the NAB Acquisition. The remaining \$57.3 million outstanding related to the early retirement of term debt during the calendar year 1993.

Amounts available under the Credit Agreement will be reduced by \$40.0 million every six months beginning October 31, 1996, and the Credit Agreement will expire on October 31, 1998. Excluding amounts outstanding under the Credit Agreement which will be due upon the expiration of the Credit Agreement, the Company's scheduled principal payments are \$1.2 million in calendar year 1994, \$2.4 million in calendar year 1995 and \$1.2 million in each of the next three calendar years.

Net cash provided by operating activities increased to \$94.5 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, compared to \$48.0 million and \$33.5 million in the fiscal years ended June 30, 1992 and 1991, respectively. The increase in cash flow in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 reflected higher operating earnings and reduced working capital requirements. The reduced working capital requirements were primarily the result of improved management of inventories, customer tooling and accounts payable. Inventories declined by 12.0% in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 despite record net sales in that year.

Net cash provided by operating activities increased to \$17.1 million during the six months ended December 31, 1993. Cash flow increases resulted from improved operating earnings and management of accounts receivable, inventories and accounts payable, offset by the use of proceeds necessary to finance the working capital requirement of the NAB.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 and the six months ended December 31, 1993, cash generated from operations and funds available under the Original Credit Agreement were sufficient to meet the Company's debt service and capital expenditure requirements. The Company believes that cash flows from

operations and funds available from existing credit facilities (principally the Credit Agreement) will be sufficient to meet its future debt service obligations, projected capital expenditures and working capital requirements.

Since July 1992, the Company has taken advantage of the favorable interest rate environment by refinancing a substantial portion of its long-term debt to reduce its ongoing interest expense. In February 1994, the Company refinanced \$135.0 million in aggregate principal amount of its 14% Subordinated Debentures by issuing \$145.0 million aggregate principal amount of 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes due 2002. The additional proceeds were used to pay a 5.4% call premium and a portion of the accrued interest due on the redemption of the 14% Subordinated Debentures. In July 1992, the Company refinanced \$85.0 million in aggregate principal amount of its 14 1/4% Senior Subordinated Discount Notes by issuing \$125.0 million aggregate principal amount of the Senior Subordinated Notes. The additional proceeds were used to prepay \$15.0 million of term loans and temporarily reduce outstanding revolving loans under the Original Credit Agreement and for general corporate purposes.

In the fiscal years ended June 30, 1993 and 1992, gross proceeds of \$20.4 and \$75.0 million, respectively, were received from the issuance of Common Stock. The Common Stock proceeds were used to reduce borrowings under the Original Credit Agreement in each year, as well as fund the Company's expansion.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, capital expenditures of the Company were \$31.6 million. For the fiscal years ended June 30, 1992 and June 30, 1991, capital expenditures of the Company were \$27.9 million and \$20.9 million, respectively. The Company estimates that it spent, in the aggregate, between \$10.0 million and \$15.0 million in the fiscal years ended June 30, 1992 and 1993, respectively, for equipment replacement and refurbishment. For the six months ended December 31, 1993, capital expenditures of the Company were \$29.0 million. The Company anticipates that during the fiscal year ending December 31, 1994, capital expenditures will aggregate approximately \$60.0 million, of which approximately \$35.0 million will relate to

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the addition of new facilities and the completion of previously started facilities required to support new seat systems programs. The remainder will be used to establish new programs in existing facilities and for ongoing maintenance requirements. The Company anticipates that cash generated from operations and borrowings under the Credit Agreement will provide sufficient funds for planned capital expenditures.

ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

The Company is subject to local, state, federal and foreign laws, regulations and ordinances (i) which govern activities or operations that may have adverse environmental effects and (ii) that impose liability for the costs of cleaning up and certain damages resulting from sites of past spills, disposal or other releases of hazardous substances. The Company currently is engaged in the cleanup of hazardous substances at certain sites owned, leased or operated by the Company, including soil and groundwater cleanup at its facility in Mendon, Michigan. Management believes that the Company will not incur compliance costs or cleanup costs at its facilities with known contamination that would have a material adverse effect on the Company's consolidated financial position or future results of operations.

The Company has been identified as a potentially responsible party ("PRP") under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA" or "Superfund"), for the cleanup of contamination from hazardous substances at three Superfund sites where liability has not been determined. The Company also may incur indemnification obligations for cleanup at two sites which are the subject of Superfund proceedings. Management believes that the Company is, or may be, responsible for less than one percent, if any, of the total costs at each site. The Company has set aside reserves which management believes are adequate to cover any such potential liabilities. Management believes that such matters will not result in liabilities that will have a material adverse effect on the Company's consolidated financial position or future results of operations.

INFLATION AND ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Lear's contracts with its major customers generally provide for an annual productivity price reduction and provide for the recovery of increases in material and labor costs in some contracts. Cost reduction through design changes, increased productivity and similar programs with the Company's suppliers generally have offset changes in selling prices. The Company's cost structure is comprised of a high percentage of variable costs. The Company believes that this structure provides it with additional flexibility during economic cycles.

In December 1990, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued SFAS 106, which sets forth new standards on accounting for post-retirement benefits other than pensions. This standard requires that the expected cost of these benefits must be charged to expense during the years in which the employees render service. The Company prospectively has adopted the new standard for its domestic plans effective July 1, 1993 and will adopt the standard no later than required for its foreign plans. The Company's actuaries have determined the domestic transition obligation at July 1, 1993 to be approximately \$25.6 million (net of a previously recorded liability of \$6.3 million) before income taxes, which will be amortized over 20 years. The Company's results for the six months ended December 31, 1993 reflect an increase of approximately \$3.3 million for post-retirement benefits as computed under this new standard than would have been recorded under the Company's previous method, which recognized these costs on a cash basis. The additional expense of \$3.3 million includes approximately \$641,000 of amortization of the Company's transition obligation.

In November 1992, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued SFAS 112, "Employers Accounting for Post-Employment Benefits." This statement requires that employers accrue the cost of post-employment benefits during the employees' active service. The Company will adopt this statement effective January 1, 1994 and believes that the adoption of this statement will not have a material effect on its financial position or results of operations.

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BUSINESS

GENERAL

Lear is the largest independent supplier of automobile and light truck seat systems in North America and is one of the largest independent suppliers of such systems worldwide. The Company's principal products include finished automobile and light truck seat systems, seat frames, seat covers and other seat components. The Company's seat systems, which are designed, manufactured and assembled at the Company's manufacturing facilities, are shipped to customer assembly plants on a JIT basis for installation in vehicles near the end of the assembly process.

Lear's sales have grown rapidly from approximately \$159.8 million in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1983 to approximately \$1.8 billion in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, a ten-year average compound annual growth rate of approximately 27.1%. The Company has expanded its operations to facilitate such growth primarily by constructing, acquiring and leasing new facilities and expanding the output of existing facilities. Capital expenditures by the Company during the same period averaged \$23.2 million per fiscal year. Funding for this expansion was provided by cash generated from operations and borrowings under credit facilities.

The Company's growth in sales is attributable primarily to the trend in the automotive industry to outsource more of its requirements for automotive components in response to competitive pressures on OEMs to improve quality and reduce capital needs and the costs of labor, overhead and inventory. OEMs have outsourced increasingly larger percentages of their requirements for seat systems, which represent the most expensive automotive component widely outsourced. As a result of this continuing trend toward outsourcing, the Company has been awarded the following new business which has recently begun production or is scheduled to begin production in the next eighteen months:

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		SCHEDULE	D D
	LOCATION OF	START	
PROGRAM	LEAR FACILITY	DATE	
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Ford Windstar Minivan	Oakville, Ontario	January	1994
GM Opel-Omega	Gustavsburg, Germany	January	1994
Jaguar (all models)	Coventry, England	January	1994
Chevrolet Monte Carlo	Whitby, Ontario	February	1994
Buick Park Avenue	Fenton, MI	February	1994
Oldsmobile Aurora/Buick Riviera	Fairhaven, MI	February	1994
Chevrolet Cavalier/Pontiac Sunfire	Lordstown, OH	July	1994
Ford CDW 27	Mexico City, Mexico	August	1994
BMW 3 Series	Duncan, SC	September	1994
Ford Explorer Plant II	St. Louis, MO	January	1995
Dodge Ram Pick-up Truck	Saltillo, Mexico	March	1995
Ford Taurus/Sable	Atlanta, GA	June	1995
Ford Taurus/Sable	Chicago, IL	June	1995
Dodge Ram Pick-up Truck	St. Louis, MO	July	1995
GMT 600 Van	St. Louis, MO	September	1995

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The principal beneficiaries of the trend to outsourcing have been independent suppliers, such as the Company, with proven design, engineering and JIT program management and manufacturing capabilities. The Company has captured more than one-third of the outsourced market for automobile and light truck seat systems and seat components in North America and has become a leading supplier to this market in Europe based on contracts awarded during the past three years.

Lear has demonstrated its ability to substantially reduce the cost and increase the quality of seat systems through the coordination of design, development and manufacturing as a Tier I supplier. The Company believes that OEMs in North America and Europe will continue to pursue outsourcing as a means of cost reduction.

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The Company's North American Content per Vehicle has increased from \$12 in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1983 to \$98 in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993. This increase has resulted from the Company's ability to capitalize on a number of industry trends including outsourcing, greater design responsibility by suppliers and the increased sophistication of seat systems as OEMs add more advanced features and luxury items into vehicle models.

BUSINESS STRATEGY

To take advantage of additional business opportunities, the Company has positioned itself as a global Tier I supplier of entire seat systems to OEMs. Tier I status typically means that the supplier is awarded the seat program for a particular vehicle in the early stages of the vehicle's design. The Tier I supplier becomes responsible for total seat program management, including design, development, component sourcing, quality assurance procedures, manufacture and delivery to the OEM's assembly plant. The OEM benefits from lower costs, improved quality, timely delivery and the administrative convenience of being able to treat seating as a single component instead of as numerous individual components. The Company believes that its early involvement in the design and engineering of new seat products as a Tier I supplier affords the Company a competitive advantage in securing new business. The Company has become a significant Tier I supplier by implementing a strategy based upon the following elements:

- Strong Relationships with the OEMs. The Company's management has developed strong relationships with its OEM customers which allow Lear to identify business opportunities and react to customer needs in the early stages of vehicle design. The Company works closely with OEMs in designing and engineering seat systems and maintains an excellent reputation with the OEMs for timely delivery and customer service and for providing world class quality at a competitive price. Many of the Company's facilities have won awards from OEMs and others, including the General Motors Mark of Excellence Award, the General Motors Supplier of the Year Award, the General Motors Top Supplier Award in Mexico, the Ford Q-1 Award at 15 plants, the General Motors of Europe 1991 and 1992 Supplier of the Year Award, the Chrysler Quality Excellence Award, the Saab 100% Supplier Performance Award and the Mazda Most Valuable Supplier Award.
- Product Technology and Product Design Capability. Lear has made substantial investments in product technology and product design capability to support its products, including the building of two technical centers (one in the United States in 1988 and one in Europe in 1991) and upgrading the Company's computer aided design/computer aided manufacturing ("CAD/CAM") systems. In addition, the Company is in the process of investing approximately \$6.0 million to substantially broaden its engineering capabilities, including all aspects of safety and functional testing and comfort assessment. The Company's strong product focus and global business base provide it access to worldwide seat technology. The Company's participation with customers in the early phases of product design, including participation at its ten remote engineering sites located near customers, enables it to improve the quality of the product and to meet target costs. Furthermore, the Company has established formal programs which provide for an ongoing review of product design and production in order to establish the means of obtaining additional cost improvement. An example of the Company's product technology and product design capability is the development of its SureBond process, which was patented in 1987. Sales of seat systems using the SureBond process accounted for approximately 35% of the Company's net sales for the twelve months ended December 31, 1993. See "Business -- Manufacturing."
- Lean Manufacturing Philosophy. Lear has adopted a "lean manufacturing" philosophy that seeks to eliminate waste and inefficiency in its own operations and in those of its customers. The Company believes that it provides superior quality seating products at lower costs than the OEMs. The Company, whose facilities are linked by computer directly to those of its suppliers and customers, receives components from its suppliers, and delivers seat systems and components to its customers on a JIT basis, which minimizes inventories and fixed costs and enables the Company to deliver products on as little as 90 minutes notice. In the twelve months ended December 31, 1993, the Company's

overall annual inventory turnover rate was 36 times (excluding the effects of the NAB Acquisition) and up to 150 times in the case of certain of the Company's JIT plants. The Company also minimizes fixed costs by using the existing suppliers to the OEMs and the OEMs themselves for certain components instead of attempting to produce such components itself. In cases where one of the

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Company's manufacturing facilities is underutilized, the Company is able to redistribute products to increase facility utilization.

Typically, the upfront cost of constructing a new seat systems facility is between \$6.0 and \$9.0 million per facility for owned facilities and between \$1.0 million and \$6.0 million per facility for leased facilities. The principal costs in starting a new seat systems facility arise from the acquisition of the land, construction of the building and installation of conveyor systems. Because most seat assembly work is manual and does not require complex equipment, capital costs are relatively low.

Another example of the Company's "lean manufacturing" philosophy is the establishment of a "Champion Program" in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 whereby individual members of management are responsible for working with a specific vendor to aggressively reduce costs. The success of the program has allowed the Company to negotiate on-going cost reduction agreements with many of its customers. The Champion Program has been expanded since June 30, 1993 to European suppliers as well as to product and manufacturing design.

NAB ACQUISITION

On November 1, 1993, Lear significantly strengthened its position in the North American automotive seating market by purchasing the NAB from Ford for \$173.4 million in cash (after giving effect to an adjustment in the purchase price for changes in NAB working capital) and approximately \$10.5 million in notes payable to Ford or its affiliates. The NAB Acquisition included the machinery, equipment, real property and other assets used in the operations of the NAB as well as the stock of Favesa S.A. de C.V. ("Favesa"), an operation located in Juarez, Mexico.

The NAB consists of an integrated United States and Mexican operation which produces seat covers for approximately 80% of Ford's North American vehicle production and manufactures seat systems for Ford's Crown Victoria and Grand Marquis vehicles. The Company's United States and Canadian revenues as a percentage of total net sales would have been approximately 68% had the NAB Acquisition not occurred versus 75% had the NAB Acquisition occurred on the first day of calendar year 1993. The cost structure of the NAB is very similar to the Company's current business in that costs are largely variable and, therefore, responsive to demand. Prior to the NAB Acquisition, the Company outsourced a significant portion of its seat cover requirements. The expansion of the Company's seat cover business allows the Company better control over the costs and quality of one of the critical components of a seat system. Because of the Company's belief in its ability to produce seat covers and seat systems at attractive margins, the NAB Acquisition is expected to improve the Company's operating performance.

For the twelve months ended December 31, 1993, after giving pro forma effect to the NAB Acquisition, gross sales, EBITDA and operating income of the NAB were approximately \$572.7 million, \$49.0 million and \$37.9 million, respectively. See "Pro Forma Financial Data."

In connection with the NAB Acquisition, the Company entered into a five-year supply agreement with Ford covering models for which the NAB currently produces seat covers and seat systems at agreed upon prices. The Company also assumed during the term of the supply agreement primary engineering responsibility for a substantial portion of Ford's car models. As a result, the NAB Acquisition establishes the Company as Ford's leading seat systems supplier and strengthens the Company's relationship with one of its two largest customers and the world's second largest automobile manufacturer. In addition, the Company believes that because of the NAB Acquisition it will be further integrated by Ford into the planning and design of seat systems and related products for future vehicle models. On a pro forma basis, after giving effect to the NAB Acquisition, the Company's net sales in the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 to Ford and General Motors were approximately equal. The NAB Acquisition also provides the Company with a prototype for enhancing its relationships with OEMs in a manner that allows OEMs to take better advantage of the Company's engineering, design and manufacturing expertise than is currently afforded under conventional supply agreements.

The sale of the NAB was conducted on an auction basis in which Ford determined that the Company was one of only two qualified final bidders based upon technical resources, capabilities and expertise in automotive

and light truck seat systems. The selection of the Company as the successful bidder highlights the Company's position as a leading supplier of quality seat systems.

The NAB incorporates both U.S. and Mexican operations. The manufacture of seat covers and seat systems takes place in Juarez, Mexico at the NAB's maquiladora subsidiary, Favesa. Favesa's maquiladora status allows the NAB to produce seat systems and seat covers in Mexico for sale in the United States without paying import or export duties as raw materials and finished goods cross the United States/Mexican border. To maintain its maquiladora status, Favesa must return its production to the United States, where it is sold by the NAB. This maquiladora arrangement is in direct contrast to the Company's other Mexican subsidiary, CISA, a non-maquiladora operation, whose sales are almost entirely to Mexican plants. The Company believes that the passage of NAFTA will present additional business opportunities as current maquiladora operations are allowed to produce product for use in Mexico.

PRODUCTS

Lear's products have evolved from the Company's many years of experience in the seat frame market where it has been a major supplier to General Motors and Ford since its inception in 1917. The seat frame has structural and safety requirements which make it the basis for overall seat design and was the logical first step to the Company's emergence as a dominant supplier of entire seat systems.

All of the Company's products are manufactured using JIT manufacturing techniques, and most of the Company's products, including all seat systems, are delivered to the OEMs on a JIT basis. The JIT concept, first broadly utilized by Japanese automobile manufacturers, is the cornerstone of the Company's manufacturing and supply strategy. This strategy involves many of the principles of the Japanese system, but was redeveloped for compatibility with the greater volume requirements and geographic distances of the North American market. The Company first developed JIT operations in the early 1980s at its seat frame manufacturing plants in Morristown, Tennessee and Kitchener, Ontario. These plants previously operated under traditional manufacturing practices, resulting in relatively low inventory turnover rates, significant scrap and rework, a high level of indirect labor costs and long production set-up times. As a result of JIT manufacturing techniques, the Company has been able to consolidate plants, increase capacity and significantly increase inventory turnover, quality and productivity.

The JIT principles first developed at Lear's seat frame plants in 1983 were next applied to the Company's growing seat systems business. The Company's seating plants are typically no more than 30 minutes from its customers' assembly plants and manufacture seats for delivery to the customer's facility in as little as 90 minutes. Orders for the Company's seats are received on a weekly basis, pursuant to blanket purchase orders for annual requirements. These orders detail the customer's needs for the ensuing week. In addition, on each work day, constant computer and other communication is maintained between personnel at the Company's plants and personnel at the customer's plants to keep production current with the customer's demand.

The following is the approximate composition by product category of the Company's net sales in the twelve months ended December 31, 1993, after giving pro forma effect to the NAB Acquisition: seat systems, 73%; seat covers, 14%; seat frames, 8%; and seat components, 5%.

- Seat Systems. The seat systems business consists of the manufacture, assembly and supply of entire seating requirements for a vehicle or assembly plant. The Company produces seat systems for automobiles and light trucks that are fully finished and ready to be installed in a vehicle. Included within the Company's seat systems production are high performance seats for luxury versions of the OEMs' specialty cars, such as the Chevrolet Corvette, the Ford Taurus SHO, the Mercury Cougar XR7, the Ford Thunderbird Super Coupe, the Ford Mustang GT and the Dodge Viper. High performance seats are fully assembled seats, ergonomically designed by the Company to achieve maximum passenger comfort. They have a wide range of manual and power comfort features such as lumbar supports, cushion and back bolsters and leg and thigh supports that are typically used to provide product differentiation for specialty vehicles. As OEMs continue to view seat systems as a distinguishing marketing feature, the advanced features incorporated initially in high performance seats are more frequently becoming standard features in a wider variety of later production vehicles.

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The market for seat systems developed as a result of North American automobile manufacturers' need to restructure assembly plant methods in response to vigorous foreign competition in the early 1980's. The Company was positioned to take advantage of this growing market through its long standing relationships

with customers. These relationships have been fostered through the Company's performance in seat frame manufacturing over the years and its demonstrated ability to supply and manage total seat systems. The Company believes that its position in the seat systems market will improve as seats with advanced features become an increasingly important criterion for distinguishing between competing vehicle models. Seat systems are shipped to customers in the order in which they are installed in vehicles.

The Company's major seat systems customers include Ford, General Motors, Chrysler, Volvo, Volkswagen, Saab and Mazda. In addition, through its joint ventures with NHK Spring Co., Ltd., the Company supplies seat systems to SIA (a joint venture between Fuji Heavy Industries (Subaru) and Isuzu) and to CAMI (a joint venture between Suzuki and General Motors). The Company and its affiliates serve assembly plants for these customers through 22 different dedicated JIT facilities.

The Company's seat systems sales for the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 broke down into the following vehicle categories: 47% light truck, 22% mid-size, 13% full size, 8% luxury, 6% compact and 4% sport vehicles. These vehicles included the Chevrolet/GMC Suburban, the Chevrolet/GMC Pick-up Truck, the Ford Explorer, the Oldsmobile Delta 88, the Buick LeSabre, the Chevrolet Lumina, the Buick Regal, the Mercury Cougar XR7, the Saab 9000 and the Chevrolet Corvette. As part of the NAB Acquisition, the Company has also assumed seat systems responsibility for the Ford Crown Victoria and the Mercury Grand Marquis and has assumed Tier I engineering responsibilities for the Ford Escort, the Lincoln Town Car, the Mercury Tracer and the Mercury Grand Marquis.

As a result of its product technology and product design strengths, the Company can provide ergonomic designs which offer styling flexibility at low cost. In addition, the Company is able to incorporate many convenience features and safety improvements into its seat designs, such as storage armrests, rear seat fold down panels, integrated restraint systems and child restraint seats.

Lear's position as a market leader in seat systems is largely attributable to seating programs on new vehicle models launched in the past five years. The Company believes that supplying seating for these new vehicle models will provide it with a long-term revenue stream throughout the lives of these models. The Company is currently working with customers in the development of a number of seat systems products to be introduced by automobile manufacturers in the late 1990's, which it expects will lead to an increase in outsourcing opportunities in the future. The Company has been awarded several new programs which have recently begun or are scheduled to begin production in the fiscal years ending December 31, 1994 through 1996. Such business includes new passenger car and light truck programs for the Dodge Ram Pick-up Truck, the Ford Mustang, the Ford Windstar Minivan, the BMW 3 Series, all Jaguar models, as well as the GM Opel Omega, the Chevrolet Cavalier and the Oldsmobile Aurora. In addition, in December 1993, the Company was awarded the seat system assembly responsibility for the Ford Taurus/Mercury Sable vehicle lines for seat systems scheduled to begin production in early 1995. Ford Taurus has been the best selling car line in the United States for the past two years. See "Business --General" for additional information on new business scheduled to begin production in the next eighteen months.

- Seat Covers. Lear produces seat covers at its Fairhaven, Michigan and Saltillo, Mexico facilities, which deliver seat covers primarily to other Company plants. In addition, pursuant to the NAB Acquisition, the Company acquired a portion of Ford's North American seat cover and seat systems business and is producing approximately 80% of the seat covers for Ford's North American vehicles. After the NAB Acquisition, the Company's major external customers for seat covers are Ford and other independent suppliers. The expansion of the Company's seat cover business allows the Company better control over the costs and quality of one of the critical components of a seat system. Typically, seat covers comprise approximately 30% of the aggregate cost of a seat system.
- Seat Frames. Lear produces steel and aluminum seat frames for passenger cars and light and medium trucks. Seat frames are primarily manufactured using precision stamped, tubular steel and aluminum components joined together by highly automated, state-of-the-art welding and assembly techniques. The manufacture of seat frames must meet strict customer specified safety standards.

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The Company's seat frames are either delivered to its own plants where they become part of a completed seat that is sold to the OEM customer, to customer-operated assembly plants or to other independent seating suppliers where they are used in the manufacture of assembled seating systems.

The Company's product development engineers continue to advance its technological position with such innovative material applications as aluminum and plastic frames and new seat designs which dramatically reduce seat weight while increasing usable automotive vehicle interior space or increasing safety.

- Seat Components. The Company designs and manufactures plastic storage armrests for inclusion in seat systems at its plant in Mendon, Michigan. Vehicles in which these components are found are the Dodge Ram Pick-up Truck, the Ford F-Series Pick-up Truck, the Buick LeSabre and the Oldsmobile Delta 88. The Company also manufactures decorative, painted and assembled injection molded components at the Mendon facility that are used in automotive vehicle interiors.

MANUFACTURING

Lear has developed a comprehensive manufacturing philosophy for seat systems that allows it to make optimal use of its manufacturing facilities in a high volume market. This concept, based on JIT manufacturing techniques, was developed in the early 1980's to meet the requirements of its customers seeking to reduce costs and improve quality. The Company has over ten years of experience in JIT management and manufacturing. See "Business -- Products."

Seat and component assembly techniques fall into two major categories, traditional assembly methods (in which fabric is affixed to a frame using velcro, wire or other material) and more advanced bonding processes. There are two bonding techniques employed by the Company, the Company's patented SureBond process, a technique in which fabric is affixed to the underlying foam padding using adhesives, and the Company's licensed foam-in-place process, in which foam is injected into a fabric cover. The SureBond process has several major advantages when compared to traditional methods, including design flexibility, increased quality and lower cost. The SureBond process, unlike alternative bonding processes, results in a more comfortable seat in which air can circulate freely. The SureBond process, moreover, is reversible, so that seat covers that are improperly installed can be removed and repositioned properly with minimal materials cost. In addition, the SureBond process is not capital intensive when compared to competing technologies.

The seat assembly process begins with pulling the requisite components from inventory. Inventory at each plant is kept at a minimum, with each component's requirement monitored on a daily basis. This allows the plant to devote the maximum space to production, but also requires precise forecasts of the day's output. Seats are assembled by three or four person teams, then tested and packaged for shipment. The Company operates its own specially designed trailer fleet that accommodates the off-loading of vehicle seats at the assembly plant.

Lear obtains steel, aluminum and foam chemicals used in its seat systems from various producers under various supply arrangements. Leather, fabric and purchased components generally are purchased from various suppliers under contractual arrangements typically lasting no longer than one year. All such materials are readily available. Some of the purchased components are obtained through the Company's own customers.

CUSTOMERS

Lear serves the worldwide automobile and light truck market, which produces over 30 million vehicles annually. The outsourced market for automobile and light truck seat systems in North America is approximately 65% of the total North American seat systems market, which total market is estimated to have annual revenues of approximately \$6.0 billion. The outsourced market for seat systems in Europe is approximately 41% of the total European seat systems market, which total market is estimated to have annual revenues of approximately \$3.6 billion. The Company believes that the same competitive pressures that contributed to the rapid expansion of its business in North America since 1983 will continue to encourage auto makers in the North American and the European markets to outsource more of their seating requirements. Over the past three years, the Company has aggressively pursued expansion in Europe, both with its existing and new customers. Approximately 65%, 70% and 75% of Lear's net revenues were from sales in the United States and Canada in the fiscal years ended June 30, 1993, 1992 and 1991, respectively, with the balance of sales in Europe and Mexico. On a pro forma basis, as if the NAB Acquisition had occurred at the beginning of the twelve months ended December 31, 1993, net revenues in the United States and Canada would have

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amounted to approximately 75% of the Company's total net revenues in the twelve months ended December 31, 1993.

The Company's OEM customers currently include Ford, General Motors, Chrysler, Volvo, Volkswagen, Saab, Mazda, BMW, Jaguar, Audi, Subaru, Isuzu, Suzuki, Daimler-Benz, Renault and Peugeot. For additional information regarding customers and foreign and domestic operations and sales, see Note 15, "Geographic Segment Data," to the consolidated financial statements of the Company included in this Prospectus.

In the past six years, in the course of retooling and reconfiguring plants for new models and model changeovers, OEMs have eliminated seating production from certain of their facilities, thereby committing themselves to purchasing

seat systems and components from outside suppliers. During this period, the Company became a supplier of these products for a significant number of new models, many on a JIT basis.

The purchase of seat systems on a JIT basis has allowed the Company's customers to realize a competitive advantage as a result of (i) a reduction in labor costs since suppliers like the Company generally enjoy lower direct labor rates, (ii) the elimination of working capital and personnel costs associated with the production of seat systems by the OEM, (iii) a reduction in net overhead expenses and capital investment due to the availability of approximately 60,000 to 80,000 square feet of plant space for expansion of other manufacturing operations which was previously associated with seat production at the OEM facilities and (iv) a reduction in transaction costs because of the customer's ability to deal with a limited number of sophisticated system suppliers as opposed to numerous individual component suppliers. In addition, the Company offers improved quality and on-going cost reductions to its customers through design improvements and its Champion Program.

The Company receives blanket purchase orders from its customers that normally cover annual requirements for seats to be supplied for a particular vehicle model. Such supply relationships typically extend over the life of the model, which is generally four to seven years, and do not require the purchase by the customer of any minimum number of seats. In order to reduce its reliance on any one model, the Company produces complete seat systems and components for a broad cross-section of both new and more established models. Vehicles with seat systems sold by the Company and its affiliates in the indicated locations include:

UNITED STATES AND CANADA:

<TABLE> <S> <C> OEM/MODELS OEM/MODELS FORD: GENERAL MOTORS: Ford Crown Victoria Buick LeSabre Ford Explorer Sports Bucket, Buick Park Avenue Eddie Bauer & Limited Edition Buick Regal Ford F-Series Pick-up Truck Chevrolet Corvette Ford Lightning Pick-up Truck Chevrolet Lumina Chevrolet Blazer/GMC Yukon Ford Mustang GT & LX Ford Probe Chevrolet C/K Pick-up Truck Chevrolet Kodiak Ford Ranger Supercab/STX Ford Taurus SHO Chevrolet Sport Van Ford Thunderbird SC Chevrolet/GMC G-Van Ford Windstar Minivan Chevrolet/GMC Pick-up Truck Mercury Cougar XR7 Chevrolet/GMC Suburban Mercury Grand Marquis GMC Rally/Vandura Van CHRYSLER: GMC Sierra Crew Cab Dodge Dakota Pick-up Truck GMC Sierra Pick-up Truck Dodge Ram Charger GMC Top Kick Dodge Ram Pick-up Truck Oldsmobile Delta 88 Dodge Viper FUJI/ISUZU: CAMI -- GENERAL MOTORS/SUZUKI: Isuzu Trucks Subaru Legacy Geo Metro HYUNDAI: Geo Tracker Suzuki Sidekick Sonata Suzuki Swift </TABLE>

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<TABLE> <S> EUROPE: OEM/MODELS GENERAL MOTORS: Opel Astra Opel Calibra Opel Corsa Opel Omega Opel Senator Opel Vectra CHRYSLER: Eurostar Minivan MEXICO: OEM/MODELS FORD: Ford Escort Ford F-Series Ford Thunderbird Mercury Cougar

Mercury Grand Marquis

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OEM/MODELS SAAB: Saab 900 Saab 9000 VOLVO: 800 Series 900 Series JAGUAR: XJS

OEM/MODELS
GENERAL MOTORS:
Chevrolet S-10 Blazer
Chevrolet Cavalier
VOLKSWAGEN:
Beetle
Golf

Mercury Tracer CHRYSLER: Club Cab Pick-up Truck Dodge Ram Pick-up Truck </TABLE>

Because of the economic benefits inherent in the JIT manufacturing process and the costs associated with reversing a decision to purchase seat systems from an outside supplier, the Company believes that automobile manufacturers' level of commitment to purchasing seating from outside suppliers, particularly on a JIT basis, will increase. However, under the contracts currently in effect in the United States between each of General Motors, Ford and Chrysler with the United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers of America (the "UAW"), in order for any of such manufacturers to obtain components that it currently produces itself from external sources, it must first notify the UAW of such intention. If the UAW objects to the proposed outsourcing, some agreement will have to be reached between the UAW and the OEM. Factors that will normally be taken into account by the UAW and the OEM include whether the proposed new supplier is technologically more advanced than the OEM, cost and whether the OEM will be able to reassign union members whose jobs are being displaced to other jobs within the same factories. As part of its long-term agreement with General Motors, the Company operates its Grand Rapids, Michigan facility with General Motors employees and reimburses General Motors for the wages of such employees on the basis of the Company's employee wage structure. The Company is negotiating with General Motors to expand this program to other facilities. The Company enters into these arrangements to enhance its relationship with its customers.

The Company's contracts with its major customers generally provide for an annual productivity price reduction and, in some cases, provide for the recovery of increases in material and labor costs. Cost reduction through design changes, increased productivity and similar programs with the Company's suppliers have generally offset changes in selling prices. The Company's cost structure is comprised of a high percentage of variable costs. The Company believes that this structure provides it with additional flexibility during economic cycles.

General Motors and Ford, the two largest automobile and light truck manufacturers in the world, are also the Company's two largest customers, accounting for 45% and 28%, respectively, of the Company's net sales during the twelve months ended December 31, 1993. After giving pro forma effect to the NAB Acquisition, the Company's net sales to General Motors and Ford for the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 were approximately equal.

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MARKETING AND SALES

Lear markets its products by maintaining strong relationships with its customers fostered during its 76-year history through strong technical and product development capabilities, reliable delivery of high quality products, strong customer service, innovative new products and a competitive cost structure. Close personal communication with automobile manufacturers from the corporate to the plant level is an integral part of the Company's marketing strategy. Automobile manufacturers have increasingly reduced their number of suppliers as part of their move to purchase systems rather than discrete components. This process favors suppliers, like the Company, with established ties to automobile manufacturers and the demonstrated ability to adapt to the new competitive environment in the automotive industry.

The Company's sales are originated almost entirely by its sales staff. This marketing effort is augmented by design and manufacturing engineers who work closely with automobile manufacturers from the preliminary design to the manufacture and supply of a seating system. Manufacturers have increasingly looked to suppliers like the Company to assume responsibility for the introduction of product innovation, shorten the development cycle of new models, decrease tooling investment and labor costs, reduce the number of costly design changes in the early phases of production and improve seat comfort and functionality. Once the Company is engaged to develop the design for the seating of a specific vehicle model, it is also generally engaged to supply the vehicle with seating when it goes into production. The Company has responded to this trend by improving its engineering and technical capabilities and building technical centers in the United States in 1988 and in Europe in 1991 at a cost of approximately \$8.0 million in the aggregate. The Company is also currently in the process of investing approximately \$6.0 million in developing full-scope engineering capabilities, including all aspects of safety and functional testing and comfort assessment. In addition, the Company has established ten remote engineering sites in close proximity to several of its OEM customers to enhance customer relationships and design activity. As part of the NAB Acquisition, the Company is assuming, during the five-year term of the supply agreement entered into in connection with the NAB Acquisition, responsibility for a substantial portion of Ford's seat systems design capability and, accordingly, is building a 75,000 square foot dedicated engineering facility in Dearborn, Michigan to

TECHNOLOGY

Lear conducts advanced product design and development at its technical centers in Southfield, Michigan and Rietberg, Germany. At the technical centers, the Company tests its products to determine compliance with applicable safety standards, the products' quality and durability, response to environmental conditions and user wear and tear. In the past, the Company has developed a number of designs for innovative seat features which it has patented, including ergonomic features such as adjustable lumbar supports and bolster systems and adjustable thigh supports. In addition, the Company incorporates many convenience, comfort and safety features into its seat designs, including storage armrests, rear seat fold down panels, integrated restraint systems and child restraint seats. The Company has recently invested to further upgrade its CAD/CAM systems including three-dimensional color graphics, customer telecommunications and direct interface with customer CAD systems. Research and development costs incurred in connection with the development of new products and manufacturing methods (not including additional research and development costs paid for by the customer) amounted to approximately \$16.2 million, \$18.2 million, \$11.4 million, \$7.9 million for the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 and the fiscal years ended June 30, 1993, 1992 and 1991, respectively.

Lear uses its patented SureBond process (the patent for which has approximately 10 years remaining) in bonding seat cover materials to the foam pads used in certain of its seats. The SureBond process is used to bond a pre-shaped cover to the underlying foam to minimize the need for sewing and achieve new seating shapes, such as concave shapes, which were previously difficult to manufacture.

The Company, through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Progress Pattern Corp. ("Progress Pattern"), produces patterns and tooling for use in the automotive casting industry. Its capabilities include foundry and vacuum form tooling, porous mold design and lost foam tooling production. The pattern operation is also integral to the Company's seating design programs, including independent product design and development, contract design, engineering services, manufacturing feasibility and engineering cost studies. Progress Pattern

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also manufactures production tooling for the Company's plastic and foam molding operations. In addition to providing support for the Company's continuing seat design, Progress Pattern provides services to its own customers, including Ford and General Motors. It produced the casting tooling for the General Motors Saturn engine.

The Company holds a number of mechanical and design patents covering its automotive seating products and has numerous applications for patents currently pending. In addition, the Company holds several trademarks relating to various manufacturing processes. The Company also licenses its technology to a number of seating manufacturers.

The Company has and will continue to dedicate resources to research and development to maintain its position as a leading developer of technology in the automotive seating industry.

JOINT VENTURES AND MINORITY INTERESTS

Lear conducts a portion of its business through joint ventures in order to facilitate the exchange of technical information and the establishment of business relationships with foreign automakers. The joint ventures in which the Company participates include: (i) General Seating of America, a joint venture with NHK Spring Co., Ltd. of Japan in which the Company has a 35% interest, which supplies trimmed seating to SIA (a joint venture between Fuji Heavy Industries (Subaru) and Isuzu) and (ii) General Seating of Canada Limited, a joint venture with NHK Spring Co., Ltd. of Japan in which the Company has a 35% interest, which supplies trimmed seating from a plant in Woodstock, Ontario to CAMI (a joint venture between Suzuki and General Motors). In addition, the Company has a 31% interest in Probel, S.A., a Brazilian automotive seat component and furniture manufacturer, and a 20% interest in Pacific Trim Corp. Ltd., a Thai manufacturer of automotive vehicle seat systems and seat covers. See Note 7, "Investments in Affiliates," to the consolidated financial statements of the Company included in this Prospectus.

COMPETITION

Lear is one of the two primary suppliers in the outsourced North American seat systems market. The Company's main independent competitor is Johnson Controls, Inc., and it competes, to a lesser extent, with Douglas & Lomason Company and Magna International, Inc. The Company's major independent competitors in Europe, besides Johnson Controls, Inc., are Bertrand Faure (headquartered in France) and Keiper Recaro (headquartered in Germany). The

Company also competes with the OEMs' in-house seating suppliers. The Company competes on the basis of technical expertise, reliability, quality and price. The Company believes its technical resources, product design capabilities and customer responsiveness are the key factors that allow it to compete successfully in the seat system market.

SEASONALITY

Lear's principal operations are directly related to the automotive industry. Consequently the Company may experience seasonal fluctuation to the extent automotive vehicle production slows, including times such as the summer months when plants close for model year changeovers and vacation and around Christmas when plants close for approximately 1.5 weeks. Historically, the Company's sales have been the strongest in the second calendar quarter. However, in the twelve months ended December 31, 1993, net sales in the fourth calendar quarter exceeded the second calendar quarter due to the NAB Acquisition and new programs which the Company began during 1993. Net sales for the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 by calendar quarter broke down as follows: first quarter, 23.4%; second quarter, 25.0%; third quarter, 20.5%; and fourth quarter, 31.1%. Operating profit of the Company has historically been strongest in the second calendar quarter and the weakest in the third calendar quarter. See Note 16, "Quarterly Financial Data," in the consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Prospectus.

EMPLOYEES

After giving effect to the NAB Acquisition, the Company employs approximately 4,600 persons in the United States, 10,000 in Mexico, 1,500 in Canada, 1,400 in Germany, 800 in Sweden, 90 in Austria and 80 in France. Of these, about 2,700 are salaried employees and the balance are paid on an hourly basis.

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Approximately 9,600 of the Company's employees are members of unions. The Company has collective bargaining agreements with several unions including the UAW; National Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers Union of Canada; the Textile Workers of Canada; the Confederation of Mexican Workers; the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen, and Helpers of America; and the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers, AFL-CIO, and its Local Lodge PM 2811 of Detroit and vicinity. Each of the Company's facilities has a separate contract with the union which represents the workers employed there, with each such contract having an expiration date independent of the Company's other labor contracts. The Company has experienced some labor disputes at its plants, none of which has significantly disrupted production or had a materially adverse effect on its operations. The Company has been able to resolve all such labor disputes and believes its relations with its employees are good.

FACILITIES

The Company's operations are conducted through 61 facilities, including five facilities acquired as part of the NAB Acquisition and six facilities operated by the Company's less than majority-owned affiliates. The Company's management is headquartered in Southfield, Michigan. The headquarters building, which accommodates both the main office and the technical center, was completed in June 1988. Twenty-two of the plants are dedicated to providing seat systems to nearby assembly plants. The others focus on the production for a combination of seat systems and other seating products. Substantially all owned facilities secure borrowings under the Company's various debt agreements. See "Description of Certain Indebtedness."

The Company's facilities are located in appropriately designed buildings which are kept in good repair with sufficient capacity to handle present volumes. The Company has designed its facilities to provide for efficient JIT manufacturing of its products. No facility is materially underutilized. Management believes substantially all of the Company's property and equipment is in good condition and that it has sufficient capacity to meet its current and expected manufacturing and distribution needs. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of the Company -- Capital Expenditures."

The following table provides certain information regarding the Company's 61 operating facilities, including five facilities currently under construction:

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<s></s>		<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
	FACILITY	OWNED/ LEASED	SQUARE FEET	FUNCTION	LEASE EXPIRATION
			BUILDING		

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UNITED STATES:				
Southfield, MI	0	70,000	administrative offices and	
			technical center	
Detroit, MI	0	156,800	manufacture of seat systems	
Romulus I, MI	0	89,600	manufacture of seat systems	
Romulus II, MI	0	88,200	manufacture of seat systems	
Fenton, MI	0	75,800	manufacture of seat systems	
Morristown, TN	0	235,900	manufacture of seat components	
Lorain, OH	L	42,100	manufacture of seat systems	July 1998
Mendon, MI	0	168,500	manufacture of seat components	
			and other plastic products	
Southfield, MI	0	65,000	manufacture of seat tooling	
Grand Rapids, MI	(1)	66,560	manufacture of seat frames	
Southfield, MI	0	19,000	technical center	
Louisville, KY	L	72,000	manufacture of seat systems	January 1995
Janesville, WI	0	120,000	manufacture of seat systems	
Fairhaven, MI	L	68,603	manufacture of seat covers	July 1995
Dearborn, MI	L	22,250	engineering offices	July 1997
Flint, MI	L	10,083	engineering offices	August 1996
Warren, MI	L	17,500	engineering offices	March 1997
Dearborn, MI	L(2)	23,483	engineering offices	March 1995
Duncan, SC	L(3)	38,926	manufacture of seat systems	10 years from
				completion

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FACILITY	OWNED/ LEASED	BUILDING SQUARE FEET	FUNCTION	LEASE EXPIRATION
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Lordstown, OH	0(3)	96,000	manufacture of seat systems	
Pontiac, MICANADA:	L(3)	101,600	manufacture of seat systems	August 1997
Kitchener, Ontario	0	343,044	manufacture of seat frames	
Ajax, Ontario	0	120,000	manufacture of seat systems	
Whitby, Ontario	0	187,400	manufacture of seat systems	
Cowansville, Quebec	L	50,750	manufacture of seat systems	(4)
Oakville, Ontario	0	90,000	manufacture of seat systems	
St. Thomas, Ontario EUROPE:	L(3)	100,000	manufacture of seat systems	January 2005
Meaux, France	0	48,300	manufacture of seat components	
Paris, France	L	2,500	administrative offices	January 1995
Blere, France	0	14,300	manufacture of wire components	
Rietberg, Germany	0	193,143	manufacture of seat components	
Rietberg, Germany	0	17,635	technical center	
Quakenbruck, Germany	0	139,500	manufacture of seat components	
Gustavsburg, Germany	L	177,000	manufacture of seat systems	June 2002
Eisenach, Germany	0	77,500	manufacture of seat systems	
Schwalbach, Germany	L	10,500	administrative offices	October 1996
Koflach, Austria	L	63,307	manufacture of seat systems	January 1995
Trollhattan, Sweden	L	135,102	manufacture of seat systems	December 1996
Bengtsfors, Sweden	L	246,726	manufacture of seat systems	September 2007
Coventry, England	L(5)	22,000	manufacture of seat systems	May 1994
Saltillo I	L	91,025	manufacture of seat covers	January 1998
Saltillo II	L(3)	43,000	manufacture of seat systems	July 1994
Mexico City	L	6,880	administrative offices	June 1997
Tlahuac	0	339,000	manufacture of seat components	
	L	8,900	warehouse	June 1997
Naucalpan	L	66,000	manufacture of seat systems	August 1994
Cuautitlan	L	75,000	manufacture of seat systems	(4)
Puebla	L	81,000	manufacture of seat systems	(4)
Hermosillo	0	121,000	manufacture of seat systems	
Atoto	L	18,275	manufacture of seat systems	June 1996
Rio Bravo	0(6)	202,700	manufacture of seat covers	
San Lorenzo	0(6)	287,000	manufacture of seat covers	
La Cuesta	0(6)	392 , 500	manufacture of seat covers	
El Jarudo	0(7)	122,000	manufacture of seat covers	
Omega AFFILIATES OR MINORITY INTERESTS:	0(7)	270 , 000	manufacture of seat systems	
Woodstock, Ontario; Canada	0(8)	120,000	manufacture of seat systems	
Frankfort, Indiana	0(8)	82,000	manufacture of seat systems	
Khorat; Thailand	L(8)	30,000	manufacture of seat covers and seat systems	
Suzano, Sao Paulo; Brazil	0(8)	344,448	manufacture of seat components	
Ipiranga, Sao Paulo; Brazil	L(8)	355,212	manufacture of seat components	
Jaguare, Sao Paulo; Brazil				

 L(8) | 96**,**876 | manufacture of seat components | |

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- (1) This facility is operated for General Motors.
- (2) A new 75,000 square foot engineering facility is currently under construction.
- (3) Facility currently under construction.
- (4) Currently leased on a month-to-month basis pending agreement on a longer lease term.

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- (5) A new 42,000 square foot manufacturing facility is currently under construction, which will be dedicated to the manufacture of seat systems.
- (6) Acquired as part of the NAB Acquisition.
- (7) Subsequent to December 31, 1993, the Company exercised an option to cause Ford to purchase these facilities in consideration of Ford cancelling \$19.9 million of indebtedness owed by Favesa to Ford. The sale of these facilities is scheduled to occur on March 15, 1994. At that time the Company will vacate the El Jarudo facility and will lease the Omega facility until the earlier of March 15, 1996 or the date it vacates the Omega facility.
- (8) Owned or leased by affiliates or minority interests of the Company.

LITIGATION

Management of the Company does not believe that any of the litigation in which the Company is currently engaged, either individually or in the aggregate, will have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial position or future results of operations.

ENVIRONMENTAL

The Company is subject to various laws, regulations and ordinances which govern activities such as discharges to the air and water, as well as handling and disposal practices for solid and hazardous wastes and which impose costs and damages associated with spills, disposal or other releases of hazardous substances. The Company believes that it is in substantial compliance with such requirements. Management does not believe that it will incur compliance costs pursuant to such requirements that would have a material adverse effect on the Company's consolidated financial position or future results of operations. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of the Company -- Environmental Matters."

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MANAGEMENT

DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

Set forth below is certain information concerning the individuals who will be directors and executive officers of the Company upon the closing of the Offerings.

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NAME	AGE	POSITION	COMPANY
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Kenneth L. Way	54	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer	28(1)
Robert E. Rossiter	48	President, Chief Operating Officer and Director	22(1)
James H. Vandenberghe	44	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	21
James A. Hollars	49	Senior Vice President International Operations	20
Barthold H. Hoemann	54	Senior Vice President North American JIT Operations	13
Theodore E. Melson	50	Senior Vice President Manufacturing Planning	6
Donald J. Stebbins	36	Vice President, Treasurer and Assistant Secretary	2
Joseph F. McCarthy	50	Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel	

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Larry W. McCurdy	58	Director	(1)
Jeffrey P. Hughes	53	Director	(2)
David P. Spalding	39	Director	(2)
James A. Stern	43	Director	(3)
Eliot Fried	61	Director	(3)
Robert W. Shower	56	Director	(4)
Gian Andrea Botta	40	Director	(5)

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- (1) Member of the Board of Directors of the Company since 1988.
- (2) Member of the Board of Directors of the Company since September 1991.
- (3) Member of the Board of Directors of the Company since the Merger and Director of Holdings from September 1991 until the Merger.
- (4) Member of the Board of Directors of the Company since the Merger and Director of Holdings from November 1991 until the Merger.
- (5) Member of the Board of Directors of the Company since the Merger and Director of Holdings from July 1993 until the Merger.

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Set forth below is a description of the business experience of each director and executive officer of the Company.

Kenneth L. Way. Mr. Way was elected to and has held the position of Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of the Company since 1988. Prior to this he served as Corporate Vice President, Automotive Group of Lear Siegler, Inc. ("LSI") since October 1984. During the previous six years, Mr. Way was President of LSI's General Seating Division. Prior to this, he was President of LSI's Metal Products Division in Detroit for three years. Other positions held by Mr. Way during his 28 years with LSI include Manufacturing Manager of the Metal Products Division and Manager of Production Control for the Automotive Division in Detroit. Mr. Way also serves as a director of Hayes Wheels International Incorporated.

Robert E. Rossiter. Mr. Rossiter became President of the Company in 1984 and a Director and the Chief Operating Officer of the Company in 1988. He joined LSI in 1971 in the Material Control Department at the Automotive Division, then joined the Metal Products Division of LSI as Production Control Manager, and subsequently moved into sales and sales management. In 1979, he joined the General Seating Division as Vice President of Sales and worked in that position, as well as Vice President of Operations, until 1984.

James H. Vandenberghe. Mr. Vandenberghe was appointed Senior Vice President --- Finance, Secretary and Chief Financial Officer of the Company in 1988. He was appointed Executive Vice President of the Company in 1993. He joined LSI's Automotive Division in 1973 as a financial analyst and was promoted to positions at the Metal Products Division and the Automotive Group office, and in 1978 was named the Vice President -- Finance for the Plastics Division. In 1983, Mr. Vandenberghe was appointed Vice President -- Finance for the General Seating Division. Prior to 1988, Mr. Vandenberghe had been responsible for project management, United States operations, and international operations of the Company.

James A. Hollars. Mr. Hollars is currently Senior Vice President -International Operations of the Company. He was promoted to Vice President -International upon the sale of LSI's Power Equipment Division to Lucas
Industries in 1988. Mr. Hollars joined LSI's Metal Products Division in 1973 as
the Manufacturing Manager and later served as Vice President -- Manufacturing
for No-Sag Spring Division. In 1979, he was named President of the Foam Products
Division and was subsequently promoted to President at the Anchorlok Division in
1985 and the Power Equipment Division in 1986.

Barthold H. Hoemann. Mr. Hoemann is Senior Vice President -- North American JIT Operations of the Company. He was promoted to this position in 1993. Previously he served as Vice President -- Component Operations for Seating in 1992 and 1993 and as Vice President and General Manager of Lear's subsidiary, Lear Plastics Corporation, in 1991 and 1992. From 1988 until 1991, Mr. Hoemann was the Chief Executive Officer of Peerless Corporation. Mr. Hoemann has over 30 years experience as a senior manager and officer in manufacturing companies such as the AC Spark Plug Division of General Motors and the Plastics and Peerless Divisions of LSI.

Theodore E. Melson. Mr. Melson is Senior Vice President -- Manufacturing Planning of the Company. Mr. Melson was promoted to Senior Vice President in 1992, before which he was responsible for all North American JIT Operations of the Company. Mr. Melson joined the Seating Group in 1987 after 25 years with General Motors. His latest assignment at General Motors was as Director of Materials Management at the Willow Run assembly plant. During his General Motors career, he worked for Fisher Body Division, Chevrolet Division, General Motors Assembly Division and Buick-Olds-Cadillac Division. He held positions in many areas of Materials, Manufacturing Systems Development, Forward Planning and

Donald J. Stebbins. Mr. Stebbins is currently Vice President and Treasurer of the Company. He joined the Company in June 1992 from Bankers Trust Company, New York, where he was Vice President for four years. Prior to his tenure at Bankers Trust Company, Mr. Stebbins held positions at Citibank, N.A. and The First National Bank of Chicago.

Joseph F. McCarthy. Mr. McCarthy will join Lear as Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel effective April 1, 1994. Mr. McCarthy currently serves as Vice President -- Legal and Secretary for both Hayes Wheels International, Inc. and Kelsey-Hayes Company. Prior to joining Hayes Wheels International,

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Inc. and Kelsey-Hayes Company, Mr. McCarthy was a partner in the law firm of Kreckman & McCarthy from 1973 to 1983.

Larry W. McCurdy. Mr. McCurdy became a Director of the Company in 1988. Mr. McCurdy has been the President and Chief Executive Officer of Moog Automotive, Inc. since November 1985, and prior thereto President and Chief Operating Officer of Echlin, Inc. ("Echlin"), since August 1983, after serving as Vice President of Finance from February 1983. Prior to joining Echlin, he served in various material positions with Tenneco, Inc. He was formerly Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Motor and Equipment Manufacturing Association (MEMA). At the present time he serves as a director of Mohawk Industries, Inc., Breed Technologies, Inc. and as a trustee of Millikin University.

Jeffrey P. Hughes. Mr. Hughes became a Director of the Company in September 1991. He has been a Managing Director of Lehman Brothers Inc. for more than five years, and is a Director of Sun Distributors, L.P. and Parisian, Inc.

David P. Spalding. Mr. Spalding became a Director of the Company in September 1991. He has been a Managing Director of Lehman Brothers Inc. since February 1991. Previously, he held the position of Senior Vice President of Lehman Brothers Inc. from September 1988 to February 1991. From April 1987 to September 1988, he was Senior Vice President of General Electric Capital Corporation Corporate Finance Group, Inc. Prior to 1987 he was Vice President of The First National Bank of Chicago. Mr. Spalding is a Director of Parisian, Inc., American Marketing Industries Holdings Inc. and SLB/GP Inc.

James A. Stern. Mr. Stern became a Director of the Company on December 31, 1993 upon consummation of the Merger. From September 1991 until the Merger, Mr. Stern was a Director of Holdings. He has been a Managing Director of Lehman Brothers Inc. for more than five years. He is also a director of K&F Industries Inc., American Marketing Industries Holdings Inc., Infinity Broadcasting Corporation, R.P. Scherer Corporation and Noel Group, Inc.

Eliot Fried. Mr. Fried became a Director of the Company on December 31, 1993 upon consummation of the Merger. From September 1991 until the Merger, Mr. Fried was a Director of Holdings. He has been a Managing Director of Lehman Brothers Inc. for more than five years. Mr. Fried is a director of Bridgeport Machines, Inc., Energy Ventures Corporation and American Marketing Industries Holdings Inc.

Robert W. Shower. Mr. Shower became a Director of the Company on December 31, 1993 upon consummation of the Merger. From November 1991 until the Merger, Mr. Shower was a Director of Holdings. Mr. Shower was appointed Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Seagull Energy Corporation in March 1992, elected a director in May 1992, and recently named Executive Vice President. Prior thereto, he served as Senior Vice President of Corporate Development at Albert Fisher, Inc. in 1991 and 1992, Vice President of Finance and CFO at AmeriServ in 1990 and 1991 and as a Managing Director of Corporate Finance with Lehman Brothers Inc. from 1986 to 1990. From 1964 to 1986, Mr. Shower served in a variety of financial executive positions with The Williams Companies where he was a member of the Board of Directors and Executive Vice President of Finance and Administration from 1977 to 1986.

Gian Andrea Botta. Mr. Botta became a Director of the Company on December 31, 1993 upon consummation of the Merger. Prior to the Merger, Mr. Botta was a Director of Holdings. Mr. Botta has been President of IFINT-USA Inc., an affiliate of FIMA, since 1993 and was Vice President of Acquisitions of IFINT-USA Inc. for more than five years prior thereto. Mr. Botta is a member of the Board of Directors of Kendall International, ICF International, and Chartwell Re Corporation.

Pursuant to the Company's Restated Certificate of Incorporation, which will be in effect upon the closing of the Offerings, the Board of Directors will be divided into three classes of directors serving staggered three-year terms. The Company anticipates that Messrs. Way, McCurdy and Fried will be in the class of directors whose terms will expire in 1995; Messrs. Rossiter, Shower and Stern

will be in the class of directors whose terms will expire in 1996; and Messrs. Botta, Spalding and Hughes will be in the class of directors whose terms will expire in 1997. All directors of each class will hold their positions until the annual meeting of stockholders at which the terms of the directors in such class expire, or until their respective successors are elected and

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qualified. The Lehman Funds have agreed with FIMA to elect Gian Andrea Botta as a director of the Company with a term expiring in 1997. Mr. Botta is President of IFINT-USA Inc., an affiliate of FIMA.

The Board of Directors has established permanent executive, audit and compensation committees. The membership of each of these committees is determined from time to time by the Board of Directors. The current members of the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors are Messrs. Hughes, Spalding, Stern, Way and Rossiter. The current members of the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors are Messrs. Shower and McCurdy. The current members of the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors are Messrs. Hughes, Spalding and McCurdy.

Directors of the Company who are not currently receiving compensation as officers or employees of the Company or Lehman Brothers Inc. receive an annual fee of \$20,000 and a fee of \$1,000 for each meeting of the Board of Directors or any committee thereof that they attend, provided that directors are not paid a fee for any additional meetings which are held on the same day. Directors are also reimbursed for their expenses incurred in attending meetings. In addition, directors of the Company are eligible to receive grants of stock options under the 1994 Stock Option Plan. See "Management -- 1994 Stock Option Plan." Prior to the commencement of the Offerings, Messrs. Shower and McCurdy will each receive options to purchase 10,000 shares of Common Stock under the 1994 Stock Option Plan.

Officers of the Company are elected by the Board of Directors and serve at the discretion of the Board. Messrs. Way, Rossiter, Vandenberghe, Hollars, Hoemann, Melson, Stebbins and McCarthy have employment agreements with the Company. See "Management -- Employment Agreements."

EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

The following table summarizes information concerning annual and long-term cash and non-cash compensation paid to or accrued for the benefit of the Chief Executive Officer and each of the four other most highly compensated executive officers of the Company (collectively, the "named executive officers") for all services rendered in all capacities to the Company for the six months ended December 31, 1993 and for each of the Company's fiscal years ending June 30, 1993, 1992 and 1991. In February 1994, the Company changed its fiscal year end from June 30 to December 31, effective December 31, 1993.

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SUMMARY COMPENSATION TABLE

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LONG-TERM COMPENSATION (4)

		ANI	NUAL COMPEN	SATION	N AWARDS			
NAME AND PRINCIPAL POSITIONS	PERIOD(1)	SALARY (\$)	BONUS (\$)(2)	OTHER ANNUAL COMPENSATION (\$)(3)	RESTRICTED STOCK AWARDS (#)	OPTIONS/ SARS (#)	PAYOUTS LTIP PAYOUTS (\$)	ALL OTHER COMPENSATION (\$)(5)
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Kenneth L. Way	6 months	\$237,000	\$237,500	\$830,000				\$5,000
Chairman of the Board and	FY1993	462,000	450,000			181,500		9,000
Chief Executive Officer	FY1992	452,000	315,000					
	FY1991	415,000	205,000					
Robert E. Rossiter	6 months	173,000	172,500	830,000				3,000
President, Chief Operating	FY1993	335,000	325,000			115,500		5,000
Officer and Director	FY1992	325,000	220,000					
	FY1991	300,000	145,000					
James H. Vandenberghe	6 months	123,000	127,500	277,000				3,000
Executive Vice President	FY1993	223,000	175,000			85,800		5,000
and Chief Financial Officer	FY1992	218,000	120,000					
	FY1991	200,000	82,000					

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James A. Hollars Senior Vice President International Operations	6 months FY1993 FY1992 FY1991	127,000 230,000 208,000 198,000	68,000 125,000 100,000 60,000	277,000	66,000	3,000 3,000
Theodore E. Melson Senior Vice President Manufacturing Planning	6 months FY1993 FY1992 FY1991	109,000 212,000 211,000 200,000	54,000 102,000 90,000 60,000	277,000	66,000	3,000 5,000

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- (1) The six month period listed is the six months ended December 31, 1993 and the fiscal years are the fiscal years ended June 30, 1993, 1992 and 1991.
- (2) Pursuant to the Company's Senior Executive Incentive Compensation Plan, the Company awards annual bonuses to its executive officers based on the attainment of financial and nonfinancial objectives. All bonuses set forth in this column were awarded pursuant to the Senior Executive Incentive Compensation Plan. For a description of the Senior Executive Incentive Compensation Plan and the criteria used for the determination of awards thereunder, see "Management -- Senior Executive Incentive Compensation Plan."
- (3) Consists of one-time payments to the named executive officers.
- (4) The Company does not have restricted stock award plans or long-term incentive plans and has not granted stock appreciation rights ("SARs").
- (5) Includes 401(k) contributions made and life insurance premiums paid by the Company on behalf of the named executive officers.

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The following table provides information, with respect to the named executive officers of the Company, concerning the grants of stock options during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 and the potential value of unexercised options on an aggregated basis. No stock options were granted to any such officers during the six months ended December 31, 1993.

OPTION GRANTS IN THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1993

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	NUMBER OF SECURITIES UNDERLYING	% OF TOTAL OPTIONS GRANTED TO			ASSUMED A	CALIZABLE VALUE AT ANNUAL RATES OF APPRECIATION FOR
	OPTIONS GRANTED	EMPLOYEES IN FISCAL	EXERCISE OR BASE PRICE	EXPIRATION	OP'I	CION TERM
NAME	(#)(1)	YEAR	(\$/SHARE)	DATE	5%(\$)	10%(\$)
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Kenneth L. Way	181,500	13.2%	\$5.00	6-1-2002	\$ 501,000	\$1,232,000
Robert E. Rossiter	115,500	8.4%	5.00	6-1-2002	319,000	784,000
James H. Vandenberghe	85,800	6.2%	5.00	6-1-2002	237,000	582,000
James A. Hollars	66,000	4.8%	5.00	6-1-2002	182,000	448,000
Theodore E. Melson<	66,000	4.8%	5.00	6-1-2002	182,000	448,000

⁽¹⁾ For a discussion of the options granted, see "Management -- 1992 Stock Option Plan" below.

The following table provides information, with respect to the named executive officers, concerning the exercise or settlement of stock options during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 and the six months ended December 31, 1993 and unexercised stock options held as of December 31, 1993.

AGGREGATED OPTION EXERCISES IN THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1993 AND THE SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993 AND OPTION VALUES AT DECEMBER 31, 1993

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VALUE OF

NUMBER OF UNEXERCISED

UNEXERCISED IN-THE-MONEY

OPTIONS AT OPTIONS AT

DECEMBER 31, DECEMBER 31,

1993 1993(1)

EXERCISABLE/ EXERCISABLE/

SHARES ACQUIRED ON

VALUE

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NAME	EXERCISE(#)	REALIZED(\$)	UNEXERCISABLE	UNEXERCISABLE	
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	
Kenneth L. Way			388,245/181,500	\$4,794,826/\$1,568,160	
Robert E. Rossiter			232,947/115,500	2,876,895/ 997,920	
James H. Vandenberghe			147,543/85,800	1,822,156/ 741,312	
James A. Hollars			147,543/66,000	1,822,156/ 570,240	
Theodore E. Melson			147,543/66,000	1,822,156/ 570,240	

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(1) Based on a Common Stock valuation of \$13.64 per share as of December 31, 1993.

COMPENSATION COMMITTEE INTERLOCKS AND INSIDER PARTICIPATION

Prior to the Merger, the Company's compensation policies were determined and executive officer compensation decisions were made by Holdings' Board of Directors and its Compensation Committee (the "Holdings Compensation Committee"). The Holdings Compensation Committee was comprised of three non-employee directors: Messrs. Hughes, McCurdy and Spalding. Messrs. Hughes and Spalding are both Managing Directors of Lehman Brothers Inc., an affiliate of the Lehman Funds. The Lehman Funds beneficially own approximately 66.9% of the Common Stock of the Company and, upon closing of the Offerings, will beneficially own approximately 57.6% of the Common Stock of the Company (in each case assuming all outstanding Warrants are exercised and no outstanding Options are exercised). For periods after the Merger, the Board of Directors of the Company has appointed a compensation committee (the "Compensation Committee") comprised of the same individuals who served on the Holdings Compensation Committee prior to the Merger.

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During the six months ended December 31, 1993 and the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993, the Holdings Compensation Committee and the Compensation Committee authorized the remuneration plans for senior management. In addition, the Holdings Compensation Committee and the Compensation Committee exercised administrative power with respect to the Company's remuneration plans. Neither the Board of Directors of Holdings or the Company rejected nor modified any action taken by the Holdings Compensation Committee or the Compensation Committee, respectively.

No member of the Holdings Compensation Committee or the Compensation Committee was, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1993 or the six months ended December 31, 1993, an officer, former officer or employee of Holdings, the Company or any of their subsidiaries. No executive officer of Holdings or the Company served as a member of (i) the compensation committee of another entity in which one of the executive officers of such entity served on the Holdings Compensation Committee, (ii) the Board of Directors of another entity in which one of the executive officers of such entity served on the Holdings Compensation Committee or (iii) the compensation committee of another entity in which one of the executive officers of such entity served as a member of Holdings' or the Company's Board of Directors.

Lehman Brothers Inc., an affiliate of the Lehman Funds, acted as an underwriter in connection with the Company's public offering of the Senior Subordinated Notes and the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes and is acting as an underwriter in the Offerings contemplated hereby. Lehman Brothers Inc. also provided advisory services to the Company in connection with the Equity Investment (as defined herein) and the consummation of the Credit Agreement, for which it received fees. In addition, Lehman Commercial Paper Inc., an affiliate of the Lehman Funds, is a managing agent and a lender under the Credit Agreement. See "Certain Transactions."

SENIOR EXECUTIVE INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN

Lear has established a Senior Executive Incentive Compensation Plan effective July 1, 1989 (the "Senior Executive Incentive Plan"). The Senior Executive Incentive Plan provides for the assignment of target annual awards expressed as a percentage of a participant's annual salary, and the actual award, unless modified by the Board of Directors, will vary from 0% to 167% of the target award opportunity based on attainment of financial and nonfinancial objectives. The financial criteria, representing 60% of the bonus potential, are based on achievement of a targeted level of pre-tax operating income and cash flow for the overall Company based on the approved operating budget. An overall average threshold is calculated, based on the ratio that the actual pre-tax operating income and actual cash flow bear to the budget pre-tax operating income and the budget cash flow. No payments are made unless 85% of that threshold is attained, and a maximum attainment is set at 120% of that threshold. The nonfinancial criteria, representing 40% of the bonus potential, are based on the achievement of specific individual objectives that are determined by the Chief Executive Officer and approved by the Board of Directors of Lear. Participants in the Senior Executive Incentive Plan were selected from executives who were in positions to materially influence the annual financial results of Lear in the targeted areas. In the twelve month period ending December 31, 1994, the target award opportunities under the Senior Executive Incentive Plan for each of Messrs. Way, Rossiter, Vandenberghe, Hollars and Melson are \$285,000, \$207,000, \$153,000, \$115,000 and \$112,500, respectively.

MANAGEMENT INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN

Lear has established a Management Incentive Compensation Plan effective July 1, 1989 (the "Management Incentive Plan") for certain individuals who are not participants in the Senior Executive Incentive Plan. The Management Incentive Plan provides for the assignment of target annual awards expressed as a percentage of a participant's annual salary, and the actual award will vary from 0% to 140% of the target award opportunity based on attainment of financial and nonfinancial objectives. The financial criteria, representing 50% of the bonus potential, are based on achievement of a targeted level of pre-tax operating income and cash flow for the overall Company based on the approved operating budget. An overall average threshold is calculated, based on the ratio that the actual pre-tax operating income and actual cash flow bear to the budget pre-tax operating income and the budget cash flow. No payments are made unless 85% of that threshold is attained, and a maximum attainment is set at 120% of that threshold. The nonfinancial criteria, representing 50% of the bonus potential, are based on the achievement of specific individual objectives that are determined

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by the senior management and approved by the Chief Executive Officer of Lear. Participants in the Management Incentive Plan were selected from managers who were in positions to materially influence the annual financial results of Lear in the targeted areas.

PENSION PLAN AND BENEFITS

The executive officers (as well as other employees of Lear) participate in the Lear Seating Corporation (LSC) Pension Plan (the "Pension Plan"). The Pension Plan is a qualified pension plan under the Internal Revenue Code, which is integrated with Social Security benefits. Any active employee of Lear who was a participant in the Lear Siegler Diversified Holding Corp. Pension Plan on September 29, 1988, is eligible to participate, and each other eligible employee (non-union employees not covered by another pension plan and certain union employees) becomes a participant on the July 1st or January 1st following completion of one year of service. The benefits are funded by employer contributions that are determined under accepted actuarial principles and applicable Federal tax law.

The Pension Plan contains three sets of benefit provisions: the Lear provisions, the Fabricated Products Operations ("FPO") provisions, and the Progress Pattern provisions. The Lear provisions are the principal provisions of the Pension Plan (see below). The FPO and Progress Pattern provisions are grandfathering provisions carried forward from the Lear Siegler Diversified Holdings Corp. Pension Plan, and apply to those participants who were covered by such provisions of that plan.

Under the Lear formula, pension benefits are based on a participant's "final average earnings," which is the average compensation for the highest five consecutive calendar year earnings of the last 15 years of employment. Compensation includes all cash compensation reported for federal income tax purposes excluding sales incentive bonuses. Assuming retirement at age 65, the annual retirement benefit (based on a life annuity) is equal to the greater of:

- a. 1.10% times final average earnings times years of credited service (to a maximum of 25 years) plus 0.65% times final average earnings in excess of covered compensation times credited service (to a maximum of 25 years), or
- b. \$177.00 times years of credited service.

Covered compensation is a 35 year average of the Social Security Taxable Wage Base as defined in I.R.S. Notice 89-70.

Participants who are former FPO employees (as of December 31, 1985), or are former employees of Progress Pattern Corporation (as of November 30, 1984), are eligible to have their pension determined through the application of a floor provision, which guarantees a minimum pension benefit. Pension benefits will be calculated in two ways, using first the new Pension Plan formula, and then using the floor provision. If the pension benefits are greater by applying the floor provision, then the participants will receive benefits under the floor provision.

Assuming retirement at age 65, by applying the floor provision the benefit

- b. 0.65% times final average earnings in excess of \$10,000 times years of credited service (to a maximum of 35 years).

Participants formerly covered by the Progress Pattern provisions were covered by the FPO provisions on and after October 1, 1989.

The benefits under the Pension Plan become vested if a participant was fully vested in the Lear Siegler Diversified Holdings Corp. Pension Plan, or upon the attainment of five years of combined vesting service under the Lear Siegler Diversified Holdings Corp. Pension Plan, and the Pension Plan, or upon completion of five years of service.

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The following table indicates estimated annual benefits payable upon normal retirement at age 65, based on a life annuity for various compensation levels and years of service classification, under the Lear provisions:

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ANNUAL BENEFIT FOR YEARS
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ANNUAL COMPENSATION	COVERED COMPENSATION	10	15	20	25	
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\$200,000	\$ 55,500	\$31,393	\$47,089	\$62 , 785	\$78,481	
250,000	55,500	36,443	54,665	72,886	91,108	
300,000	55 , 500	36,443	54,665	72,886	91,108	
350,000	55,500	36,443	54,665	72,886	91,108	
400,000	55 , 500	36,443	54,665	72,886	91,108	
450,000	55 , 500	36,443	54,665	72,886	91,108	
500,000	55,500	36,443	54,665	72,886	91,108	
and over						

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The following table indicates estimated annual benefits payable upon normal retirement at age 65, based on a life annuity for various compensation levels and years of service classifications under FPO provisions:

<TABLE>

ANNUAL BENEFIT FOR YEARS
OF SERVICE INDICATED*

ANNUAL SALARY	10	15	20	25
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
\$ 200,000	\$28,350	\$42,525	\$56 , 700	\$70 , 875
250,000	32,535	48,802	65,069	81,337
300,000	32,535	48,802	65,069	81,337
350,000	32,535	48,802	65,069	81,337
400,000	32,535	48,802	65,069	81,337
450,000	32,535	48,802	65,069	81,337
500,000	32,535	48,802	65,069	81,337
and over				

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Kenneth L. Way, Theodore E. Melson, and James A. Hollars are covered by the Lear provisions, and Robert E. Rossiter and James H. Vandenberghe are covered by the FPO provisions. At age 65, it is estimated that Kenneth L. Way will have 15 years of service with Lear; Robert E. Rossiter will have 21 years; Theodore E. Melson will have 19 years; James H. Vandenberghe will have 25 years; and James A. Hollars will have 20 years. The average annual compensation for participants covered by the Lear provisions is substantially similar to the compensation reported in the Summary Compensation Table. The compensation covered under the Pension Plan for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1993 was \$228,860 for Robert E.

^{*} The maximum annual retirement benefit under the Pension Plan for 1993 is \$91,108 and the maximum average compensation which can be considered in the determination of annual compensation for 1993 is \$228,860.

^{*} The maximum annual retirement benefit under the Pension Plan for 1993 is \$81,337 and the maximum average compensation which can be considered in the determination of annual compensation for 1993 is \$228,860.

Rossiter and James H. Vandenberghe, both of whom are covered under the FPO provisions.

The Pension Plan grants credit for all years of pension service with Lear Siegler Diversified Holdings Corp. and with Lear, and offsets the retirement benefit payable by the Lear Siegler Diversified Holdings Corp. Pension Plan against the benefit payable by the Pension Plan.

As an option to normal retirement, a participant who is age 55 or older with 10 years of service may elect to receive an early retirement benefit commencing at age 55 or older.

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401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Lear adopted a plan effective February 1, 1989 pursuant to Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code (the "401(k) Plan") for non-union employees who have completed a three month period of service and attained the age of twenty-one. Under the 401(k) Plan, each eligible employee may elect to defer a portion of his or her salary each year. The portion deferred will be paid by the Company to the trustee under the 401(k) Plan. Lear makes a matching contribution to the plan each month on behalf of each participant in an amount equal to 50% of such participant's salary deferral contributions which are not in excess of 4% of such participant's compensation, provided however, that the matching contribution for a participant in any year may not exceed \$1,150. Matching contributions become vested under the 401(k) Plan at a rate of 20% for each full year of service. For the period ending June 30, 1993, each of the Chief Executive Officer and the named executive officers of the Company received the maximum matching contribution under the plan of \$1,150.

1988 STOCK OPTION PLAN

Under a stock option plan dated September 29, 1988 (the "1988 Stock Option Plan"), the Company has outstanding options to purchase 2,080,815 shares of Common Stock, which are held by the Management Investors. All of these outstanding options are fully vested and are exercisable at \$1.29 per share.

SUPPLEMENTAL PENSION PLAN

Lear has maintained a supplemental pension plan (the "Supplemental Pension Plan") originally established for officers of Lear Siegler, Inc. The Supplemental Pension Plan provides supplemental retirement benefits in excess of those provided by the Lear and FPO plans previously discussed pursuant to a formula based on final average compensation and credited years of service. Employees of Lear who were participants in the Supplemental Pension Plan for officers of Lear Siegler, Inc. at September 30, 1988 are eligible to participate in the Supplemental Pension Plan. Mr. Way is the only officer of Lear who is a participant in the Supplemental Pension Plan. At age 65, Mr. Way will have 25 credited years of service under the Supplemental Pension Plan.

The following table indicates estimated supplemental annual benefits payable upon normal retirement at age 65 based on a life annuity for various compensation levels and years of service classifications under the Supplemental Pension Plan provisions:

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ANNUAL BENEFIT FOR YEARS OF SERVICE INDICATED

ANNU	JAL SALARY	10	15	20	25
<s></s>		<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
\$	300,000	\$ 12,450	\$ 18,674	\$ 24,899	\$ 31,124
	400,000	29,950	44,924	59 , 899	74,874
	500,000	47,450	71,174	94,899	118,624
	600,000	64,950	94,424	129,899	162,374
	700,000	82,450	123,674	164,899	206,124
	800,000	99,950	149,924	199,899	219,874
	900,000	117,450	176,174	234,899	293,624
	1,000,000	134,950	202,424	269,899	337,374
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1992 STOCK OPTION PLAN

The Company has adopted the 1992 Stock Option Plan (the "1992 Stock Option Plan"), pursuant to which management employees are eligible to receive awards of stock options. The 1992 Stock Option Plan is administered by the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors. Subject to the terms of the 1992 Stock Option Plan, the Committee selects the management employees eligible to receive awards under the 1992 Stock Option Plan, determines the size of the

awards granted thereunder, and administers and interprets the plan.

Under the 1992 Stock Option Plan, the Company has outstanding options to purchase 1,914,000 shares of Common Stock, which are held by certain management personnel. All of these outstanding options are fully

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vested and generally become exercisable at \$5.00 per share as of September 28, 1996. However, if an option holder's employment with the Company terminates prior to September 28, 1996, other than by reason of retirement, such holder's options will not become exercisable until September 1, 2001. Options held by a holder retiring prior to September 28, 1996 will become exercisable on the earlier of two years from the date of retirement or September 28, 1996.

1994 STOCK OPTION PLAN

The Company has adopted the 1994 Stock Option Plan (the "1994 Stock Option Plan"), pursuant to which directors, officers and employees of the Company and other individuals who are primarily responsible for the management and success of the Company are entitled to receive awards of options. Each option granted pursuant to the 1994 Stock Option Plan shall be designated at the time of grant as either an "incentive stock option" or as a "non-qualified stock option."

The 1994 Stock Option Plan is administered by the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors. Subject to the terms of the 1994 Stock Option Plan, the Committee determines who among those eligible will be granted options, the time or times at which options will be granted, the number of shares to be subject to options, the duration of options, any conditions to the exercise of options, and the manner in and price at which options may be exercised.

Under the 1994 Stock Option Plan, the Company may grant options with respect to a total of 625,000 shares of Common Stock. The Compensation Committee will award options to purchase 498,750 shares of Common Stock (of which 173,500 will be granted to senior officers and directors of the Company) prior to the consummation of the Offerings, each having an exercise price equal to the per share public offering price in the Offerings.

Any key employee shall be eligible to receive incentive stock options or non-qualified stock options granted under the 1994 Stock Option Plan. Any employee, any director of the Company, whether or not an employee, and any other individual who in the judgment of the Compensation Committee performs valuable and important services for the Company shall be eligible to receive non-qualified stock options.

The exercise price of each option issued under the 1994 Stock Option Plan is determined by the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, provided that in the case of incentive stock options, the exercise price may not be less than 100% of the grant date fair market value of the shares of Common Stock covered by such options. If an incentive stock option is granted to an employee who owns more than 10% of the total combined voting power of all classes of the Company's outstanding capital stock, then the exercise price thereof may not be less than 110% of the grant date fair market value of the Common Stock covered by such option.

Options granted under the 1994 Stock Option Plan may not be transferred other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution and, during the lifetime of the option holder, may be exercised solely by him. The aggregate fair market value (determined at the time the option is granted) of the shares as to which an employee may first exercise incentive stock options in any one calendar year may not exceed \$100,000. The Compensation Committee may impose any other conditions to exercise it deems appropriate.

EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS

Lear has entered into employment agreements with the individuals named in the Summary Compensation Table. The employment agreements, as amended, expire on October 1, 1995, and provide for, among other things, rates of compensation and bonuses. Each of Messrs. Way's, Rossiter's and Vandenberghe's employment agreement provides for an annual base salary of \$475,000, \$345,000, and \$255,000, respectively. Messrs. Hollars' and Melson's employment agreements provide for an annual base salary of \$265,000 and \$225,000, respectively. Increases in these salaries, as well as bonuses, are at the sole discretion of the Board of Directors of the Company.

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Each employment agreement provides that (i) upon the death of the employee, Lear will pay to his estate or designated beneficiary his full base salary for an additional 12 months; (ii) upon termination for disability, the employee will

receive all compensation payable under Lear's disability and medical plans and programs plus an additional payment from Lear so that the aggregate amount of salary continuation from all sources equals his base salary through the remaining term of the agreement; and (iii) upon termination for good reason, the employee will receive his full base salary to the end of the term of agreement. If the employment agreement is terminated for cause, the employee is only entitled to receive unpaid salary and benefits, if any, accrued through the effective date of the employee's termination.

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PRINCIPAL AND SELLING STOCKHOLDERS

The following table and accompanying footnotes set forth certain information regarding beneficial ownership of the Company's Common Stock as of January 31, 1994 prior to the Offerings and as adjusted to reflect the sale of 6,250,000 shares of Common Stock by the Company and 3,125,000 shares of Common Stock by the Selling Stockholder in the Offerings, (i) by the Selling Stockholder, (ii) by each person who is known by the Company to own beneficially more than 5% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock, (iii) by each director of the Company, (iv) by each named executive officer of the Company and (v) by all directors and executive officers of the Company as a group:

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	PRIOR TO OFF	FERINGS	AFTER OFFERINGS		
	NUMBER OF SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OWNED BENEFICIALLY(1)	PERCENTAGE OF COMMON STOCK	SHARES OF COMMON STOCK BEING OFFERED	NUMBER OF SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OWNED BENEFICIALLY(1)	PERCENTAGE OF COMMON STOCK
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Lehman Funds(2)	25,958,724	72.9%		25,958,724	62.0%
FIMA Finance					
Management Inc.(3)	8,635,044	24.3	3,125,000	5,510,044	13.2
Management Investors as a					
group(4)	3,133,911(5)	8.3		3,133,911(5)	7.1
Kenneth L. Way(6)(7)	573,969(8)	1.6		573,969(8)	1.4
Robert E. Rossiter(6)(7)	338,877(9)	*		338,877(9)	*
James H. Vandenberghe(7)	220,572(10)	*		220,572(10)	*
Thomas E. Melson(7)	210,243(11)	*		210,243(11)	*
James A. Hollars(7)	210,243(11)	*		210,243(11)	*
Total Executive Officers and					
Directors as a group					
(8 individuals)	1,587,069(12)	4.3		1,587,069(12)	3.7

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- (1) As of January 31, 1994 notices of exercise had been delivered to the warrant agent with respect to Warrants exercisable for 1,360,491 shares of Common Stock but no shares had been issued in exchange for such Warrants.
- (2) The number of shares beneficially owned by the Lehman Funds includes 9,293,955 shares of Common Stock and 30,096 Warrants owned by Lehman Brothers Merchant Banking Portfolio Partnership L.P. and 6,317,124 shares of Common Stock and 20,460 Warrants owned by Lehman Brothers Capital Partners II, L.P. (each located at Three World Financial Center, New York, New York 10285); 2,555,157 shares of Common Stock and 8,283 Warrants owned by Lehman Brothers Offshore Investment Partnership L.P. and 7,708,701 shares of Common Stock and 24,948 Warrants owned by Lehman Brothers Offshore Investment Partnership-Japan L.P. (each located at Clarendon House, Church Street, Hamilton HMCX, Bermuda). Lehman Brothers Merchant Banking Partners Inc. and Lehman Brothers II Investment Inc. are the general partners of Lehman Brothers Merchant Banking Portfolio Partnership L.P and Lehman Brothers Capital Partners II, L.P., respectively, and Lehman Brothers Offshore Partners Ltd. is the general partner of Lehman Brothers Offshore Investment Partnership-Japan L.P. and Lehman Brothers Offshore Investment Partnership L.P. Each such general partner may be deemed to ownbeneficially the shares directly owned by the entity of which it is the general partner. Each such general partner is an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Lehman Brothers Group Inc., which is a wholly owned subsidiary of Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc. Each of the partnerships may be deemed to share with Lehman Brothers Merchant Banking Partners Inc. the power to vote and the power to dispose of the shares owned by such partnership. The address of Lehman Brothers Merchant Banking Partners Inc. is Three World Financial Center, New York, New York 10285.
- (3) FIMA is a wholly-owned subsidiary of IFINT. IFINT, a Luxembourg

corporation, is the international investment holding company of IFI, the parent company of the Agnelli Group. The address of FIMA is Wickam's Cay, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands.

- (4) The Management Investors (the "Management Investors") include thirty-four individuals who are directors, officers or managers or employees of former employees of the Company. None of the Management Investors beneficially owns more than 5% of the Company's Common Stock.
- (5) The number of shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by the Management Investors includes 2,080,815 shares issuable under currently exercisable options and 40,293 Warrants. Excludes 1,194,600 shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of options that will generally become exercisable on September 28, 1996.
- (6) The individual is a director of the Company.
- (7) The individual is a named executive officer of the Company.
- (8) Includes 388,245 shares of Common Stock issuable under currently exercisable options and 3,894 Warrants.
- (9) Includes 232,947 shares of Common Stock issuable under currently exercisable options.
- (10) Includes 147,543 shares of Common Stock issuable under currently exercisable options and 3,366 Warrants.
- (11) Includes 147,543 shares of Common Stock issuable under currently exercisable options.
- (12) Excludes 726,000 shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of options that will generally become exercisable on September 28, 1996.

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CERTAIN TRANSACTIONS

THE 1988 ACQUISITION

At the closing of the 1988 Acquisition on September 30, 1988, Kidder, Peabody Group Inc. ("KPG"), certain Management Investors, and certain other investors purchased an aggregate of 19,758,750 shares of Common Stock. On October 6, 1988, FIMA first acquired an ownership interest in the Company by purchasing 6,435,000 shares of Common Stock of the Company from KPG.

THE 1991 TRANSACTIONS

On September 27, 1991, the Company engaged in a series of related transactions (the "1991 Transactions") for the purpose of raising additional capital to repay a portion of the Company's outstanding indebtedness under its credit agreement (the "Original Credit Agreement") and to fund the acquisition of Lear Seating Sweden, AB ("LS Sweden"). A portion of the payments made under the Company's Original Credit Agreement increased availability thereunder, which was used to finance expansion of the Company's operations. As part of the 1991 Transactions, (i) the Company sold an aggregate of 14,999,985 additional shares of the Company's Common Stock to the Lehman Funds and FIMA at a price of \$5.00per share for an aggregate amount of approximately \$75.0 million (the "Stock Sale"); (ii) the Lehman Funds purchased all of the Company's outstanding Common Stock and Warrants owned by GECC and all of the Company's outstanding Common Stock owned by INVEST; (iii) the Lehman Funds and FIMA purchased the Company's outstanding Common Stock held by MH Capital Partners, Inc.; (iv) the Company entered into certain amendments to the Original Credit Agreement; and (v) the Company borrowed \$20.0 million from GECC, which was secured by a First Mortgage and Security Agreement covering certain of Lear's domestic facilities, machinery and equipment (the "GECC Mortgage Loan"), the entire proceeds of which were used to repay permanently a portion of the term loans outstanding under the Original Credit Agreement.

After giving effect to the 1991 Transactions (i) the Lehman Funds owned a total of 22,874,940 shares of the Company's Common Stock and Warrants exercisable for an additional 83,787 shares of the Company's Common Stock, or approximately 62.3% of the Company's outstanding Common Stock (assuming the exercise of all outstanding Warrants and Options) for an aggregate consideration of approximately \$114.8 million and (ii) FIMA acquired an additional 1,200,045 shares of the Company's Common Stock at an aggregate consideration of approximately \$6.0 million, for a total of 7,635,045 shares of the Company's Common Stock, or approximately 20.7% of the Company's outstanding Common Stock (assuming the exercise of all outstanding Warrants and Options). For additional information regarding the 1991 Transactions, see the consolidated financial statements of the Company included elsewhere in this Prospectus.

Proceeds from the Stock Sale and the GECC Mortgage Loan were utilized to purchase the stock of LS Sweden from GECC for \$100,000, to repay GECC's financing to LS Sweden of approximately \$7.3 million, to pay down term loans under the Original Credit Agreement by \$48.5 million, to pay down borrowings under the Original Credit Agreement by \$32.0 million, and to pay fees and expenses of approximately \$7.7 million related to the 1991 Transactions. Included in the \$7.7 million in fees and expenses is \$4.5 million paid to Lehman Brothers Inc. for fees related to the above transactions. The remainder of the fees related to legal and administrative expenses incurred by the Company, Lehman Brothers Inc., FIMA and GECC related to the Stock Sale and the GECC Mortgage Loan which were paid by the Company.

Subsequent to the 1991 Transactions, on June 1, 1992 a new Bank Act (the "Bank Act") was enacted in Canada requiring an order of the Minister of Finance (Canada) to permit the Lehman Funds to continue to hold their existing indirect investment in Lear's Canadian operations. An application for an order has been made and, based upon advice of their Canadian counsel, the Lehman Funds anticipate receipt of such order. Should the application for the order be denied, Lear could, among other things, move its operations out of Canada or divest such operations or the Lehman Funds could, among other things, reduce their indirect ownership of the voting shares of Lear's Canadian companies below 10% to comply with the Bank Act.

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SENIOR SUBORDINATED NOTE OFFERING AND EQUITY INVESTMENT

In order to support the Company's future expansion in North America and Europe, in July 1992, the Company entered into an agreement to sell \$20.0 million of Common Stock to its major stockholders, the Lehman Funds and FIMA (the "Equity Investment"). Simultaneous with the Equity Investment, the Company effected a public offering of \$125.0 million of the Senior Subordinated Notes. Lehman Brothers Inc., an affiliate of the Lehman Funds, acted as an underwriter in connection with the offering and received underwriting fees of approximately \$2.2 million. Lehman Brothers Inc. and IFINT received fees of approximately \$450,000 and \$150,000, respectively, for advisory services rendered to the Company in connection with the Equity Investment and the public offering of the Senior Subordinated Notes. Mr. Botta is an officer of an affiliate of FIMA and serves as a director of the Company. Messrs. Hughes, Spalding, Stern and Fried, each a Managing Director of Lehman Brothers Inc., serve as directors of the Company.

Shortly after the Equity Investment, the Company sold 84,183 shares of Common Stock to eighteen employees of the Company for approximately \$421,000 in cash

THE NAB ACQUISITION AND THE CREDIT AGREEMENT

In connection with the NAB Acquisition and the consummation of the Credit Agreement, Lehman Brothers Inc., an affiliate of the Lehman Funds, provided certain advisory and valuation services to the Company for which it received aggregate fees of approximately \$1.0 million. In addition, Lehman Commercial Paper Inc., an affiliate of the Lehman Funds, is a managing agent and a lender under the Credit Agreement for which it received and will continue to receive its proportionate share of payments made by the Company under the Credit Agreement.

8 1/4% SUBORDINATED NOTE OFFERING

On February 3, 1993 the Company effected a public offering of \$145.0 million of its 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes and applied the net proceeds therefrom to redeem \$135.0 million of its 14% Subordinated Debentures, together with premiums and accrued interest thereon. Lehman Brothers Inc., an affiliate of the Lehman Funds, acted as an underwriter in connection with the offering and received underwriting fees of approximately \$2.4 million.

THE OFFERINGS

Lehman Brothers Inc. is an Underwriter for the Offerings and will receive compensation in such capacity. See "Underwriting."

STOCKHOLDERS AND REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT

The Amended and Restated Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of September 27, 1991 (the "Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement"), among the Company, the Lehman Funds, FIMA and the Management Investors was entered into in connection with the 1991 Transactions. Upon consummation of the Offerings, the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement will be amended in order, among other things, to relax certain restrictions on transfers of Common Stock owned by the parties thereto and to remove the rights of each Management Investor to require the Company to purchase his or her shares upon death, disability and certain events of termination. Upon

consummation of the Offerings, the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement will provide, among other things, that (i) if FIMA desires to sell more than 5% of the fully diluted shares of Common Stock of the Company in a transaction or series of related transactions to a single third party (a "Substantial Sale") prior to September 27, 1995 or such later date prior to September 27, 2001 to which the right of the Lehman Funds to compel the transfer of the Company (described in clause (iii) below) is extended, FIMA must offer such shares to the Lehman Funds prior to offering them to such third party; (ii) the Lehman Funds, FIMA and, to a limited extent after September 27, 1996, the Management Investors will have the right to include their shares of Common Stock in Substantial Sales by the Lehman Funds and FIMA until September 27, 2001; and (iii) the Lehman Funds may compel all stockholders party to the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement to sell their shares

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of Common Stock, or otherwise cause the transfer thereof, in a sale of the Company prior to September 27, 1995 or such later date prior to September 27, 2001 selected by the Lehman Funds.

The Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement will continue (i) to place significant restrictions on the Management Investors' rights to transfer their shares to a third party prior to September 27, 1996 and (ii) to include certain registration rights. See "Description of Capital Stock -- Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement."

MANAGEMENT EQUITY PARTICIPATION

The Management Investors entered into Management Subscription Agreements with the Company dated as of September 29, 1988 (collectively, the "Management Equity Agreement") pursuant to which each of the Management Investors purchased Common Stock at \$3.03 per share for consideration consisting of cash and/or recourse or non-recourse promissory notes (the "Management Notes"). As of December 31, 1993, the outstanding balance of the Management Notes of each of Messrs. Way and Rossiter was approximately \$498,000 and the outstanding balance of the Management Notes of each of Messrs. Vandenberghe, Hollars and Melson was approximately \$166,000. Each of the Management Notes, including accrued interest, matures on January 25, 1997 and bears interest at a rate of LIBOR plus 1.50%.

In addition, pursuant to the 1988 Stock Option Plan, as of January 31, 1993, the Company granted to the Management Investors options to acquire an aggregate of up to 2,080,815 authorized but unissued shares of the Company's Common Stock. These options of the Management Investors vested over the course of three years and are exercisable for \$1.29 per share, in cash, which is lower than the \$3.03 per share paid in connection with the 1988 Acquisition. These options must be exercised within ten years of the date of grant. See "Management - -- 1988 Stock Option Plan."

Under the 1992 Stock Option Plan, the Company may grant up to 1,914,000 options to certain management personnel. As of December 31, 1993, all of these options have been granted and are vested. All options under the 1992 Stock Option Plan become exercisable at \$5.00 per share as of September 28, 1996 or sooner in the case of certain triggering events.

In addition, under the 1994 Stock Option Plan, directors, officers and employees of the Company may receive awards of stock options. See "Management -- 1994 Stock Option Plan."

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DESCRIPTION OF CERTAIN INDEBTEDNESS

CREDIT AGREEMENT

The Company is party to the Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of October 25, 1993 (as amended from time to time, the "Credit Agreement"), by and among the Company, as borrower, the financial institutions party thereto, Chemical Bank, as Agent (the "Agent"), and Bankers Trust Company, The Bank of Nova Scotia, Citicorp USA, Inc. and Lehman Commercial Paper Inc., as Managing Agents.

General. The Credit Agreement currently provides for (i) borrowings in a principal amount of up to \$425.0 million at any one time outstanding, (ii) swing line loans in a maximum aggregate amount of \$30.0 million, the commitment for which is part of the aggregate Credit Agreement commitment, and (iii) Letters of Credit in an aggregate face amount of up to \$75.0 million, the commitment for which is part of the aggregate Credit Agreement commitment. Commitments under the Credit Agreement will be permanently reduced by \$40.0 million every six months beginning October 31, 1996, and the Credit Agreement will expire on

October 31, 1998. Commitments under the Credit Agreement also will be permanently reduced by a percentage of the fair market value of certain accounts receivable sold pursuant to a permitted receivables financing program. Borrowings under the Credit Agreement, including the swing line loans, are collectively referred to herein as the "Loans." See "Capitalization," "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of the Company."

Interest. For purposes of calculating interest, the Loans can be, at the election of Lear, ABR Loans or Eurodollar Loans or a combination thereof. ABR Loans bear interest at the ABR (which is basically the prime rate) plus between 0% and 0.50%, depending on whether Lear satisfies certain financial ratios. Eurodollar Loans bear interest at the Eurodollar Rate plus between 0.75% and 1.50%, depending on whether Lear satisfies certain financial ratios.

Repayment. Subject to the provisions of the Credit Agreement, Lear may, from time to time, borrow, repay and reborrow under the Credit Agreement. The entire unpaid balance under the Credit Agreement is payable on October 31, 1998.

Security and Guarantees. The Loans are guaranteed by all of the Company's direct and indirect domestic subsidiaries. The Loans and such guarantees are variously secured by (i) a pledge to the Agent for the ratable benefit of the banks party to the Credit Agreement of all of the capital stock of each of the Company's domestic subsidiaries, and a pledge of certain stock of the Company's foreign subsidiaries; (ii) a grant of a security interest in substantially all of the assets of the Company and its domestic subsidiaries; and (iii) mortgages on substantially all of the property of the Company and its domestic subsidiaries.

Covenants. The Credit Agreement contains financial covenants relating to maintenance of consolidated net worth, of ratios of consolidated operating profit to consolidated cash interest expense and of consolidated operating profit. The Credit Agreement also contains restrictive covenants pertaining to the management and operation of the Company. The covenants include, among others, significant limitations on indebtedness, guarantees, mergers, acquisitions, fundamental corporate changes, capital expenditures, asset sales, leases, investments, loans and advances, liens, dividends and other stock payments, transactions with affiliates, optional payments and modification of debt instruments, issuance of stock and sale and leaseback transactions. The limitations on dividends on Common Stock include a provision allowing a maximum of \$2.5 million of such dividends in the aggregate per quarter, but only to the extent permitted by the indentures for the Senior Subordinated Notes and the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes. The Company does not intend to pay any cash dividends in the foreseeable future. See "Dividend Policy."

Events of Default. The Credit Agreement provides for events of default customary in facilities of this type, including: (i) failure to make payments when due; (ii) breach of covenants; (iii) breach of representations or warranties in any material respect when made; (iv) default under any agreement relating to debt for borrowed money in excess of \$5.0 million in the aggregate; (v) bankruptcy defaults; (vi) judgments in excess of \$5.0 million; (vii) ERISA defaults; (viii) any security document or guarantee ceasing to be in full force and effect; (ix) the subordination provisions in the instruments pursuant to which the Senior Subordinated Notes and the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes (or any refinancings thereof) were created ceasing to

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be in full force and effect or enforceable to the same extent purported to be created thereby; and (x) the failure of certain stockholders to continue to own or control sufficient number of shares of capital stock of the Company to elect a majority of the Board of Directors of the Company.

While the Company intends to use proceeds from the Offerings to repay indebtedness outstanding under the Credit Agreement, the Company does not intend to request a reduction in commitments thereunder.

FOREIGN CREDIT FACILITIES

Certain of the Company's foreign subsidiaries have outstanding credit facilities in Canada and Germany. In Canada, there is an outstanding revolving credit facility of up to 10.0 million Canadian dollars (or the approximate equivalent of U.S. \$7.5 million) which bears interest at the prime lending rate and matures in September 1995 (the "Canadian Loan"). The Canadian Loan is guaranteed by a letter of credit issued under the Credit Agreement.

In Germany, there is an outstanding term loan (the "German Term Loan") of 13.0 million deutschemarks (or the approximate equivalent of U.S. \$7.6 million), which bears interest at an effective annual rate of 9.125%, is payable in deutschemarks in quarterly installments of 500,000 deutschemarks through March 2000, and is collateralized by certain assets held by a German subsidiary. The agreements relating to the Canadian Loan and the German Term Loan also contain

Two of the Company's European subsidiaries factor their accounts receivable with a bank subject to limited recourse provisions and are charged a discount fee equal to the current LIBOR rate plus 1%. The amount of such factored receivables, which are not included in accounts receivable in the Company's consolidated balance sheet at December 31, 1993, was approximately \$38.5 million

In addition, certain of the Company's other foreign subsidiaries are parties to informal lines of credit.

SENIOR SUBORDINATED NOTES

In July 1992, the Company issued \$125.0 million of the Senior Subordinated Notes in a public offering. The Senior Subordinated Notes are subordinated in right of payment to all existing and future senior indebtedness of Lear and are senior in right of payment to the $8\ 1/4\%$ Subordinated Notes. Interest of $11\ 1/4\%$ per annum is payable in arrears on January 15 and July 15.

The indenture relating to the Senior Subordinated Notes (the "Senior Subordinated Note Indenture") limits among other things: (i) the making of any Restricted Payment (as defined in the Senior Subordinated Note Indenture); (ii) the incurrence of indebtedness with certain exceptions, including among other things, the indebtedness under the Credit Agreement, the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes, indebtedness existing on the date of the Senior Subordinated Note Indenture and certain indebtedness of foreign subsidiaries; (iii) the creation of liens; (iv) the incurrence of payment restrictions affecting subsidiaries; (v) entering into transactions with stockholders and affiliates; (vi) the sale of assets; (vii) the issuance of preferred stock; and (viii) the merger, consolidation or sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company. The Senior Subordinated Note Indenture also provides that a holder of the Senior Subordinated Notes may, under certain circumstances, have the right to require that Lear repurchase such holder's Senior Subordinated Notes upon a change of control of the Company.

"Restricted Payments" as defined in the Senior Subordinated Note Indenture include dividends on Common Stock and are generally not permitted unless (i) no Default or Event of Default (as such terms are defined in the Senior Subordinated Note Indenture) has occurred and is continuing at the time or will occur as a consequence of such Restricted Payment; (ii) after giving effect to such Restricted Payment, the aggregate amount expended for all Restricted Payments subsequent to March 28, 1992 does not exceed the sum of (x) 25% of Consolidated Net Income (as defined in the Senior Subordinated Note Indenture) of the Company (or in the case such Consolidated Net Income shall be a deficit, minus 100% of such deficit) during the period (treated as one accounting period) subsequent to March 28, 1992 and ending on the last day of the fiscal quarter immediately preceding such Restricted Payment and (y) the aggregate net proceeds received by the Company during such period from any person other than a subsidiary of the Company as a result of the

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issuance of capital stock of the Company (other than any Disqualified Stock (as defined in the Senior Subordinated Note Indenture)) or warrants, rights or options to purchase or acquire such capital stock and any contributions to the capital of the Company received by the Company from any such person less the amount of such net proceeds actually applied to purchase, redeem, acquire or otherwise retire shares of the Company's capital stock as permitted by the Senior Subordinated Note Indenture; and (iii) at the time of such Restricted Payment and after giving effect thereto, the Company or any subsidiary of the Company shall be able to incur an additional \$1.00 of Indebtedness pursuant to the general indebtedness test of the Senior Subordinated Note Indenture. The net proceeds of the Offerings would be included in calculating the amount described in clause (y) of clause (ii) above, and after giving pro forma effect to the Offerings, the amount available for Restricted Payments under the Senior Subordinated Note Indenture as of December 31, 1993 would be \$ Company does not anticipate paying any cash dividends in the foreseeable future. See "Dividend Policy."

The Senior Subordinated Notes mature on July 15, 2000 and may not be redeemed prior to July 15, 1997. On or after July 15, 1997, Lear may, at its option, redeem the Senior Subordinated Notes in whole or in part, on at least 30 days but not more than 60 days notice to each holder of the Senior Subordinated Notes to be redeemed, at 100% of their principal amount together with accrued and unpaid interest (if any) to the redemption date. The Senior Subordinated Notes are not subject to mandatory redemption prior to maturity.

8 1/4% SUBORDINATED NOTES

On February 3, 1994 the Company issued \$145.0 million of the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes in a public offering. The 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes are

subordinated in right of payment to all existing and future senior indebtedness of Lear, including indebtedness under the Credit Agreement and the Senior Subordinated Notes. Interest of 8 1/4% per annum is payable in arrears on February 1 and August 1.

The indenture relating to the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes (the "Subordinated Note Indenture") limits among other things: (i) the making of any Restricted Payment (as defined in the Subordinated Note Indenture); (ii) the incurrence of indebtedness with certain exceptions, including among other things, the indebtedness under the Credit Agreement, the Senior Subordinated Notes, indebtedness existing on the date of the Subordinated Note Indenture and certain indebtedness of foreign subsidiaries; (iii) the creation of liens; (iv) the incurrence of payment restrictions affecting subsidiaries; (v) entering into transactions with stockholders and affiliates; (vi) the sale of assets; (vii) the issuance of preferred stock; and (viii) the merger, consolidation or sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company. The Subordinated Note Indenture also provides that a holder of the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes may, under certain circumstances, have the right to require that Lear repurchase such holder's 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes upon a change of control of the Company.

"Restricted Payments" as defined in the Subordinated Note Indenture include dividends on Common Stock and are generally not permitted unless (i) no Default or Event of Default (as such terms are defined in the Subordinated Note Indenture) has occurred and is continuing at the time or will occur as a consequence of such Restricted Payment; (ii) after giving effect to such Restricted Payment, the aggregate amount expended for all Restricted Payments subsequent to December 31, 1993 does not exceed the sum of (x) 50% of Consolidated Net Income (as defined in the Subordinated Note Indenture) of the Company (or in the case such Consolidated Net Income shall be a deficit, minus 100% of such deficit) during the period (treated as one accounting period) subsequent to December 31, 1993 and ending on the last day of the fiscal quarter immediately preceding such Restricted Payment and (y) the aggregate net proceeds received by the Company during such period from any person other than a subsidiary of the Company as a result of the issuance of capital stock of the Company (other than any Disqualified Stock (as defined in the Subordinated Note Indenture)) or warrants, rights or options to purchase or acquire such capital stock and any contributions to the capital of the Company received by the Company from any such person less the amount of such net proceeds actually applied to purchase, redeem, acquire or otherwise retire shares of the Company's capital stock as permitted by the Subordinated Note Indenture; and (iii) at the time of such Restricted Payment and after giving effect thereto, the Company or any subsidiary of the company shall be able to incur an additional \$1.00 of Indebtedness pursuant to the general indebtedness test of the Subordinated Note Indenture. The net

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proceeds of the Offerings would be included in calculating the amount described in clause (y) of clause (ii) above, and after giving pro forma effect to the Offerings the amount available for Restricted Payments under the Subordinated Note Indenture as of December 31, 1993 would have been \$. The Company does not anticipate paying any cash dividends in the foreseeable future. See "Dividend Policy."

The 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes mature on February 1, 2002 and may not be redeemed prior to February 1, 1998. On or after February 1, 1998, Lear may, at its option, redeem the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes in whole or in part, on at least 15 days' but not more than 60 days' notice to each holder of the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes to be redeemed, at 101.65% of their principal amount prior to February 1, 1999 and 100% of their principal amount thereafter, in each case together with accrued and unpaid interest (if any) to the redemption date. The 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes are not subject to mandatory redemption prior to maturity.

DESCRIPTION OF CAPITAL STOCK

Upon the closing of the Offerings, the authorized capital stock of the Company will consist of 150,000,000 shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, and 15,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share.

COMMON STOCK

As of December 31, 1993, there were 38,800,014 shares of Common Stock outstanding (assuming the exercise of all outstanding Warrants). Holders of Common Stock are entitled to one vote per share on all matters to be voted upon by the stockholders. Cumulative voting is not permitted. Subject to preferences of any Preferred Stock that may be issued in the future, the holders of Common Stock are entitled to receive such dividends as may be declared by the Board of Directors. The Company is currently restricted under the terms of the Credit Agreement and of the Indentures governing the Senior Subordinated Notes and the 8 1/4% Subordinated Notes from paying dividends to holders of Common Stock. See "Description of Certain Indebtedness." In the event of a liquidation,

dissolution or winding up of the Company, and subject to preferences of any Preferred Stock that may be issued in the future, the Common Stock is entitled to receive pro rata all of the assets of the Company available for distribution to its stockholders. There are no redemption or sinking fund provisions applicable to the Common Stock. All outstanding shares of Common Stock are fully paid and non-assessable, and the shares of Common Stock to be outstanding upon the closing of the Offerings will be fully paid and non-assessable.

PREFERRED STOCK

Upon the closing of the Offerings the Board of Directors will have the authority to issue up to 15,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock in one or more series and to fix the rights, preferences, privileges and restrictions thereof, including dividend rights, dividend rates, conversion rates, voting rights, terms of redemption, redemption prices, liquidation preferences and the number of shares constituting any series or the designation of such series, which may be superior to those of the Common Stock, without further vote or action by the stockholders. Although it presently has no intention to do so, the Board of Directors, without stockholder approval, can issue Preferred Stock with rights that could adversely affect the Common Stock. The issuance of Preferred Stock may have the effect of delaying, deferring or preventing a change in control of the Company. There will be no shares of Preferred Stock outstanding upon the closing of the Offerings and the Company has no present plans to issue any Preferred Stock.

STOCKHOLDERS AND REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT

All of the current stockholders of the Company, other than holders who acquired shares of Common Stock upon the exercise of Warrants, and the Company are parties to the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement, which contains certain provisions as to the voting and transfer of Common Stock held by those stockholders. See "Certain Transactions -- Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement."

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Under the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement, the parties thereto who hold Common Stock have the following registration rights. On or prior to September 28, 1996, the holders of at least 20% of the fully diluted shares of Common Stock held by parties to the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement that have not been transferred pursuant to an effective registration statement or an exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act and that continue to bear a legend referencing such agreement ("Registrable Securities") may require the Company, subject to certain conditions, to effect the registration under the Securities Act of not less than 15% of the Registrable Securities. After September 28, 1996, the holders of at least 10% of the Registrable Securities may require the Company, subject to certain conditions, to effect the registration of not less than 10% of the Registrable Securities. Upon receipt of a valid registration request, the Company is required to notify other parties to the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement of such request, and those parties may, subject to certain conditions, require the Company to include any of their Registrable Securities in any registration statement filed pursuant to such request.

Unless the holders of Common Stock making a registration request otherwise consent in writing, no other person, other than a holder of Common Stock who is a party to the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement and who requests that its shares be included in such registration and, in the case of an underwritten offering, the Company, would be permitted to offer any securities pursuant to such registration. Subject to certain exceptions, the Company is required to pay all expenses incurred in connection with up to a maximum of four valid registration requests and, if any requested registration is in the form of an underwritten offering, the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement requires the Company to designate Lehman Brothers Inc. as the managing underwriter of the offering.

In addition to the demand registration rights summarized above, the parties to the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement also may, subject to certain limitations, require the Company to register their shares of Common Stock whenever the Company registers any of its equity securities under the Securities Act, whether for sale for its own account or not. The Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement provides for, in the case of underwritten offerings, certain registration priorities in the event that the managing underwriter advises the Company that the number of shares of Common Stock proposed to be included in any registration under the Securities Act exceeds the largest number of shares which can be sold without having an adverse effect on the offering. In addition, the Company and the other parties to the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement are subject to certain holdback provisions during the registration and sale of shares of Common Stock. Under the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement, the Company has agreed to indemnify selling stockholders against certain liabilities.

Upon completion of the Offerings, the Company will have outstanding 45,072,784 shares of Common Stock, assuming exercise of all outstanding Warrants. Of these shares, the 9,375,000 shares sold in the Offerings (10,312,500 shares if the Underwriters' over-allotment option is exercised in full) and any of the 3,300,000 shares of Common Stock issued and issuable upon exercise of the Warrants will be freely tradeable without restriction or further registration under the Securities Act except for shares purchased by "affiliates" of the Company, as such term is defined in Rule 144 under the Securities Act (which may generally be sold only in compliance with Rule 144 or Rule 701 under the Securities Act or pursuant to a subsequent registration). Upon completion of the Offerings, 32,521,864 shares of Common Stock outstanding upon completion of the Offerings (assuming no exercise of the Underwriters' over-allotment option) will be deemed "restricted securities" as defined in Rule 144 under the Securities Act and may not be resold without registration under the Securities Act or pursuant to an exemption from such registration, including exemptions provided by Rule 144 under the Securities Act.

In general, Rule 144 provides that, subject to its provisions and other applicable federal and state securities law requirements, any person (or persons whose shares are aggregated), including any person who may be deemed an "affiliate" of the Company, who has beneficially owned "restricted securities" for at least two years is entitled to sell, within any three-month period, a number of shares that does not exceed the greater of 1% of the total number of outstanding shares of the same class or the average weekly trading volume of the same class during the four calendar weeks preceding the sale. A person who is not deemed to have been

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an "affiliate" of the Company at any time during the 90 days preceding the sale and who has beneficially owned "restricted securities" for at least three years is entitled to sell such shares under Rule 144 without regard to any of the limitations described above.

The holders of substantially all of the shares of the Company's Common Stock deemed to be "restricted securities" will have registration rights which would permit such holders to sell their shares without regard to the restrictions imposed by Rule 144. See "Description of Capital Stock -- Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement."

The holders of 32,540,674 shares of Common Stock, including all of the Company's executive officers, have entered into lock-up agreements with the Underwriters providing that the holders will not offer, sell or otherwise dispose of any shares for a period of 180 days from the date of this Prospectus without the prior written consent of the representatives of the Underwriters. See "Underwriting."

CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE RESTATED CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION AND AMENDED AND RESTATED BY-LAWS

The by-laws of the Company provide that the Company shall indemnify each officer and director of the Company to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law. The Restated Certificate of Incorporation also provides that, to the fullest extent permitted by the Delaware General Corporation Law, the directors of the Company shall be indemnified by the Company and shall not be liable to the Company or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director.

Certain provisions of the Company's Restated Certificate of Incorporation and by-laws may have the effect of preventing, discouraging or delaying any change in control of the Company and may maintain the incumbency of the Board of Directors and management. The authorization of undesignated Preferred Stock will make it possible for the Board of Directors to issue Preferred Stock without voting or other rights or preferences that could impede the success of any attempt to change control of the Company. The Company's Restated Certificate of Incorporation provides that the Board of Directors of the Company will be divided into three classes serving staggered three-year terms. Directors can be removed from office only for Cause (as defined below) and only by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the then-outstanding shares of capital stock entitled to vote generally in an election of directors. Vacancies on the Board of Directors may be filled only by the remaining directors and not by the stockholders. "Cause" is defined as the willful and continuous failure substantially to perform one's duties to the Company or the willful engaging in gross misconduct materially and demonstrably injurious to the Company.

The by-laws provide that special meetings of stockholders may be called by the chairman, the president, any vice president, the secretary or any assistant secretary of the Company and must be called by any such officer at the request in writing of a majority of the Board of Directors or at the request in writing of stockholders owning at least a majority of the capital stock of the Company

issued and outstanding and entitled to vote. The by-laws establish an advance notice procedure for the nomination, other than by or at the direction of the Board of Directors, of candidates for election as directors as well as for other stockholder proposals to be considered at annual meetings of stockholders. In general, notice of intent to nominate a director must be received by the secretary of the Company not less than 60 nor more than 90 days prior to the date of the annual meeting, and must contain certain specified information concerning the person to be nominated. Notice of intent to raise business at such meeting must be received by the secretary of the Company not less than 120 nor more than 150 days prior to the first anniversary of the date of the Company's consent solicitation or proxy statement released in connection with the previous year's meeting.

DELAWARE ANTI-TAKEOVER LAW

Upon the closing of the Offerings, the Company will be subject to the provisions of Section 203 of the Delaware General Corporation Law (the "Anti-Takeover Law") regulating corporate takeovers. The Anti-Takeover Law prevents certain Delaware corporations, including those whose securities are listed on the New York Stock Exchange, from engaging, under certain circumstances, in a "business combination" (which includes a merger or sale of more than 10% of the corporation's assets) with any "interested stockholder" (a stockholder who acquired 15% or more of a corporation's outstanding voting stock without the prior approval

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of the corporation's board of directors) for three years following the date that such stockholder became an "interested stockholder." The current stockholders of the Company will not, by virtue of their current holdings, be deemed to be "interested stockholders" under this statute. A Delaware corporation may "opt out" of the Anti-Takeover Law with an express provision in its original certificate of incorporation or an express provision in its certificate of incorporation or bylaws resulting from a stockholders' amendment approved by at least a majority of the outstanding voting shares. The Company has not "opted out" of the provisions of the Anti-Takeover Law.

TRANSFER AGENT AND REGISTRAR

The Transfer Agent and Registrar for the Company's Common Stock is The Bank of New York, located in New York, New York.

LISTING

The Company has filed an application to list the Common Stock on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol LEA.

CERTAIN UNITED STATES FEDERAL TAX CONSIDERATIONS FOR NON-U.S. HOLDERS OF COMMON STOCK

The following is a general discussion of certain U.S. federal income and estate tax consequences of the ownership and disposition of Common Stock by a holder that is not a "U.S. person" (a "non-U.S. holder"). A "U.S. person" is a person or entity that, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, is a citizen or resident of the United States, a corporation or partnership created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States or of any political subdivision thereof, or an estate or trust whose income is includible in gross income for United States federal income tax purposes regardless of its source. An individual may be deemed to be a resident of the United States for U.S. federal income tax purposes either by reason of an election or by being present in the United States on at least 31 days in the calendar year and for an aggregate of 183 days taken into account during the three-year period ending with the current calendar year. For purposes of that determination, all of the days present in the United States during the current year, one-third of the days present during the immediately preceding year and one-sixth of the days present during the second preceding year are taken into account. A special definition of U.S. resident applies for U.S. federal estate tax purposes. Resident aliens are subject to U.S. federal tax as if they were U.S. citizens.

This discussion is based on the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code") and administrative and judicial interpretations as of the date hereof, all of which may be changed either retroactively or prospectively. This discussion does not address all the aspects of U.S. federal income and estate taxation that may be relevant to non-U.S. holders in light of their particular circumstances. Nor does it address tax consequences under the laws of any U.S. state, municipality or other taxing jurisdiction or under the laws of any jurisdiction other than the United States.

Prospective holders should consult their own tax advisors about the particular United States federal tax consequences to them of holding and disposing of Common Stock, as well as any tax consequences that may arise under the laws of any state, municipality or other taxing jurisdiction.

In the event that dividends are paid to a non-U.S. holder, such dividends will be subject to United States federal withholding tax at a 30% rate or such lower rate as may be specified by an applicable income tax treaty. Under current U.S. Treasury regulations, dividends paid to an address outside the United States are presumed to be paid to a resident of the country of address for purposes of the withholding tax. Under the current interpretation of U.S. Treasury regulations, the same presumption generally applies to determine the applicability of a reduced rate of withholding under a U.S. tax treaty. Thus, non-U.S. holders receiving dividends at addresses outside the United States generally are not yet required to file tax forms to obtain the

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benefit of an applicable treaty rate. If there is excess withholding on a person eligible for a treaty benefit, the person can file for a refund with the U.S. Internal Revenue Service (the "IRS").

Under U.S. Treasury regulations which were proposed in 1984 and which have not yet been put into effect, to claim the benefits of a tax treaty a non-U.S. holder of Common Stock would have to file certain forms accompanied by statements from a competent authority of the treaty country attesting to the holder's eligibility to claim treaty benefits.

Generally, upon the filing of a Form 4224 with the Company, there is no withholding tax on dividends that are effectively connected with the non-U.S. holder's conduct of a trade or business within the United States. Instead, the effectively connected dividends are subject to the United States federal income tax on net income applicable to U.S. persons. Effectively connected dividends received by a foreign corporation may be subject to an additional "branch profits tax" at a 30% rate (or a lower rate under an applicable income tax treaty) when such dividends are deemed repatriated from the United States.

GAIN ON DISPOSITION OF COMMON STOCK

A non-U.S. holder generally will not be subject to U.S. federal income tax in respect of gain recognized on a disposition of Common Stock unless (i) the gain is effectively connected with the conduct of a trade or business of the non-U.S. holder in the United States, (ii) in the case of a non-U.S. holder who is an individual and holds the Common Stock as a capital asset, such holder is present in the United States for 183 or more days in the taxable year of the disposition and either (x) has a "tax home" in the United States (as specially defined for U.S. federal income tax purposes) or (y) maintains an office or other fixed place of business in the United States and the income from the sale of the stock is attributable to such office or other fixed place of business, (iii) in the case of a non-resident individual who is a partner in a foreign partnership holding the Common Stock, such non-resident individual is present in the United States for 183 or more days in the taxable year of the disposition or the gain is effectively connected with a trade or business conducted by such partnership in the United States, (iv) the non-U.S. holder is subject to tax pursuant to the provisions of U.S. tax law applicable to certain United States expatriates or (v) the Company is or has been a "U.S. real property holding corporation" for federal income tax purposes. The Company is not currently, has not been and does not anticipate becoming a "U.S. real property holding corporation" for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

INFORMATION REPORTING AND BACKUP WITHHOLDING TAX

The Company must report annually to the IRS and to each non-U.S. holder the amount of dividends paid to, and the tax withheld with respect to, such holder, regardless of whether tax was actually withheld. That information may also be made available to the tax authorities of the country in which the non-U.S. holder resides.

United States federal backup withholding (which generally is withholding imposed at the rate of 31% on certain payments to persons not otherwise exempt who fail to furnish certain identifying information to the IRS) will generally not apply to dividends paid to a non-U.S. holder that are subject to withholding at the 30% rate (or would be so subject but for a reduced rate under an applicable treaty). In addition, the payor of dividends may rely on the payee's foreign address in determining that the payee is exempt from backup withholding, unless the payor has knowledge that the payee is a U.S. person.

The backup withholding and information reporting requirements also apply to the gross proceeds paid to a non-U.S. holder upon the disposition of Common Stock by or through a United States office of a United States or foreign broker, unless the holder certifies to the broker under penalty of perjury as to its name, address and status as a non-U.S. holder or the holder otherwise establishes an exemption. Information reporting requirements (but not backup withholding) will apply to a payment of the proceeds of a disposition of Common

Stock by or through a foreign office of (i) a United States broker, (ii) a foreign broker 50% or more of whose gross income for certain periods is effectively connected with the conduct of a trade or business in the United States or (iii) a foreign broker that is a "controlled foreign corporation" for United States federal income tax purposes, unless the broker has documentary evidence in its records that the holder is a non-U.S. holder and certain other conditions are met, or the holder otherwise establishes an exemption.

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Neither backup withholding nor information reporting will generally apply to a payment of the proceeds of a disposition of Common Stock by or through a foreign office of a foreign broker not subject to the preceding sentence.

Any amounts withheld under the backup withholding rules will be refunded or credited against the non-U.S. holder's United States federal income tax liability, provided that required information is furnished to the IRS.

The backup withholding and information reporting rules are currently under review by the Treasury Department, and their application to the Common Stock is subject to change.

FEDERAL ESTATE TAXES

Common Stock owned or treated as owned by an individual who is neither a citizen nor a resident of the United States for federal estate tax purposes at the date of death will be included in such individual's estate for U.S. federal estate tax purposes and may be subject to U.S. federal estate tax unless an applicable estate tax treaty provides otherwise. Estates of nonresident aliens are generally allowed a statutory credit that is the equivalent of an exclusion of \$60,000 of assets from the estate for U.S. estate tax purposes. Estate tax treaties may permit a larger credit. A special definition of U.S. resident applies for U.S. federal estate purposes.

UNDERWRITING

Under the terms of, and subject to the conditions contained in, the U.S. Underwriting Agreement, the form of which is filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement of which this Prospectus forms a part, the underwriters named below (the "U.S. Underwriters"), for whom Lehman Brothers Inc., Kidder, Peabody & Co. Incorporated, Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated and Wertheim Schroder & Co. Incorporated are acting as representatives (the "Representatives"), have severally agreed to purchase from the Company and the Selling Stockholder, and the Company and the Selling Stockholder have agreed to sell to each U.S. Underwriter, the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock set forth opposite the name of each such U.S. Underwriter below:

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U.S. UNDERWRITERS	SHARES
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Lehman Brothers Inc. Kidder, Peabody & Co. Incorporated. Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated. Wertheim Schroder & Co. Incorporated.	
Total	7,500,000

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Under the terms of, and subject to the conditions contained in, the International Underwriting Agreement, the form of which is filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement, the managers named below of the concurrent offering of the Common Stock outside the United States (the "International Managers" and together with the U.S. Underwriters, the "Underwriters"), for whom Lehman Brothers International (Europe), Kidder, Peabody International Limited, Morgan Stanley & Co. International Limited and Wertheim Schroder International Limited are acting as lead managers (the "Lead Managers"), have severally agreed to purchase from the Company and the Selling Stockholder, and the Company and the

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Selling Stockholder have agreed to sell to each International Manager, the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock set forth opposite the name of each such International Manager below:

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INTERNATIONAL MANAGERS	SHARES
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Lehman Brothers International (Europe)	
Total	1,875,000

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The U.S. Underwriting Agreement and the International Underwriting Agreement (collectively, the "Underwriting Agreements") provide that the obligations of the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers to purchase shares of Common Stock are subject to certain conditions, and that if any of the foregoing shares of Common Stock are purchased by the U.S. Underwriters pursuant to the U.S. Underwriting Agreement or by the International Managers pursuant to the International Underwriting Agreement, all the shares of Common Stock agreed to be purchased by either the U.S. Underwriters or the International Managers, as the case may be, pursuant to their respective Underwriting Agreements must be so purchased. The offering price and underwriting discounts and commissions for the U.S. Offering and the International Offering are identical. The closing of the U.S. Offering is a condition to the closing of the International Offering, and the closing of the International Offering is a condition to the closing of the U.S. Offering.

The Company has been advised that the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers propose to offer the shares of Common Stock directly to the public at the initial public offering price set forth on the cover page of this Prospectus, and to certain selected dealers (who may include the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers) at such public offering price less a selling concession not in excess of \$ per share. The selected dealers may reallow a concession not in excess of \$ per share to certain brokers and dealers. After the initial public offering, the public offering price, the concession to select dealers and reallowance may be changed by the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers.

The Company and the Selling Stockholder have agreed to indemnify the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act, and to contribute to payments that the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers may be required to make in respect thereof.

The Company has granted to the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers an option to purchase up to an aggregate of 750,000 and 187,500 additional shares of Common Stock, respectively, exercisable solely to cover over-allotments, at the offering price to the public less the underwriting discounts and commissions shown on the cover page of this Prospectus. All of the shares of Common Stock sold upon any exercise of this over-allotment option will be sold by the Company. Such option may be exercised at any time until 30 days after the date of the U.S. Underwriting Agreement and the International Underwriting Agreement, respectively. To the extent that the option is exercised, each U.S. Underwriter or International Manager, as the case may be, will be committed, subject to certain conditions, to purchase a number of the additional shares of Common Stock proportionate to such U.S. Underwriter's or International Manager's initial commitment as indicated in the preceding tables.

Prior to the Offerings, there has been no public market for the Common Stock. The initial public offering price has been negotiated between the Company and the Underwriters. Among the factors considered in determining the initial public offering price of the Common Stock, in addition to prevailing market conditions,

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were the Company's historical performance and capital structure, estimates of business potential and earnings prospects of the Company, an assessment of the Company, an assessment of the Company's management and the consideration of the above factors in relation to market valuation of companies in related businesses.

The Company, the Selling Stockholder and certain other existing stockholders, including all of the executive officers of the Company, have agreed that they will not, subject to certain limited exceptions, for a period of 180 days from the date of this Prospectus, directly or indirectly, offer, sell or otherwise dispose of any shares of Common Stock or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for any such shares, without the

At the request of the Company, the Underwriters have reserved up to 300,000 shares of Common Stock being offered by the Company for sale at the initial public offering price to certain directors, officers, employees and other persons associated with the Company. The number of shares available to the general public will be reduced to the extent these persons purchase the reserved shares. Any reserved shares that are not so purchased by such persons will be offered by the Underwriters to the general public on the same terms as the other shares offered by this Prospectus.

The U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers have entered into an Agreement Between U.S. Underwriters and International Managers pursuant to which each U.S. Underwriter has agreed that, as part of the distribution of the shares of Common Stock offered in the U.S. Offering, (i) it is not purchasing any such shares for the account of anyone other than a U.S. person (as defined below) and (ii) it has not offered or sold, will not offer, sell, resell or deliver, directly or indirectly, any of such shares or distribute any prospectus relating to the U.S. Offering to anyone other than a U.S. person. In addition, pursuant to such agreement each International Manager has agreed that, as part of the distribution of the shares of Common Stock offered in the International Offering, (i) it is not purchasing any such shares for the account of a U.S. Person and (ii) it has not offered or sold, and will not offer, sell, resell or deliver, directly or indirectly, any of such shares or distribute any prospectus relating to the International Offering to any U.S. Person. Each International Manager has also agreed that it will offer to sell shares only in compliance with all relevant requirements of any applicable laws.

The foregoing limitations do not apply to stabilization transactions or to certain other transactions specified in the Underwriting Agreements and the Agreement Between U.S. Underwriters and International Managers, including (i) certain purchases and sales between the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers, (ii) certain offers, sales, resales, deliveries or distributions to or through investment advisors or other persons exercising investment discretion, (iii) purchases, offers or sales by a U.S. Underwriter who is also acting as an International Manager or by an International Manager who is also acting as a U.S. Underwriter and (iv) other transactions specifically approved by the Representatives and the Lead Managers. As used herein, (a) the term "United States" means the United States of America (including the District of Columbia) and its territories, its possessions and other areas subject to its jurisdiction, and (b) the term "U.S. Person" means any resident or national of the United States, any corporation, partnership or other entity created or organized in or under the laws of the United States or any estate or trust the income of which is subject to United States income taxation regardless of the source of its income (other than the foreign branch of any U.S. Person), and includes any United States branch of a Person other than a U.S. Person.

The Company and each International Manager (i) have not offered or sold, and will not offer or sell, in the United Kingdom, by means of any document, any shares of Common Stock other than to persons whose ordinary business it is to buy or sell shares or debentures, whether as principal or agent (except under circumstances which do not constitute an offer to the public within the meaning of the Companies Act 1985); (ii) have complied and will comply with all applicable provisions of the Financial Services Act 1986 (the "1986 Act") with respect to anything done by it in relation to the shares of Common Stock in, from or otherwise involving the United Kingdom; and (iii) have only issued or passed on, and will only issue or pass on to any person in the United Kingdom, any investment advertisement (within the meaning of the 1986 Act) relating to the shares of Common Stock if that person falls within Article 9(3) of the Financial Services Act 1986 (Investment Advertisements) (Exemptions) Order 1988.

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The shares of Common Stock may not be offered or sold directly or indirectly in Hong Kong by means of this document or any other offering material or document other than to persons whose ordinary business it is to buy or sell shares or debentures, whether as principal or as agent. Unless permitted to do so by the securities laws of Hong Kong, no person may issue or cause to be issued in Hong Kong this document or any amendment or supplement thereto or any other information, advertisement or document relating to the shares of Common Stock other than with respect to shares of Common Stock intended to be disposed of to persons outside Hong Kong or to persons whose business involves the acquisition, disposal or holding of securities, whether as principal or as agent.

The shares of Common Stock have not been registered under the Securities and Exchange Law of Japan and are not being offered and may not be offered or sold directly or indirectly in Japan or to residents of Japan, except pursuant to applicable Japanese laws and regulations.

No action has been taken or will be taken in any jurisdiction by the Company or the International Managers that would permit a public offering of the shares offered pursuant to the Offerings in any jurisdiction where action for that purpose is required, other than the United States. Persons into whose possession this Prospectus comes are required by the Company and the International Managers to inform themselves about and to observe any restrictions as to the offering of the shares offered pursuant to the Offerings and the distribution of this Prospectus.

Purchasers of the shares of Common Stock offered hereby may be required to pay stamp taxes and other charges in accordance with the laws and practices of the country of purchase in addition to the offering price set forth on the cover page hereof.

After giving effect to the Offerings, the Lehman Funds, each an affiliate of Lehman Brothers Inc., beneficially own, in the aggregate, approximately 57.6% of the outstanding Common Stock of the Company (assuming all outstanding Warrants are exercised and no outstanding Options are exercised). Therefore, the underwriting arrangements for the Offerings will comply with the requirements of Schedule E to the Bylaws of the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. ("NASD") regarding an NASD member firm's participation in distributing its affiliate's securities. In connection therewith, Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated is acting as a qualified independent underwriter for purposes of the determination of the initial public offering price of the shares of Common Stock offered hereby and has conducted due diligence in connection with its responsibilities of acting as a qualified independent underwriter. The initial public offering price of the shares of Common Stock is no lower than that recommended by Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated. The Company has agreed to reimburse Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated for its out-of-pocket expenses incurred in connection with its services as a qualified independent underwriter. In accordance with Schedule E, the Underwriters will not make sales of shares of Common Stock offered hereby to customers' discretionary accounts without the prior specific written approval of such customers.

Lehman Brothers Inc. has from time to time provided investment banking, financial advisory and other services to the Company, for which services it has received fees. Upon the closing of the Offerings, the Lehman Funds will be able to elect all directors on the Company's Board of Directors. See "Management -- Directors and Executive Officers."

LEGAL MATTERS

The validity of the issuance of shares of Common Stock offered hereby will be passed upon for the Company by Winston & Strawn, Chicago, Illinois. Certain legal matters in connection with the Offerings will be passed upon for the U.S. Underwriters and the International Managers by Cravath, Swaine & Moore, New York, New York. Cravath, Swaine & Moore has performed, and continues to perform, services for the Lehman Funds from time to time.

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EXPERTS

The consolidated balance sheets as of June 30, 1992 and 1993 and the related consolidated statements of operations, stockholders' equity, cash flows and schedules for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for the twelve months and six months ended December 31, 1993 of the Company included in the Prospectus and elsewhere in the Registration Statement have been audited by Arthur Andersen & Co., independent public accountants, as indicated in their reports with respect thereto, and are included herein in reliance upon the authority of said firm as experts in giving said reports. In addition, the balance sheets of the NAB as of September 30, 1993 and December 31, 1992 and the statements of income and cash flows of the NAB for the nine months ended September 30, 1993 and the years ended December 31, 1992 and 1991, have been audited by Coopers & Lybrand, independent public accountants, as indicated in their report with respect thereto and are included herein in reliance upon the authority of said firm as experts in giving said reports.

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After the Stock Split transaction discussed in Note 18 to Lear Seating Corporation's consolidated financial statements is effected, we expect to be in a position to render the following audit report.

/s/ ARTHUR ANDERSEN & CO. ARTHUR ANDERSEN & CO. February 10, 1994

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

To Lear Seating Corporation:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of LEAR SEATING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES ("the Company") as of June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993 and the related consolidated statements of operations, stockholders' equity and cash flows for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for the twelve months and six months ended December 31, 1993. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the 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 financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for the twelve months and six months ended December 31, 1993, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

As discussed in Note 12 to the consolidated financial statements, as of July 1, 1993, the Company changed its method of accounting for post-retirement benefits other than pensions.

Detroit, Michigan, February 10, 1994 (Except with F-2

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LEAR SEATING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (IN THOUSANDS)

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<caption></caption>	JUNE 30, 1992	JUNE 30, 1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993
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ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS: Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$239 at June 30, 1992, \$516 at June 30, 1993 and \$644 at December 31,	\$ 33,217	\$ 53,787	\$ 55,034
1993	178,070	215,745	272,421
Inventories Unbilled customer tooling	46,427 10,741	40,877 8,565	71,731 19,441
Other	14,409	6,225	14,957
	282,864	325,199	433,584
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT:			
Land	13,718	13,405	31,289
Buildings and improvements	79,252 160,123	73,015 180,208	114,514 210,654
Construction in progress	3,144	2,094	5,030
	256,237	268,722	361,487
Less Accumulated depreciation	(76,732)	(103,527)	(110,530)
	179,505	165,195	250,957
OTHER ASSETS: Goodwill, less accumulated amortization of \$36,568 at June 30, 1992, \$46,116 at June 30, 1993 and \$50,871 at December 31, 1993 Deferred financing fees, net	317,913 7,765 11,837	309,165 9,825 10,825	403,694 14,377 11,679
	337,515	329,815	429,750
	\$ 799,884 	\$ 820,209 	\$ 1,114,291
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY CURRENT LIABILITIES: Short-term borrowings	\$ 11,982	\$ 1,211	\$ 48,155
Cash overdrafts	8,324	17,317	19,769
Accounts payable	204,865	248,454	298,326
Accrued liabilities	81,716	106,707	138,299
Financing lease obligation	10,296 26,986	1,261	1,168
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	344,169	374,950 	505,717
LONG-TERM LIABILITIES: Deferred national income taxes	26,392	15,536	15,889
Long-term debt	348,331	321,116	498,324
Other	28,210	29,621	38,716
	402,933	366,273	552,929
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES COMMON STOCK SUBJECT TO REDEMPTION:			
Common stock subject to limited rights of redemption, \$.01 par value, 905,850 shares at June 30, 1992, 990,033 shares at June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993, at estimated maximum redemption price of \$5.00 per share at June 30, 1992 and 1993 and \$13.64 per share at December 31, 1993	4,530 (1,065)	4,950 (1,065)	13,500 (1,065)
	3,465	3,885	12,435
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY:			
Preferred stock, \$.01 par value, 15,000,000 shares authorized, no			
shares issued			

30, 1992 and 1993 and 150,000,000 shares authorized at December 31, 1993, 33,894,168 shares issued at June 30, 1992, 37,809,881 shares issued at June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993, net of shares subject to redemption	10 131,650 10,000	12 150,993 10,000	378 156,551 10,000
cost	(10,255)	(10,000)	(10,000)
Retained deficit	(84,646)	(74,532)	(109,248)
Minimum pension liability adjustment	(2,858)	(3,240)	(4,164)
Cumulative translation adjustment	5,416	1,868	(307)
	49,317	75,101	43,210
	\$ 799,884	\$ 820,209	\$ 1,114,291

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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these balance sheets.

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE AMOUNTS)

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	YEAF	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, ENDED			YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, ENDED			YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,		TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,
	1991	1992		1993	1993						
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Net sales	\$1,085,319	\$1,422,740	\$1,756,510	\$ 1,950,288	\$1,005,218						
Cost of sales	983,890	1,307,099	1,604,011	1,780,073	932,983						
expenses Incentive stock and other	41,596	50,074	61,898	62,717	27 , 666						
compensation expense (Note 14)	1,353	(12)		18,016	18,016						
Amortization of goodwill and other intangible assets			9,548								
Operating income	44,670		81,053								
Interest expense Foreign currency exchange (gain)											
loss	1,717	300	470	49	(193)						
Other expense, net	1,574	7,859	4,331	7,750	6,520						
<pre>Income (loss) before provision for national income taxes, minority interests in net income of subsidiaries, equity income of affiliates and extraordinary</pre>											
item Provision for national income	(20,297)	(6,484)	28,420	26,098	(9,296)						
taxes	14,019	12,968	17,847	26,864	13,467						
Minority interests in net income of subsidiaries	1,770	691	470	349	88						
Equity (income) loss of affiliates	(2,917)	(3,013)	(11)	1,032	181						
Income (loss) before extraordinary											
item Extraordinary loss on early	(33,169)	(17,130)	10,114	(2,147)	(23,032)						
extinguishment of debt		5 , 100		11,684	11,684						
Net income (loss)			\$ 10,114								
Net income (loss) per common share, as adjusted (Note 18): Income (loss) before extraordinary item Extraordinary loss	\$ (2.01)	\$ (.62) (.18)	\$.25	\$ (.06) (.33)	\$ (.65) (.33)						
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	\$ (2.01)	\$ (.80)		\$ (.39) 	\$ (.98) 						

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY (IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT SHARE DATA)

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<caption></caption>	COMMON STOCK	ADDITIONAL PAID-IN CAPITAL	WARRANTS EXERCISABLE INTO COMMON STOCK	TREASURY STOCK	RETAINED DEFICIT	MINIMUM PENSION LIABILITY ADJUSTMENT	CUMULATIVE TRANSLATION ADJUSTMENT	TOTAL
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BALANCE, JUNE 30, 1990		\$ 59,454	\$ 10,000	\$(10,000)	\$ (29,247)	\$	\$ 5,079	\$ 35,292
Net loss		1 252			(33,169)			(33,169)
Stock option compensation Re-acquisition of 21,450 shares of common stock subject to redemption from management		1,353						1,353
investors, at cost		65		(65)				
Foreign currency translation							859	859
BALANCE, JUNE 30, 1991		60 , 872	10,000	(10,065)	(62,416) (22,230)		5 , 938	4,335 (22,230)
Stock option compensation		(12)			(22,230)			(12)
Re-acquisition of 62,700 shares of common stock subject to redemption from management				(100)				(12)
investors, at cost		190		(190)				
transaction expenses Recognize minimum pension		72,384						72,388
liability adjustment						(2,858)		(2,858)
Foreign currency translation Restate common stock subject to redemption to estimated							(522)	(522)
maximum redemption value		(1,784)						(1,784)
BALANCE, JUNE 30, 1992	10	131,650	10,000	(10,255)	(84,646)	(2,858)	5,416	49,317
Net loss					(10,771)			(10,771)
shares of common stock, net of		10 500						10.600
transaction expenses Sale of 84,183 shares of treasury stock to management	2	19 , 598						19,600
investors		(255)		255				
Foreign currency translation							(4,640)	(4,640)
BALANCE, JANUARY 2, 1993 Net income		150,993	10,000	(10,000)	(95,417) 20,885	(2,858)	776 	53,506 20,885
Minimum pension liability								
adjustment						(382)		(382)
Foreign currency translation							1,092	1,092
BALANCE, JUNE 30, 1993	12	150,993	10,000	(10,000)	(74,532)	(3,240)	1,868	75,101
Net loss Incentive stock option					(34,716)			(34,716)
compensation		14,474						14,474
adjustment						(924)		(924)
Foreign currency translation Restate common stock subject to							(2,175)	(2,175)
redemption to estimated maximum redemption value Thirty-three-for-one stock		(8,550)						(8,550)
split	366	(366)						
BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 1993	\$378	\$156,551	\$ 10,000	\$(10,000)	\$(109,248)	\$ (4,164)	\$ (307)	\$ 43,210
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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (IN THOUSANDS)

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		R ENDED JUNE		TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,
	1991	1992	1993	1993	1993
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:					
Net income (loss)	\$(33,169)	\$(22,230)	\$ 10,114	\$ (13,831)	\$ (34,716)
Depreciation and amortization of goodwill and other	26 750	24 074	40 654	40 550	21 066
intangible assets Incentive stock option compensation Accreted interest on Senior Subordinated Discount	36,758 1,353	34,974 (12)	40,654 	42,559 14,474	21,866 14,474
Notes	10,322	4,738			
Amortization of deferred financing fees	4,096	3,198	2,972	2,594	1,065
Deferred national income taxes Post-retirement benefits accrued	(6 , 987) 	(1,672) 	(10 , 856)	(12,342)	(90)
Loss on retirement of property, plant and equipment	316	82	374	3,273 6,752	3,273 6,373
Extraordinary loss		5,100		11,684	11,684
Other, net	(3,103)	(2,932)	482	(294)	583
Net change in working capital items	23,921	26,801	50,760	58,388	(7,368)
Net cash provided by operating activities	33,507	48,047	94,500	113,257	17,144
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:					
Additions to property, plant and equipment	(20,892)	(27,926)	(31,595)	(45,915)	(28,989)
Acquisitions (Note 6)	(7,527)	(650)		(172,065)	(172,065)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	2,860	996	1,044	968	133
Other, net	(1,862)	1,593	(170)	2,226	2,207
Net cash used by investing activities	(27,421)	(25,987)	(30,721)	(214,786)	(198,714)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:					
Long-term revolving credit borrowings, net (Note 9) Additions to other long-term debt	8 , 952 	(10,284) 20,000	(24,130) 125,000	225 , 512 	230,700
Reductions in other long-term debt	(26,699)	(69,209)	(154,055)	(103,618)	(54,150)
Short-term borrowings, net	21,653	(15,270)	(10,771)	12,828	17,729
Proceeds from sale of common stock, net		72,388	20,020		
Deferred financing fees		(1,839)	(5,032)	(10,508)	(10,508)
Increase (decrease) in cash overdrafts Other, net	(2,205) (25)	(10,867) (190)	8,993 	3,321	2,452
Net cash provided (used) by financing activities	1,676	(15,271)	(39,975)	127,535	186,223
Effect of foreign currency translation	2,423	540	(3,234)	(2,507)	(3,406)
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	10,185 15,703	7,329 25,888	20,570 33,217	23,499 31,535	1,247 53,787
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF PERIOD	\$ 25,888 	\$ 33,217	\$ 53,787 	\$ 55,034 	\$ 55,034
CHANGES IN WORKING CAPITAL, NET OF EFFECTS OF ACQUISITIONS:					
Accounts receivable, net	\$ 21,061	\$(42,334)	\$ (42,564)	\$ (83,475)	\$ (60,319)
Inventories	(2,682)	(6,081)	4,219	2,947	(4,225)
Accounts payable	4,346	62,128	49,605	93,950	56,465
Accrued liabilities and other	1,196	13,088	39,500	44,966 	711
	\$ 23,921 	\$ 26,801 	\$ 50,760	\$ 58,388 	\$ (7,368)
SUPPLEMENTARY DISCLOSURE:					
Cash paid for interest	\$ 47,304	\$ 47,584 	\$ 41,130 	\$ 42,088 	\$ 20,235
Cash paid for income taxes	\$ 22,900 	\$ 12,135 	\$ 21,843	\$ 15,685 	\$ 4,255

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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

LEAR SEATING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(1) BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Lear Seating Corporation ("the Company"), a Delaware corporation, and its wholly-owned and majority-owned subsidiaries. Investments in less than majority-owned businesses are generally accounted for under the equity method (Note 7).

Prior to December 31, 1993, the Company was a wholly-owned subsidiary of Lear Holdings Corporation ("Holdings"). On December 31, 1993, Holdings was merged with and into the Company and the separate corporate existence of Holdings ceased (the "Merger"). Prior to the Merger, Holdings had several other wholly-owned subsidiaries, including LS Acquisition No. 14 ("LS No. 14"), Lear Seating Holdings Corp. No. 50 ("LS No. 50") and Lear Seating Sweden, AB ("LS-Sweden"). In conjunction with the Merger, these companies became subsidiaries of the Company. The Merger has been accounted for and reflected in the accompanying financial statements as a merger of companies under common control. As such, the financial statements of the Company have been restated as if the current structure (post-Merger) had existed for all periods presented.

In February 1994, the Company changed its fiscal year end from June 30 to December 31, effective December 31, 1993. Accordingly, the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 does not constitute a fiscal year.

(2) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Principles of Consolidation

Transactions and balances among the Company and its subsidiaries have been eliminated in the consolidated financial statements.

Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost or market. Cost is determined principally using the first-in, first-out method. Finished goods and work-in-process inventories include material, labor and manufacturing overhead costs.

Inventories are comprised of the following (in thousands):

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	JUNE 30,	JUNE 30,	DECEMBER 31,
	1992	1993	1993
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Raw materials	\$ 29,931	\$ 29,005	\$ 42,470
Work-in-process	9,849	8,331	23,394
Finished goods	6,647	3,541	5,867
	\$ 46,427	\$ 40,877	\$ 71,731

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Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost. Depreciable property is depreciated over the estimated useful lives of the assets, using principally the straight-line method as follows:

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Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets

Goodwill consists of purchase price and related acquisition costs in excess of the fair value of identifiable assets acquired. Goodwill is amortized on a straight-line basis over 40 years. The Company evaluates the

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carrying value of goodwill for potential impairment on an ongoing basis. Such evaluations compare operating income before amortization of goodwill of the operations to which goodwill relates to the amortization recorded. The Company also considers future anticipated operating results, trends and other circumstances in making such evaluations.

Other intangible assets, consisting of a license agreement, were amortized over the two-year term of the agreement, which expired in September 1990.

Deferred Financing Fees

Costs incurred in connection with the issuance of debt are amortized over the term of the related indebtedness using the effective interest method.

Research and Development

Costs incurred in connection with the development of new products and manufacturing methods are charged to operations as incurred. Such costs amounted to 7,923,000, 11,387,000, 18,229,000, 16,177,000 and 7,062,000 for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993, respectively.

Foreign Currency Translation

Assets and liabilities of foreign subsidiaries are generally translated into U.S. dollars at the exchange rates in effect at the end of the period. Revenue and expense accounts are translated using a weighted average of exchange rates in effect during the period. Translation adjustments that arise from translating a foreign subsidiary's financial statements from functional currency to U.S. dollars are reflected as cumulative translation adjustment in the consolidated balance sheets.

Until December 31, 1992, non-monetary assets and liabilities of a foreign subsidiary operating in Mexico were translated using historical rates, while monetary assets and liabilities were translated at the exchange rates in effect at the end of the period, with the U.S. dollar effects of exchange rate changes included in the results of operations. As of January 1, 1993, Mexico's economy was no longer deemed to be highly inflationary, and since then, the accounts of the subsidiary operating in Mexico have been translated consistent with other foreign subsidiaries.

Transaction gains and losses that arise from exchange rate fluctuations on transactions denominated in a currency other than the functional currency, except those transactions which operate as a hedge of a foreign currency investment position, are included in the results of operations as incurred.

Income Taxes

The consolidated financial statements reflect the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes", for all periods presented. Since the twelve months ended December 31, 1993 does not constitute a fiscal year, the consolidated national income tax provision for this period was determined based upon the provisions of APB Opinion No. 28, "Interim Financial Reporting."

Deferred national income taxes represent the effect of cumulative temporary differences between income and expense items reported for financial statement and tax purposes, and between the bases of various assets and liabilities for financial statement and tax purposes. Deferred tax assets are reduced by a valuation allowance if, based on the weight of evidence, it is deemed more likely than not that the asset will not be realized.

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LEAR SEATING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS -- (CONTINUED)

Industry Segment Reporting

The Company is principally engaged in the design and manufacture of automotive seating and, therefore, separate industry segment reporting is not applicable.

Reclassifications

Certain items in prior years' financial statements have been reclassified to conform with the presentation used in the periods ended December 31, 1993.

(3) 1994 REFINANCING -- SUBSEQUENT EVENT

On February 3, 1994, the Company completed a public offering of \$145,000,000 of \$1/4% Subordinated Notes, due 2002 (the "\$1/4% Notes"). The \$1/4% Notes require interest payments semi-annually on February 1 and August 1. Fees and expenses related to the issuance of the \$1/4% Notes are expected to be approximately \$5,000,000, including underwriting fees of \$2,400,000 paid to Lehman Brothers Inc.

The net proceeds from the sale of the 8 1/4% Notes were used to finance the redemption of the 14% Subordinated Debentures. Simultaneous with the sale of 8 1/4% Notes, the Company called the 14% Subordinated Debentures for redemption on March 4, 1994, at a redemption price equal to 105.4% of the outstanding principal amount of \$135,000,000, plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The premium for early extinguishment of the 14% Subordinated Debentures and the accelerated amortization of deferred financing fees totaled approximately \$10,718,000. This amount has been reflected as an extraordinary loss in the periods ending December 31, 1993. The deferred tax benefit related to this extraordinary loss was offset by a valuation allowance.

(4) 1992 REFINANCING AND SALE OF COMMON STOCK

On July 30, 1992, the Company sold \$125,000,000 of $11\ 1/4\%$ Senior Subordinated Notes (the "11 1/4% Notes") (Note 9). Fees and expenses related to issuance of the $11\ 1/4\%$ Notes were approximately \$5,032,000, including consulting and underwriting fees of \$2,200,000 paid to Lehman Brothers Inc. and \$50,000 paid to FIMA Finance Management, Inc., an affiliate of IFINT-USA Inc. ("FIMA"), for consulting fees.

Simultaneous with the sale of the $11\ 1/4\%$ Notes, the Company issued 3,999,996 shares of common stock to the four merchant banking partnerships affiliated with Lehman Brothers Inc. ("Lehman Funds") and FIMA, for total proceeds of approximately \$20,000,000. Fees and expenses related to the sale were \$400,000, paid to the Lehman Funds and FIMA. Certain management investors also purchased 84,183 shares of common stock previously held in treasury for approximately \$421,000.

On August 14, 1992, the Company redeemed the 14 1/4% Senior Subordinated Discount Notes (the "Discount Notes") at a redemption price equal to 103% of the outstanding principal amount of \$85,000,000 plus accrued interest. The prepayment premium for early extinguishment of these notes and the accelerated amortization of deferred financing fees totaled approximately \$4,686,000 and have been reflected as an extraordinary loss in the year ended June 30, 1992. The deferred tax benefit related to this extraordinary loss was offset by a valuation allowance.

A portion of the net proceeds from the sale of the $11\ 1/4\%$ Notes and common stock described above were used to finance the redemption of the Discount Notes and to prepay \$15,000,000 of the Domestic Term Loan. The balance of the proceeds was designated for temporary reduction of outstanding borrowings on the Domestic Revolving Credit Loan, expansion of the Company's operations and for general corporate purposes.

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LEAR SEATING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

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(5) 1991 CAPITALIZATION AND RELATED TRANSACTIONS

Capitalization

Pursuant to a Stock Purchase Agreement dated September 27, 1991 (the "1991 Agreement"), the Company issued 14,999,985 shares of common stock to the Lehman Funds and FIMA, for total proceeds of approximately \$75,000,000. Fees and expenses related to the sale and the transactions described below approximated \$7,700,000, of which approximately \$3,200,000 was charged to other expense and approximately \$1,800,000 was capitalized as deferred financing fees. Such fees and expenses included \$4,500,000 paid to Lehman Brothers. The Lehman Funds and FIMA also purchased all of the outstanding common stock and warrants owned by the Company's former majority owner, General Electric Capital Corporation ("GECC"), and certain other stockholders.

Simultaneous with the sale of common stock, the Company obtained a \$20,000,000 real estate mortgage from GECC.

The net proceeds from the sale of common stock and the real estate mortgage were used to reduce outstanding borrowings on the Domestic Revolving Credit Loan by \$32,000,000, to prepay the Domestic Term Loan by \$48,500,000, and to purchase LS-Sweden (see discussion below). A write-off of deferred financing fees of \$414,000 related to the prepayment of the Domestic Term Loan was recognized as an extraordinary loss in the consolidated statement of operations for the year

ended June 30, 1992. The deferred tax benefit related to this extraordinary loss was offset by a valuation allowance.

Assuming the sale of common stock and the retirement of debt had taken place on July 1, 1990, the Company's unaudited pro forma net loss per common share for the year ended June 30, 1991 would have been \$(.99). The pro forma results and the weighted average shares outstanding used to calculate the pro forma net loss per common share give effect to the reduced interest expense, net of related income taxes, and the increased number of shares that would have been outstanding from July 1, 1990 through June 30, 1991, respectively.

The 1991 Agreement required the Company to make certain representations and warranties prior to the sale with respect to its tax position and title to the new shares. The Company is required to indemnify the parties to the Agreement for any aggregate losses, liabilities, claims or expenses arising from a breach of the aforementioned representations and warranties. Management is not currently aware of any information or condition which will require indemnification under the terms of the Agreement.

Lear Seating Sweden, AB

In October 1990, the Company entered into an agreement with Saab Automobile AB ("Saab") in which, effective January 1991, Saab agreed to purchase, and the Company agreed to supply, completely assembled seat modules on a just-in-time basis to Saab's production facilities located in Trollhattan, Sweden. The Company then established a Swedish subsidiary, Lear Seating Sweden, AB ("INS-Sweden")

In February 1991, the Company sold its investment in the common stock of LS-Sweden to GECC, then a major shareholder of the Company, for \$100,000. The Company entered into an agreement with GECC to continue to manage the operations of LS-Sweden. GECC agreed to provide sufficient funds to LS-Sweden to finance the purchase of inventory and equipment from Saab at estimated book value of approximately \$3,900,000 and to fund working capital requirements. In addition, GECC agreed to provide the Company with the right of first refusal in the event of sale, assignment, or transfer of substantially all of the assets or common stock of LS-Sweden.

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On September 27, 1991, and as part of the capitalization, the Company reacquired all common stock of LS-Sweden from GECC for \$100,000. In addition, the Company repaid cumulative advances from GECC to LS-Sweden and related expenses in the aggregate amount of approximately \$7,300,000.

The sale and purchase transactions described above related to LS-Sweden's common stock are accounted for as transactions between entities under common control. Accordingly, the Company's consolidated financial statements include the balance sheet accounts and results of operations of LS-Sweden as if it were a subsidiary of the Company since its inception in January 1991.

(6) ACQUISITIONS

Acquisition of Certain Assets of the North American Seating Business of Ford Motor Company ("NAB")

On November 1, 1993, the Company purchased certain assets of the Plastics and Trim Products Division of Ford Motor Company ("Ford") consisting of (i) the U.S. operations that supply seat trim and trimmed seat assemblies to Ford which are manufactured by Favesa, S.A. de C.V. ("Favesa"); (ii) all of the shares of Favesa, a maquiladora company located in Juarez, Mexico; and (iii) certain inventories and assets employed in the operation of Favesa (collectively referred as the "NAB"). In connection with this transaction, the Company and Ford entered into a long-term supply agreement for certain products produced by these operations at agreed upon prices.

This acquisition was accounted for as a purchase, and accordingly, the operating results of the NAB have been included in the accompanying financial statements since the date of acquisition. The purchase price, after giving effect to an adjustment related to changes in NAB working capital, was financed and allocated to the purchased assets as follows (in thousands):

<TABLE>

Total purchase price	\$182,565
Property, Plant and Equipment Net non-cash working capital Other assets purchased and liabilities assumed, net Goodwill	\$ 85,565 773 (3,057) 99,284
Total purchase price allocation	\$182,565

</TABLE>

The cash portion of the purchase price was financed with borrowings under the Company's domestic credit agreement (Note 9). The purchase price and related allocation may be revised in the next year based on revisions of preliminary estimates of fair values made at the date of purchase. Such changes are not expected to be significant.

As part of the NAB Acquisition, the Company has exercised an option to cause Ford to purchase two facilities in consideration of Ford cancelling a \$19,915,000 note payable (Note 8). The Company has exercised this option, and the sale of these facilities is scheduled to occur on March 15, 1994. The Company will lease one of these facilities until the earlier of March 15, 1996 or the date it vacates this facility.

Assuming the acquisition had taken place as of the beginning of each period presented, the consolidated pro forma results of operations of the Company would have been as follows, after giving effect to certain adjustments, including certain operations adjustments consisting principally of managements' estimates of the effects of product pricing adjustments negotiated in connection with the acquisition and incremental ongoing

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NAB engineering, overhead and administrative expenses, increased interest expense and goodwill amortization and the related income tax effects (Unaudited; in thousands, except per share data):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1993	ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993	ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Net sales		\$ 2,361,422	\$ 1,159,482
Income (loss) before extraordinary item	26,580	5,058	(19,582)
Net income (loss)	26,580	(6,626)	(31,266)
item	.66	.12	(.55)
Net income (loss) per common share	.66	(.16)	(.88)

TWELVE MONTHS

SIX MONTHS

The pro forma information above does not purport to be indicative of the results that actually would have been obtained if the operations were combined during the periods presented, and is not intended to be a projection of future results or trends.

Acquisition of Central de Industrias, S.A. de C.V. ("CISA")

From April 1991 through October 1991, the Company, through LS No. 50, acquired approximately 4,514,600 shares of the common stock of CISA for an aggregate purchase price of approximately \$8,177,000, including related expenses. These shares represented approximately 38% of CISA's outstanding common stock. Prior to this purchase, the Company had owned approximately 61% of CISA's common stock, resulting in a total ownership interest of over 99%. These acquisitions were accounted for as purchases and the aggregate purchase price approximated the fair value of net assets acquired.

Acquisition of Fair Haven Industries, Inc.

In July 1990, the Company, through a subsidiary, acquired 9,600 newly issued shares of the common stock of Fair Haven Industries, Inc. ("FHI") for approximately \$750,000, plus related expenses. The shares acquired represented approximately 49% of FHI's outstanding common stock. The Company also received an option to acquire an additional 2% of FHI common stock for nominal additional

consideration and an irrevocable proxy to vote those shares, resulting in a controlling interest. The 2% option was exercised in December 1991.

The acquisition was accounted for as a purchase. The excess of the purchase price over the fair value of net assets acquired was approximately \$3,801,000 with the minority interest valued at zero. Subsequently, the Company determined that the excess purchase price of \$3,801,000 was not realizable and recorded the amount as a charge against operating income in the year ended June 30, 1991. FHI has been included in the Company's consolidated financial statements for all periods presented.

In August 1993, the Company reached a settlement with the former owners of FHI in which the Company agreed to purchase the remaining 49% of FHI's common stock and release all claims against the former owners arising from the July 1990 purchase. The settlement amount, plus related legal costs, was not significant and was charged to operating income in the year ended June 30, 1993.

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(7) INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATES

The investments in affiliates are as follows:

<TABLE>

PERCENT BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

	JUNE 30,			
	1991	1992	1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
General Seating of America, Inc	35%	35%	35%	35%
General Seating of Canada, Ltd	35	35	35	35
Pacific Trim Corporation Ltd. (Thailand)	20	20	20	20
Probel, S.A. (Brazil)	31	31	31	31
Moldeados Interiores, S.A. de C.V	38			

</TABLE>

The above businesses are generally involved in the manufacture of automotive seating and seating components.

Investments in General Seating of America, Inc., General Seating of Canada, Ltd., and Pacific Trim Corporation Ltd. are accounted for using the equity method. In June 1993, the Company revalued its investment in Probel, which was previously accounted for using the cost method, to zero due to continued operating losses and other factors impacting its potential recoverability. A charge of approximately \$1,700,000 was recorded and is reflected in equity income of affiliates in the consolidated statement of operations in the year ended June 30, 1993 and the twelve months ended December 31, 1993.

The investment in Moldeados Interiores, S.A. de C.V. was accounted for using the equity method until its sale in July 1991. The gain recognized on this sale was not material.

The aggregate investment in affiliates was 6,379,000, 4,756,000 and 4,593,000 as of June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993, respectively.

Dividends of approximately \$930,000 and \$985,000 were received by the Company in the years ended June 30, 1992 and 1993, respectively, from General Seating of Canada, Ltd. No other dividends were received by the Company from affiliates during 1991, 1992 or 1993.

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Summarized group financial information for affiliates accounted for under the equity method is as follows (unaudited, in thousands):

<TABLE>

JUNE JUNE DECEMBER

	30, 1992	30, 1993	31, 1993
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Balance sheet data:			
Current assets	\$19,032	\$17,004	\$18,277
Non-current assets	15,154	13,717	14,081
Current liabilities	18,847	16,757	14,478
Non-current liabilities	5,700	5,700	5,700

<TABLE>

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,			TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,	
	1991	1992	1993	1993	1993	
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	
Income statement data:						
Net sales	\$114,705	\$129,220	\$119,837	\$ 122,448	\$ 58,399	
Gross profit	17,541	19,335	13,001	12,593	4,915	
Income before provision for income						
taxes	8,491	11,643	10,833	7,317	2,347	
Net income						

 7,926 | 8,246 | 6,566 | 5,031 | 1,409 |The Company had sales to affiliates of approximately \$10,393,000, \$11,787,000, \$10,711,000, \$11,123,000 and \$5,315,000 for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993, and for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993, respectively. Included in the Company's accounts receivable are trade receivables from affiliates of approximately \$1,056,000, \$878,000 and \$936,000 at June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993, respectively.

The Company has guaranteed certain obligations of its affiliates. The Company's share of amounts outstanding under guaranteed obligations as of June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993 amounted to \$3,484,000, \$3,224,000 and \$6,253,000, respectively.

(8) SHORT-TERM BORROWINGS

Short-term borrowings are comprised of the following (in thousands):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	JUNE 30, 1992	JUNE 30, 1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Lines of credit Unsecured notes payable	\$11,982	\$ 1,211	\$18,152
Ford Motor Company, non-interest bearing			9,300
Ford Motor Company, 11 1/2% (Note 6)			19,915
Trade acceptance payable, 7 1/4%			788
	\$11,982 	\$ 1,211 	\$48 , 155

</TABLE>

At December 31, 1993, the Company has lines of credit available with banks of approximately \$69,190,000, subject to certain restrictions imposed by the credit agreement (Note 9). Short-term bank

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LEAR SEATING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

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borrowings, in U.S. dollar equivalents, based on the amounts outstanding at the end of each month were as follows for the indicated period (in thousands):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,		TWELVE MONTHS	SIX MONTHS	
			ENDED	ENDED	
	1991	1992	1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Maximum amount outstanding at any					
month-end	\$21,119	\$18,092	\$16,260	\$18,152	\$18,152
Average amount outstanding	12,540	15,394	8,198	6,908	7,362

Weighted	average interest rate at					
end of	period	16.9%	8.7%	8.6%	6.3%	6.3%
Weighted	average interest rate					
during	the period	16.3%	13.2%	9.9%	6.0%	6.9%

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(9) LONG-TERM DEBT

Long-term debt is comprised of the following (in thousands):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

(OIL FIOR)	JUNE 30, 1992	•	DECEMBER 31, 1993
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Senior Debt:			
Term loans			
Domestic		\$ 33,550	\$
CanadianGerman	50,000 9,887	8,827	 7 , 592
German			
	111,187	42,377	7 , 592
Revolving credit loans			
Domestic	16,662		230,700
Canadian	7,468		
	24,130		230,700
Mortgage payable	20,000	20,000	
	155,317	62,377	238,292
Less Current portion	(26,986)	(1,261)	(1,168)
		61,116	
Subordinated Debt:			
14 1/4% Senior Subordinated Discount Notes (Note	05.000		
4)	85,000		
11 1/4% Senior Subordinated Notes (Note 4)		125,000	
14% Subordinated Debentures (Note 3)	135,000	135,000	135,000
	220,000	260,000	260,000
Note Payable			1,200
		\$ 321,116	\$ 498,324

</TABLE>

In October 1993, the Company amended and restated its existing credit agreement with a syndicate of banks. The new \$425 million revolving credit facility (the "Credit Agreement") enabled the Company to replace the existing Domestic Term Loan and Domestic Revolving Credit Facility, finance the cash portion of the NAB Acquisition (Note 6) and retire an existing \$20 million mortgage payable. The accelerated amortization of deferred financing fees related to the previous Domestic Term Loan and Domestic Revolving Credit Facility and the mortgage payable totaled approximately \$1,464,000. This amount, net of the related tax benefit of \$498,000, has been reflected as an extraordinary loss in the periods ending December 31, 1993.

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In connection with this transaction, the Company paid \$500,000 to Lehman Brothers for consulting fees. In addition, Lehman Commercial Paper, Inc., an affiliate of the Lehman Funds, is a managing agent of the Credit Agreement and received fees of \$666,000.

Loans under the Credit Agreement bear interest at the Eurodollar rate plus 3/4% to 1/2% or prime rate plus 0% to 1/2%, depending on the satisfaction of certain financial ratios. The Company pays a commitment fee on the unused balance of the facility of 3/8% to 1/2%, depending on certain ratios. At December 31, 1993, interest was being charged at the Eurodollar rate plus 1 1/2% and the commitment fee is 1/2%. Amounts available to be drawn under the Credit Agreement will decrease by \$40 million on each of October 31, 1996, April 29, 1997, October 31, 1997 and April 29, 1998. The facility expires on October 31, 1998.

The German Term Loan bears interest at a stated rate of 9.125%, is payable in Deutschemarks in quarterly installments of approximately \$292,000 through March 2000, and is collateralized by certain assets of a German subsidiary.

The Canadian Revolving Credit Loan bears interest at the prime rate plus 1/2%, is payable in September 1994, with an option to extend through September 1995 with the consent of the lending banks, and is guaranteed by letters of credit issued under the Credit Agreement.

The Company had available unused long-term revolving credit commitments of \$157,454,000 at December 31, 1993, net of \$36,846,000 of outstanding letters of credit. Borrowings on revolving credit loans were \$665,594,000, \$737,839,000, \$549,208,000, \$986,308,000 and \$820,519,000 for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993, respectively. Repayments on revolving credit loans were \$656,642,000, \$748,123,000, \$573,338,000, \$760,796,000 and \$589,819,000 for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993, respectively.

The weighted average interest rates on the Senior Debt as of June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993 were 7.3%, 7.5% and 5.1%, respectively.

The $11\ 1/4\%$ Senior Subordinated Notes, due in 2000, require payments of interest semi-annually.

The 14% Subordinated Debentures were redeemed subsequent to December 31, 1993 in connection with the refinancing (Note 3).

The Credit Agreement and Subordinated Debt Agreements contain numerous restrictive covenants. The most restrictive of these covenants are financial covenants related to maintenance of certain levels of net worth, operating profit and interest coverage. The financial covenants generally become more restrictive with the passage of time. These agreements also, among other things, significantly restrict the Company's ability to incur additional indebtedness, declare dividends, make investments and advances, sell assets and limit capital expenditures to specified amounts. The German Term Loan agreement also contains certain restrictive covenants.

As of December 31, 1993, the Company is unable to declare dividends. Loans under the Credit Agreement and the German Term Loan are collectively collateralized by substantially all assets of the Company.

The scheduled maturities of long-term debt at December 31 for the five succeeding years before consideration of the refinancing described in Note 3 are as follows (in thousands):

<TABLE>

<\$>	<c></c>
1994	 \$ 1,168
1995	 2,368
1996	 1,168
1997	 1,168
1998	 265,618

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(10) NATIONAL INCOME TAXES

A summary of income (loss) before provision for national income taxes and components of the provision for national income taxes for the indicated periods is as follows (in thousands):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

			MONTHS	MONTHS
YEA	R ENDED JUNE	30,	ENDED	ENDED
			DECEMBER 31,	DECEMBER 31,
1991	1992	1993	1993	1993
<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>

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Income (loss) before
 provision for national
 income taxes, minority
 interests in net income
 of subsidiaries, equity

income of affiliates					
and extraordinary item: Domestic Foreign	\$(47,302) 27,005	\$(19,964)	\$ 6,759 21,661	\$ (3,433) 29,531	\$(15,105) 5,809
roreign					
	\$(20,297)	\$ (6,484)	\$28,420	\$ 26,098 	\$ (9,296)
Domestic provision for					
national income taxes:			* 6 000		
Current provision	\$	\$ 2,146	\$ 6,873	\$ 7,442	\$ 5,404
Deferred Deferred provision		2,603		904	943
Tax benefit of net operating losses carried		,	,		
back Benefit of previously unbenefitted net operating loss	(6,119)				
carryforwards			(2,446)	(2,953)	
	(5,161)	2,603	(965)	(2,049)	(670)
Foreign provision for					
national income taxes:	21 006	10 404	17 440	22 477	0.720
Current provision	21,006	12,494	17,449	22,477	9,739
Deferred Deferred					
provision Adjustment due to changes in	242	(2,123)	(1,725)	(1,006)	(1,006)
enacted tax rates Tax benefit of			(993)		
operating losses	(2,068)		(2,792)		
	(1,826)	(4,275)	(5,510)	(1,006)	(1,006)
Provision for national					
Provision for national income taxes	\$ 14,019	\$ 12 , 968	\$17 , 847	\$ 26,864	\$ 13,467

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The differences between the United States Federal statutory income tax rate of 35% for the periods ended December 31, 1993 and 34% for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and the consolidated effective national income tax rate for the periods indicated are summarized as follows (in thousands):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,			TWELVE MONTHS ENDED	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,	
	1991	1992	1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993	1993	
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	
<pre>Income (loss) before provision for national income taxes, minority interests in net income of subsidiaries, equity income of affiliates and extraordinary item multiplied by the United States Federal</pre>						
statutory rate	\$(6,901)	\$(2 , 205)	\$ 9,663	\$ 9,135	\$ (3,254)	
Utilization of domestic net operating loss carryforwards Differences between domestic and			(2,446)	(2,953)	(1,613)	
effective foreign tax rates	9,999	3,636	901	3,664	2,420	
Operating losses not tax benefitted	6,663	8,562	3,674	4,850	4,280	

		1,564	875	70
4,259	2,974	3,246	3,344	1,531
(1)	1	819	(826)	(817)
\$14,019	\$12 , 968	\$17,847	\$26,864	\$ 13,467
	(1)	(1) 1	4,259 2,974 3,246 (1) 1 819	4,259 2,974 3,246 3,344 (1) 1 819 (826)

Deferred national income taxes represent temporary differences in the recognition of certain items for income tax and financial reporting purposes. The components of the net deferred national income tax liability are summarized as follows (in thousands):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

JUNE 30, 1992	JUNE 30, 1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993
<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
\$ 28,165	\$ 18,837	\$ 13,788
9,348	9,855	9,663
2,346	1,930	6,054
,	1,234	1,264
1,440	1,740	2,646
\$ 41,299	\$ 33,596	\$ 33,415
	1992 <c> \$ 28,165 9,348 2,346 1,440</c>	1992 1993 <c></c>

</TABLE>

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<TABLE> <CAPTION>

		JUNE 30, 1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Deferred national income tax assets:			
Tax credit carryforwards	\$(18,105)	\$(18,105)	\$(23,671)
Tax loss carryforwards	(7,187)	(13, 203)	(17,082)
Benefit plans	(3,676)	(4,645)	(6,153)
Accruals	(3,306)	(3,654)	(5,435)
Deferred financing fees	(2,922)	(1,640)	(4,742)
Minimum pension liability adjustment	(1,563)	(1,962)	(1,784)
Alternative minimum tax carryforward	(1,242)	(1,053)	(432)
Deferred compensation	(1,324)	(1,324)	(7,640)
Other	(413)	(1,398)	(1,290)
			(68,229)
Valuation allowance			51,454
	(15,529)		(16,775)
Net deferred national income tax liability		\$ 16,720	

</TABLE>

The net deferred national income tax liability includes deferred tax assets of \$2,173,000, \$81,000 and \$58,000 as of June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993, respectively, and a deferred tax liability of \$1,551,000, \$1,265,000 and \$1,561,000 as of June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993, respectively, which have been classified as current in the consolidated balance sheets and a deferred tax asset of \$752,000 as of December 31, 1993, which has been classified as long-term in the consolidated balance sheet.

Deferred national income taxes and withholding taxes have been provided on earnings of the Company's Canadian subsidiary to the extent it is anticipated that the earnings will be remitted in the form of future dividends. Deferred national income taxes and withholding taxes have not been provided on the undistributed earnings of the Company's European and Mexican subsidiaries as such amounts are deemed to be permanently reinvested. The cumulative

undistributed earnings at December 31, 1993 on which the Company had not provided additional national income taxes and withholding taxes were approximately \$19,942,000.

In June 1993, the Company settled with the Canadian taxing authorities on the open issues relating to its Canadian tax returns through 1989. In addition, a settlement was reached with Revenue Canada regarding treatment of certain items relating to the Company's financing subsidiaries. The expense related to these settlements was provided by the Company prior to the year ended June 30, 1993, and did not have a material effect on the Company's results of operations or financial position.

As of December 31, 1993 the Company had a net operating loss carryforward for United States income tax return purposes of approximately \$1,039,000, subject to certain limitations, expiring in the year 2006. In addition, two European subsidiaries had net operating loss carryforwards for tax return purposes totalling approximately \$31,500,000, which have no expiration date, and FHI had a net operating loss carryforward of approximately \$7,200,000, expiring in 2007. The foreign tax credit carryforwards expire in 1994 through 1996.

(11) RETIREMENT PLANS

The Company has noncontributory defined benefit pension plans covering substantially all domestic employees and certain employees in foreign countries. The Company's salaried plans provide benefits based on a career average earnings formula. Hourly pension plans provide benefits under flat benefit formulas. The Company also has a contractual arrangement with a key employee which provides for supplemental retirement benefits. In general, the Company's policy is to fund these plans based on legal requirements, tax considerations, and local practices.

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Components of the Company's pension expense include the following for the periods indicated (in thousands):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	YEAR	ENDED JUNE	30,	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,	
	1991	1992	1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993	1993	
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	
Service cost	\$ 2,229	\$ 2,921	\$ 3,096	\$ 3,466	\$ 1,918	
Interest cost on projected benefit obligation	5,309	6,211	5,908	6,142	3,188	
Actual return on assets	(2,942)	(4,894)	(6,618)	(7,847)	(4,538)	
Net amortization and deferral	(1,886)	471	1,785	3,131	2,238	
Net pension expense	\$ 2,710	\$ 4,709	\$ 4,171	\$ 4,892	\$ 2,806	
Net pension expense	\$ 2,710 		۶ 4 , 1/1		2,000	

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The following table sets forth a reconciliation of the funded status of the Company's defined benefit pension plans to the related amounts recorded in the consolidated balance sheets (in thousands):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	JUNE 30,	1992	JUNE 30,	1993	DECEMBER 31, 1993		
	PLANS WHOSE ASSETS EXCEED ABO	PLANS WHOSE ABO EXCEEDS ASSETS	PLANS WHOSE ASSETS EXCEED ABO	PLANS WHOSE ABO EXCEEDS ASSETS	PLANS WHOSE ASSETS EXCEED ABO	PLANS WHOSE ABO EXCEEDS ASSETS	
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	
Actuarial present value of: Vested benefit obligation Non-vested benefit	\$11,393	\$47,570	\$13,946	\$48,001	\$11,938	\$ 58,076	
obligation	42	2,171	809	1,908	77	3,139	
Accumulated benefit obligation (ABO)	11,435	49,741	14,755	49,909	12,015	61,215	
compensation increases	983	8,366	9,135	883	1,075	10,097	
Projected benefit obligation	12,418	58,107	23,890	50 , 792	13,090	71,312	

Plan assets at fair value	16,952	36,674	21,942	36,034	18,317	42,833
Projected benefit obligation in excess of (less than) plan						
assets	(4,534)	21,433	1,948	14,758	(5,227)	28,479
Unamortized net loss Unrecognized prior service	(3,027)	(6,838)	(2,946)	(4,943)	(1,270)	(12,461)
cost Unamortized net asset		165	641	(2,041)	(20)	(1,065)
<pre>(obligation) at transition Adjustment required to recognize minimum</pre>	5,047	(1,922)	4,039	(1,413)	4,001	(1,580)
liability		6,545		7,601		11,105
Accrued pension (asset) liability recorded in the consolidated balance						
sheets	\$ (2,514) 	\$19 , 383	\$ 3,682 	\$13,962 	\$(2,516) 	\$ 24,478

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The actuarial assumptions used in determining pension expense and the funded status information shown above were as follows:

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,			TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,
	1991	1992	1993	1993	1993
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Discount rate:					
Domestic plans	8%	8%	8%	7.5-8%	7.5-8%
Foreign plans	10%	9%	7-9%	7-9%	7-8%
Rate of salary progression:					
Domestic plans	6%	6%	6%	6%	6%
Foreign plans	4%	1-5%	3-5%	3-5%	3-5%
Long-term rate of return on assets:					
Domestic plans	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%
Foreign plans					

 10% | 9% | 9% | 8-9% | 8% |Plan assets include cash equivalents, common and preferred stock, and government and corporate debt securities.

Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 87, "Employers' Accounting for Pensions," required the Company to record a minimum liability as of June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993 and December 31, 1993. As of December 31, 1993, the Company recorded a long-term liability of \$11,105,000, an intangible asset of \$5,157,000, which is included with other assets, and a reduction in stockholders' equity of \$4,164,000, net of income taxes of \$1,784,000.

The Company also sponsors defined contribution plans and participates in Government sponsored programs in certain foreign countries. Contributions are determined as a percentage of each covered employee's salary. The Company also participates in multi-employer pension plans for certain of its hourly employees and contributes to those plans based on collective bargaining agreements. The aggregate cost of the defined contribution and multi-employer pension plans charged to operations was \$1,001,000, \$1,093,000, \$1,335,000, \$1,712,000 and \$1,002,000 for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993, respectively.

(12) POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS

On July 1, 1993, the Company adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 106, "Employers Accounting for Post-retirement Benefits Other Than Pensions" for its domestic plans. This standard, which must be adopted for foreign plans no later than 1995, requires that the expected cost of post-retirement benefits be charged to expense during the years in which the employees render service to the Company.

The Company's domestic post-retirement plans generally provide for the continuation of medical benefits for all employees who complete 10 years of service after age 45 and retire from the Company at age 55 or older. The Company

does not fund its post-retirement benefit obligation. Rather, payments are made as costs are incurred by covered retirees.

As of July 1, 1993, the Company's accumulated post-retirement benefit obligation was approximately \$31,925,000. Because the Company had previously recorded a liability of \$6,277,000 related to these benefits, the net transition obligation, which will be amortized over 20 years, was \$25,648,000. The following table sets forth a reconciliation of the funded status of the accrued post-retirement benefits liability to the related

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amounts recorded in the financial statements as of December 31, 1993, excluding the amounts related to the acquisition of the NAB as discussed below (in thousands):

<TABLE>

<\$>	<c></c>
Accumulated Post-retirement Benefit Obligation ("APBO"):	
Retirees Fully eligible active plan participants Other active participants Unamortized Transition Obligation	4,051 19,783
Liability Recorded in the Balance Sheet (includes current liability of \$675)	

</TABLE>

Components of the Company's post-retirement benefit expense based upon an adoption date of July 1, 1993 for the indicated periods were as follows (in thousands):

<TABLE>

	YEAR	SIX MONTHS
	ENDED	ENDED
	DECEMBER 31,	DECEMBER 31,
	1993	1993
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Service cost	\$1 , 719	\$1 , 719
Interest cost on APBO	1,313	1,313
Amortization of transition obligation	641	641
Net post-retirement benefit expense	\$3 , 673	\$3 , 673

</TABLE>

The APBO as of December 31, 1993 was calculated using an assumed discount rate of 7.5%. Health care costs were assumed to rise 13.8% in 1994, with the assumed rate increase decreasing by 1% per year to a minimum of 6.4% in 2008. To illustrate the significance of these assumptions, a rise in the assumed rate of health care cost increases of 1% each year would increase the APBO as of December 31, 1993 by \$4,702,000 and increase the net post-retirement benefit expense by \$577,000 for the six months ended December 31, 1993.

In connection with the acquisition of the NAB (Note 6) the Company assumed certain post-retirement obligations. Accordingly, a liability for the estimated APBO of \$965,000 was recorded in purchase accounting.

Prior to July 1, 1993, post-retirement benefit costs were expensed as incurred. Benefit payments were approximately \$1,076,000, \$883,000, \$826,000, \$758,000 and \$400,000 for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993.

In November 1992, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 112, "Employers Accounting for Post-Employment Benefits." This statement requires that employers accrue the cost of post-employment benefits during the employees' active service. The Company will adopt this statement effective January 1, 1994. The Company believes that the adoption of this statement will not have a material effect on its financial position of results of operations.

(13) COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The Company is the subject of various lawsuits, claims and environmental contingencies. In addition, the Company has been identified as a potentially responsible party under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("Superfund"), for the cleanup of contamination from hazardous substances at three Superfund sites, and may incur indemnification obligations for cleanup at two additional sites. In the opinion of management, the expected liability resulting from these matters is adequately covered by amounts accrued, and will not have a material adverse effect on the Company's consolidated financial position or future results of operations.

Two of the Company's European subsidiaries factor their accounts receivable with a bank subject to limited recourse provisions and is charged a discount fee equal to the current LIBOR rate plus 1%. The

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amount of such factored receivables, which was not included in accounts receivable in the consolidated balance sheet at December 31, 1993, was approximately \$38,485,000.

Lease commitments at December 31, 1993 under noncancelable operating leases with terms exceeding one year are as follows (in thousands):

<TABLE>

1994 <s></s>	\$15,802 <c></c>
1995	13,300
1996	8,987
1997	7,666
1998	6,905
1999 and thereafter	41,233
Total	\$93,893

</TABLE>

The Company's operating leases cover principally buildings and transportation equipment. Rent expense incurred under all operating leases and charged to operations was \$4,760,000, \$8,598,000, \$11,573,000, \$12,599,000 and \$6,529,000 for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993, respectively.

In January 1992, the Company entered into an agreement with Volvo Personvagnar AB ("Volvo") to either purchase or cause a third party to purchase certain real property from Volvo. From January 1, 1992 until September 1992, the Company accounted for the transaction as a financing lease. In September 1992, the City of Bengtsfors, Sweden purchased this property from Volvo and subsequently leased it to LS-Sweden for a term of 15 years. The lease with the City of Bengtsfors requires quarterly lease payments of approximately \$500,000, and is accounted for as an operating lease. These payments are included in the table above.

(14) WARRANTS, STOCK OPTIONS AND COMMON STOCK SUBJECT TO REDEMPTION

Warrants

In 1988, the Company sold warrants exercisable into 3,300,000 shares of common stock. The warrants, which entitle the holder to receive one share of common stock for no additional consideration, became exercisable on December 1, 1993. None of the warrants have been exercised as of December 31, 1993.

1988 Stock Option Plan

At December 31, 1993, 2,131,272 options granted under a stock option plan dated September 29, 1988 were issued and outstanding. The options vested over a three-year period and are currently exercisable at \$1.29 per share. The difference between the exercise price and the market value at the date of grant was amortized to expense over the vesting period.

1992 Stock Option Plan

Under the 1992 stock option plan, the Company may grant up to 1,914,000 stock options to the management investors and certain other management personnel. During fiscal 1993, the Company granted 1,376,100 of these options. On December 31, 1993, the remaining 537,900 options under this plan were granted. Pursuant to a plan amendment effective December 31, 1993, all of the

options became immediately vested and will generally become exercisable at \$5 per share on September 28, 1996, or sooner in the case of certain triggering events

Stock option expense for the six months and twelve months ended December 31, 1993 was approximately \$14,474,000, and is included in incentive stock and other compensation expense in the accompanying statements of operations. The expense recognized reflects the immediate vesting of the previously unvested

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options on December 31, 1993 ,based on the estimated market value of the common stock of the Company of \$13.64\$ per share.

In addition to the stock option expense, stock and other compensation expense in the accompanying statements of operations includes \$3,542,000 in special management bonuses approved by the Board of Directors as of December, 1993.

The changes in the number of options outstanding for the periods indicated are as follows:

<TABLE>

	YEAI	R ENDED JUNE	30,	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,	SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,
	1991	1992	1993	1993	1993
<s> Options outstanding at</s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
beginning of period Options Granted	2,232,186 97,086	2,309,868	2,131,272 1,376,100	3,507,372 537,900	3,507,372 537,900
Options Revoked	19,404	178 , 596			
Options outstanding at end of period	2,309,868	2,131,272	3,507,372	4,045,272	4,045,272

</TABLE>

Under the terms of the Stockholders' and Registration Rights Agreement, shares of common stock held by certain management investors are subject to redemption at the option of the holder in the event of death, disability and certain events of termination, as defined in the agreement. In such event, the redemption price is the higher of cost or fair market value, as defined, as of the date of the exercise of the option. Shares subject to such a redemption option at December 31, 1993 total 990,033, distributed among 33 investors (Note 18).

Because no public market exists for the common stock of the Company and no fair market value appraisal of the common stock had been performed, shares subject to limited rights of redemption were stated at cost of \$3.03 per share as of June 30, 1991. At June 30, 1992 and June 30, 1993, these shares are stated at \$5 per share, representing the maximum estimated fair market value of the stock based on the price per share in the September 1991 capitalization transaction (Note 5) and the sale of common stock in July 1992 (Note 4). At December 31, 1993, the shares are stated at \$13.64 per share, representing an estimated market value of the common stock of the Company. In the accompanying consolidated balance sheets, common stock subject to redemption is stated net of the related notes receivable from sale of common stock.

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(15) GEOGRAPHIC SEGMENT DATA

Worldwide operations are divided into four geographic segments -- United States, Canada, Europe and Mexico. The European geographic segment includes operations in Austria, Finland, France, Germany, Sweden and the United Kingdom. Geographic segment information is as follows (in thousands):

<TABLE>

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,					TWELVE MONTHS ENDED		SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,		
		1991		1992		1993		1993	1993	
<\$>	<c< th=""><th>></th><th><c< th=""><th>!></th><th></th><th>></th><th><c></c></th><th></th><th><c></c></th><th></th></c<></th></c<>	>	<c< th=""><th>!></th><th></th><th>></th><th><c></c></th><th></th><th><c></c></th><th></th></c<>	!>		>	<c></c>		<c></c>	
Net sales:	^	100 611	^	604 070	_	0.47 100	^ 1	0.60 555		507.064
United States	Ş	490,611	Ş	684,979	Ş	847,133	ŞI	,060,555	Ş	587,064
Canada		360,705 145,540		427,457		389,924		397,488		179,695
Europe Mexico		•		268,175 173,383		434,146 203,218		407,488 208,647		191,844 106,410
Intersegment		120,000		1/3,303		203,210		200,047		100,410
sales		(40,417)		(131,254)		(117,911)		(123,890)		(59,795)
		,085,319	\$1	,422,740		,756,510	\$1,950,288			
Operating Income:										
United States		•		32,002		,		61,283		27,081
Canada								25 , 628		
Europe		(3,667)						(9 , 668)		(7 , 608)
Mexico				•		17,900		20,326		8,213
Unallocated(a)		(1,353)		12				(18,016)		(18,016)
	\$	44,670		56,833		81,053		79 , 553	\$	21,798
Identifiable Assets:										
United States		341,676		350 , 694	\$,		679 , 686	\$	679 , 686
Canada				197,371		200,195		180,144		180,144
Europe				179,482		181,077		170,838		170,838
Mexico		53,525		64,572		59,130		68,249		68,249
Unallocated(b)		11,674		7,765		9,825		14,377		14,377
		729,670	\$	799,884		820,209	\$1	,113,294		,113,294

(b) Unallocated Identifiable Assets consist of deferred financing fees.

The net assets of foreign subsidiaries were \$169,461,000, \$236,019,000, \$215,255,000 and \$231,691,000 at June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and December 31, 1993, respectively. The Company's share of foreign net income (loss) was \$8,438,000, \$7,544,000, \$8,508,000, \$6,034,000 and \$(2,412,000) for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993, respectively.

A majority of the Company's sales are to automobile manufacturing companies. The following is a summary of the percentage of net sales to major customers:

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TWELVE MONTHS SIX MONTHS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, ENDED ENDED DECEMBER 31, DECEMBER 31, 1992 1993 1991 1993 1993 <C> -----<C> 45% 28 General Motors Corporation..... 42% Ford Motor Company..... 33 </TABLE>

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LEAR SEATING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

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In addition, a significant portion of remaining sales are to the above automobile manufacturing companies through various other automotive suppliers or to affiliates of these automobile manufacturing companies. The majority of the Company's accounts receivable are due from the customers listed above.

(16) QUARTERLY FINANCIAL DATA (UNAUDITED) (A)

⁽a) Unallocated Operating Income consists of incentive stock option and other compensation (Note 14).

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	V SEPTE 1	ERTEEN HEEKS ENDED EMBER 28,	THIRTEEN WEEK: ENDED DECEMBER 28, 1991		EN MARC	EN WEEKS DED H 28, 992	THIRTEEN WEEKS ENDED JUNE 30, 1992	
<\$>	<c></c>		<c></c>		<c></c>		<c></c>	
Net sales		284,431		9,725		9,233		9,351
Gross profit Income (loss) before		17,761	2	7,164	2	5,244	4	5,472
extraordinary item		(14,689)		926	(4,667)		1,300
Net income (loss) Income (loss) before extraordinary item per		(15,103)		926	(4,667)	(3,386)
common share Net income (loss) per	\$	(.88)	\$.03	\$	(.15)	\$.04
common share<	\$	(.90)	\$.03	\$	(.15)	\$	(.11)
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	199	92 (B)	199	3 (B)	1	993	1	993
<\$>	<c></c>		<c></c>		<c></c>		<c></c>	
Net salesGross profitIncome (loss) before		59,136 21,415	\$452,304 33,104			8,022 0,224		7,048 7,756
extraordinary item	(1	2,291)		1,520		6,120	14,765	
Net income (loss) Income (loss) before extraordinary item per	(1	.2,291)		1,520		6,120	1	4,765
common share	\$	(.36)	\$.04	\$.15	\$.37
Net income (loss) per common share	\$	(.36)	\$.04	\$.15	\$.37

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CAPITON>				THIRTEE	EN WEEKS	THIRTEE	N WEEKS	
				ENI	DED	END	ED	
				19	BER 2, 993	19	SER 31, 193	
Net sales				\$399	,066	\$606	,152	
Gross profit					,827		,408	
Income (loss) before extraordinary item.....

Net income (loss).....

Income (loss) before extraordinary item per common

share.....
Net income (loss) per common share......

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</TABLE>

LEAR SEATING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS -- (CONTINUED)

(17) FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Company hedges certain foreign currency risks through the use of forward foreign exchange contracts and options. Such contracts are deemed as and are effective as hedges of the related transactions. As such, gains and losses from these contracts are deferred and are recognized on the settlement date, consistent with the related transactions. As of December 31, 1993, the Company and its subsidiaries have contracted to exchange up to \$107,000,000 U.S. for fixed amounts of Canadian dollars. In addition, the Company and its subsidiaries have contracted to purchase 4,000,000 British Pounds for fixed amounts of German

(10,829)

(11,364)

\$ (.31) \$ (.32) (12, 203)

\$ (.34) \$ (.66)

(23, 352)

⁽a) Dollar amounts are in thousands, except per share data.

⁽b) The provision for national income taxes for the fourteen weeks ended October 3, 1992 and the thirteen weeks ended January 2, 1993 were approximately \$1,687,000\$ and \$2,763,000, respectively.

Marks. The contracts mature during 1994.

The historical cost of certain of the Company's financial instruments varies from the fair values of these instruments. The instruments listed below have fair values which differ significantly from their carrying values. The carrying values of all other financial instruments approximate the fair values of such instruments.

<TABLE>

ITEM	CARRYING VALUE	FAIR VALUE
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
German Term Loan	\$ 7,592,000	\$ 8,869,000
Senior Subordinated Notes	125,000,000	136,250,000
Subordinated Debentures	135,000,000	143,100,000

 | |Fair values of financial instruments were determined as follows:

Cash, Accounts Receivable, Accounts Payable and Notes Payable -- Fair values were estimated to be equal to carrying values because of the short-term, highly liquid nature of these instruments.

Senior Indebtedness -- Fair values were determined based on rates currently available to the Company for similar borrowings of the same maturities.

Subordinated Debt -- Fair values were determined by reference to market prices of the securities in recent public transactions.

(18) STOCK SPLIT, INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING AND AMENDMENT TO STOCKHOLDERS AND REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT -- SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The weighted average number of common shares outstanding for the years ended June 30, 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for the twelve and six months ended December 31, 1993 were 16,493,499; 27,768,312; 40,049,064; 35,500,014; and 35,500,014, respectively. Shares exercisable under the 1988 Stock Option Plan, 1992 Stock Option Plan, and the warrants (Note 14) are included in the weighted average share calculation for the year ended June 30, 1993. These shares are not included in the calculation of weighted average common shares outstanding in other periods as their impact would be anti-dilutive.

The Board of Directors also approved an initial public offering of the Company's common stock. Upon consummation of the offering, the Stockholders and Registration Rights Agreement will be amended in order to, among other things, relax certain restrictions on transfers of common stock owned by the parties to the agreement and remove the rights of certain management investors to require the Company to redeem their stock upon death, disability and certain events of termination.

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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

To Ford Motor Company:

We have audited the balance sheet of The North American Business (an operating component of Ford Motor Company, as described in Note 1 to the financial statements) at September 30, 1993 and December 31, 1992, and the related statements of income and cash flows for the nine months ended September 30, 1993 and the years ended December 31, 1992 and 1991. These financial statements are the responsibility of the company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from 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 financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The North American Business (an operating component of Ford Motor Company, as described in Note 1 to the financial statements) at September 30, 1993 and December 31, 1992, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the nine months ended September 30, 1993 and the years ended December 31, 1992 and 1991, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

As discussed in Note 5 to the financial statements, the company changed its method of accounting for postretirement benefits other than pensions in 1992. As discussed in Notes 1 and 11 to the financial statements, Ford Motor Company has entered into an agreement for the sale of The North American Business.

/s/ COOPERS & LYBRAND COOPERS & LYBRAND

Detroit, Michigan November 18, 1993

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BALANCE SHEET

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CALITON	SEPT. 30, 1993	DEC. 31, 1992
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,743,000	\$ 2,074,000
\$7,770,000, respectively	30,037,000 36,864,000 1,995,000 691,000	52,865,000 42,574,000 3,138,000 1,067,000
Total current assets	72,330,000	101,718,000
Property, plant and equipment, net (Note 4)	79,334,000 1,597,000	83,854,000 779,000
Total assets	\$153,261,000	\$186,351,000
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Accounts payable, principally trade	\$ 32,401,000	\$ 28,874,000
Salaries and wages. Vacations and holidays. Employee benefit programs. Other. Note payable to Ford Motor Company S.A. de C.V. (Note 7). Income taxes payable.	519,000 653,000 3,021,000 779,000 44,529,000 42,266,000	808,000 928,000 2,118,000 704,000 44,529,000 79,973,000
Total current liabilities	124,168,000	157,934,000
Postretirement benefits other than pensions and other (Note 5)	3,562,000	3,347,000
Total liabilities	127,730,000 25,531,000	161,281,000 25,070,000
Total liabilities and equity	\$153,261,000	\$186,351,000
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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THE NORTH AMERICAN BUSINESS (AN OPERATING COMPONENT OF FORD MOTOR COMPANY)

STATEMENT OF INCOME

FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1993 AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1992 AND 1991

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<caption></caption>	NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED YEAR ENDED DEC. 31, SEPT 30.		
	SEPT. 30, 1993		1991
<pre> <s> Net sales</s></pre>	<c> \$515,102,000</c>	<c></c>	<c> \$547,040,000</c>
Total costs and expenses	393,564,000	451,772,000	390,548,000
Operating income	(2,026,000)	225,488,000 (3,227,000)	156,492,000
Income before income taxes and cumulative effect			
of a change in accounting principle Provision for income taxes (Note 6)	117,602,000 42,591,000	221,117,000 76,842,000	152,251,000 54,184,000
Income before cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle	75,011,000		98,067,000
principle (Note 5)		(1,490,000)	
Net income	\$ 75,011,000		

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THE NORTH AMERICAN BUSINESS (AN OPERATING COMPONENT OF FORD MOTOR COMPANY)

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1993 AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1992 AND 1991

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CAFTION	NINE MONTH	YEAR ENDED DEC. 31,	
	PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30, 1993	1992	1991
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	
Net Income	\$ 75,011,000	\$ 142,785,000	\$ 98,067,000
Adjustments to reconcile net income to cash flows			
from operating activities:			
Cumulative effect of a change in accounting			
principle		1,490,000	
Depreciation	7,370,000	10,225,000	8,847,000
Foreign currency translation adjustment	1,659,000	1,030,000	825,000
Provision for deferred income taxes	325,000	(3,131,000)	(1,274,000)
Changes in assets and liabilities:			
Decrease (increase) in accounts receivable	22,828,000	(1,313,000)	(27,754,000)
Decrease (increase) in inventory	5,710,000	(3,560,000)	(4,252,000)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	3,527,000		6,759,000
Increase (decrease) in accrued liabilities	414,000	780 , 000	1,143,000
Increase (decrease) in income taxes			
payable		24,515,000	
Other	231,000	60,000	211,000
Net cash provided by operating			
activities	79,368,000	166,034,000	77,874,000
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Capital expenditures, net	(2,850,000)	(13,246,000)	(22,696,000)
Capital contributions		10,000,000	
Net cash (used in) investing activities Cash flows from financing activities:	(2,850,000)	(3,246,000)	(22,696,000)

Net funds transferred to Ford	(76,230,000)	(151,342,000) (12,600,000)	(59,929,000) 6,350,000
Net cash (used in) financing activities Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	(76,230,000) 381,000	(163,942,000) (529,000)	(53,579,000) (152,000)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	669,000 2,074,000	(1,683,000) 3,757,000	1,447,000 2,310,000
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$ 2,743,000	\$ 2,074,000	\$ 3,757,000

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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THE NORTH AMERICAN BUSINESS (AN OPERATING COMPONENT OF FORD MOTOR COMPANY)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(1) BASIS OF PRESENTATION:

The North American Business ("NAB") is an operating component of Ford Motor Company ("Ford") and is not a separate legal entity. NAB consists of a portion of the operations of Ford's Plastic and Trim Products Division, which constitutes an integrated U.S. and Mexican maquiladora operation that provides and supplies built-up seats and seat covers for Ford's North American vehicle production. These financial statements include the results of identifiable operating activities, transactions and assets and liabilities associated with the business of NAB in the United States and Mexico.

The entity as described above is referred to as "NAB" or "the Company" in the notes to the financial statements.

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical accounting basis and do not reflect adjustments which may arise related to the transaction described in Note 11.

The financial statements reflect an allocation of certain expenses from Ford based upon the services provided by Ford. However, the financial position and results of operations of the Company, as presented herein, may not be the same as would have occurred had the Company been an entity independent of Ford.

(2) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers all highly liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

Inventory Valuation

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost or market. The cost of inventories is determined by the first-in, first-out ("FIFO") method.

Foreign Currency Translation

The majority of the assets and liabilities of NAB's Mexican operations are translated at current exchange rates with the exception of property, plant and equipment which is translated at historical exchange rates. Translation gains and losses are included in income.

Depreciation

Assets placed in service after January 1, 1993 are depreciated using the straight-line method of depreciation. Assets placed in service prior to January 1, 1993 are depreciated using an accelerated method that results in accumulated depreciation of approximately two-thirds of asset cost during the first half of the asset's estimated useful life. On average, buildings and land improvements are depreciable based on a 30-year life, and machinery, equipment and office furniture are depreciated based on a 14-year life.

When plant and equipment are retired, the general policy is to charge the cost of such assets, reduced by net salvage proceeds, to accumulated depreciation. All maintenance, repairs and rearrangement costs are expensed as incurred. Expenditures that increase the value or productive capacity of assets are capitalized.

Sales to outside customers are recognized when the product is shipped. Prior to May 1993, sales to Ford and its affiliates were recognized when the product was received by the customer. Subsequent to that date,

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sales to Ford and its affiliates are recognized when the product is shipped, with the exception of sales to Ford's Canadian subsidiary, which are recognized when the product is received by the customer in Canada.

(3) INVENTORIES:

The major classes of inventories were as follows:

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	SEPT. 30, 1993	DEC. 31, 1992
<pre><s> Raw materials and work in progress Finished goods Nonproduction materials and supplies</s></pre>	<pre> <c> \$24,918,000 10,133,000 1,813,000</c></pre>	<pre> <c> \$25,758,000 15,848,000 968,000</c></pre>
Total	\$36,864,000	\$42,574,000

</TABLE>

(4) PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT, NET:

Property, plant and equipment is stated at cost, net of accumulated depreciation, and consisted of the following:

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	SEPT. 30, 1993	DEC. 30, 1992
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Land	\$ 7,119,000	\$ 7,119,000
Buildings and land improvements	49,616,000	49,712,000
Machinery, equipment and other	75,360,000	72,705,000
Construction in progress	620,000	1,805,000
Total property, plant and equipment	132,715,000	131,341,000
Accumulated depreciation	(53,381,000)	(47,487,000)
Property, plant and equipment, net	\$ 79,334,000	\$ 83,854,000

</TABLE>

NAB's Mexican maquiladora has beneficial ownership of the land and buildings through trust agreements with Banca Serfin, Institucion de Banca Multiple, Grupos Financiero Serfin, Division Fiduciara. Substantially all other assets are owned by the U.S. operations.

(5) EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT BENEFITS:

Employee Retirement Plans

Retirement benefits are provided to certain salaried employees of NAB under the Ford General Retirement Plan (the "Plan"). Ford allocated to the Company the costs associated with employees who participated in this Plan. The amount of expense allocated to NAB from Ford was \$178,000 during the nine months ended September 30, 1993 and \$177,000 and \$165,000 during the years ended December 31, 1992 and 1991, respectively.

Post-Employment Health Care and Life Insurance Benefits

The same employees who receive the aforementioned retirement benefits are also eligible to receive health care and insurance benefits upon retirement through various Ford programs if they reach retirement age while still working for Ford.

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Prior to 1992, Ford recognized the expense for these post-retirement health care benefits based on actual expenditures for the year. Beginning in 1992, the estimated cost for post-retirement health care benefits was accrued on an actuarially determined basis, in accordance with Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 106, "Employers' Accounting for Postretirement Benefits Other than Pensions." Ford elected to recognize the prior year unaccrued accumulated post-retirement benefit obligation of this accounting change as a cumulative adjustment to income in the first quarter of 1992. Ford has allocated \$2,258,000 of the cumulative adjustment, on a pre-tax basis, to NAB as of January 1, 1992. Ford has allocated \$245,100 and \$388,900 for current period expense to NAB for the periods ended September 30, 1993 and December 31, 1992, respectively. The effect of the post-retirement benefits on 1991 income was not material.

The components of the September 30, 1993 and December 30, 1992 obligation consist of the following:

<TABLE>

	SEPT. 30, 1993	DEC. 31, 1992
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Health	\$2,739,000	\$2,795,000
Life	678,000	549,000
Other	145,000	3,000
	\$3,562,000	\$3,347,000

</TABLE>

(6) INCOME TAXES:

NAB adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes" ("SFAS No. 109"), as of January 1, 1991. The effect of this change in accounting principle was not material. Prior to the adoption of SFAS No. 109, NAB's method of accounting for income taxes was the deferred method under Accounting Principles Board Opinion No. 11.

 $\ensuremath{\mathtt{NAB's}}$ provision for income taxes was as follows:

<TABLE>

		YEAR ENDED	
	NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30, 1993	DEC. 31, 1992	•
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Currently payable			
U.S	\$41,779,000	\$79,400,000	\$54,723,000
Mexican	487,000	573,000	735,000
Total currently payable	\$42,266,000	\$79,973,000	\$55,458,000
U.S	355,000	(2,762,000)	(980,000)
Mexican	(30,000)	(369,000)	(294,000)
Total deferred	325,000	(3,131,000)	(1,274,000)
Total provision	\$42,591,000	\$76,842,000	\$54,184,000

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THE NORTH AMERICAN BUSINESS (AN OPERATING COMPONENT OF FORD MOTOR COMPANY)

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Deferred income taxes reflect the estimated future tax effect of a temporary differences between the amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and such amounts as measured by tax laws and regulations. The components of deferred income tax assets and liabilities as of September 30, 1993 and December 31, 1992 are as follows:

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	SEPT. 30, 1993		DEC. 31, 1992	
	DEFERRED TAX ASSET	DEFERRED TAX LIABILITY	DEFERRED TAX ASSET	DEFERRED TAX LIABILITY
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Depreciation	\$1,520,000		\$ 836,000	
Receivable allowance	1,575,000		2,642,000	
Employee benefit plans	1,622,000		1,580,000	
Inventory valuation		\$1,125,000		\$1,141,000
Total deferred taxes	\$4,717,000	\$1,125,000	\$5,058,000	\$1,141,000

</TABLE>

The effective tax rate differs from the U.S. statutory rates for all years because of the effect of Mexican taxes.

The Company's income before taxes and cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle for its U.S. and Mexican operations were as follows:

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IF I I ON >	NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30, 1993	YEAR ENDED		
		DEC. 31, 1992	DEC. 31, 1991	
<pre><s> United States Mexico</s></pre>	<c> \$120,638,000 (3,036,000)</c>	<c> \$225,403,000 (4,286,000)</c>	<c> \$158,068,000 (5,817,000)</c>	
	\$117,602,000	\$221,117,000	\$152,251,000	

</TABLE>

(7) NOTE PAYABLE TO FORD MOTOR COMPANY S.A. DE C.V.:

Interest rates on the note payable to Ford Motor Company S.A. de C.V. ("Ford of Mexico") ranged from 5.5 percent to 6.5 percent and 5.5 percent to 7.0 percent at September 30, 1993 and December 31, 1992, respectively.

Interest paid on the Ford of Mexico note was \$2,025,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 1993 and \$3,207,000 and \$4,227,000 during the years ended December 31, 1992 and 1991, respectively.

(8) EQUITY AND ADVANCES ACCOUNT:

Equity and advances reflect the accumulation of transactions between NAB, other operating components of Ford and various Ford affiliates. These transactions include operating results, corporate assessments, advances and other intercompany transactions. Additionally, the equity and advances account reflects the common stock investment in the Mexican maquiladora held by Ford and its affiliates.

Transactions of NAB in the U.S. are settled through Ford cash accounts. These cash accounts are not separately allocated to the NAB operations. Accordingly, these transactions also have been recorded through the equity and advances account.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS -- (CONTINUED)

(9) TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES:

Sales and purchases of products and technical and administrative services

are transacted between NAB and Ford and its affiliates. A summary of the amounts included in the NAB statements of income follows:

<TABLE>

	NINE MONTH			
	PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30, 1993	1992	1991	
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	
Sales Purchases	\$ 401,357,000	\$568,605,000	\$487,111,000	
Product	18,388,000	23,302,000	27,351,000	
Technical and administrative services	8,900,000	9,100,000	7,100,000	

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Sales to nonrelated parties consist primarily of seat trim and assemblies for further processing and subsequent resale to Ford and its affiliates.

Effective January 1, 1993, NAB agreed to reduce the selling prices of its products to Ford. The effect of this agreement reduced revenues for the nine months ended September 30, 1993 by approximately \$66 million.

See previous notes for additional related party information.

(10) LITIGATION, CLAIMS AND CONTINGENCIES:

Various legal actions and claims are pending or may be instituted or asserted in the future against the Company. Litigation is subject to many uncertainties, the outcome of individual litigated matters is not predictable with assurance and it is reasonably possible that some of the foregoing matters could be decided unfavorably to NAB.

NAB operates in Mexico under a maquilla program. Under the maquilla program, NAB can import into Mexico any fixed assets or materials necessary for production, without paying import taxes, as long as the assets are returned to the United States. If materials or fixed assets are not discharged properly or if the Company cannot prove that items are maintained in Mexico, the Mexican Custom Authority can levy an import tax (average tax rate - 35 percent) and a value-added tax (average rate - 10 percent).

Although the amount of liability at September 30, 1993 with respect to these matters cannot be ascertained, the Company believes that any resulting liability should not materially affect the financial position of the Company at September 30, 1993.

(11) AGREEMENT WITH LEAR SEATING CORPORATION:

Pursuant to an agreement with Lear Seating Corporation ("Lear"), Ford sold NAB to Lear on November 1, 1993. Certain assets and liabilities (identified in the purchase agreement) presented in the September 30, 1993 and December 31, 1992 balance sheets are excluded from the purchase and will be retained by Ford.

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[MAP OF FACILITIES]

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No dealer, salesperson or other individual has been authorized to give any information or to make any representations not contained in this Prospectus and, if given or made, such information or representations must not be relied upon as having been authorized by the Company or any of the U.S. Underwriters. This Prospectus does not constitute an offer of any securities other than those to which it relates or an offer to sell, or a solicitation of an offer to buy, to any person in any jurisdiction where such an offer or solicitation would be unlawful. Neither the delivery of this Prospectus nor any sale made hereunder shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that the information contained herein is correct as of any time subsequent to the date hereof.

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PROSPECTUS

, 1994

LEHMAN BROTHERS

KIDDER, PEABODY & CO. INCORPORATED

MORGAN STANLEY & CO. INCORPORATED

WERTHEIM SCHRODER & CO. INCORPORATED

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Information contained herein is subject to completion or amendment. A registration statement relating to these securities has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. These securities may not be sold nor may offers to buy be accepted prior to the time the registration statement becomes effective. This prospectus shall not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy nor shall there be any sale of these securities in any State in which such offer, solicitation or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the securities laws of any such State.

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PROSPECTUS

Pursuant to Rule 424(a) Registration No. 33-52565

9,375,000 SHARES

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COMMON STOCK

Of the 9,375,000 shares of Common Stock ("Common Stock") of Lear Seating Corporation ("Lear" or the "Company") being offered hereby, 6,250,000 shares are being offered by the Company and 3,125,000 shares are being offered by a stockholder of the Company (the "Selling Stockholder"). The Company will not receive any of the proceeds from the sale of Common Stock by the Selling Stockholder. Of the 9,375,000 shares of Common Stock being offered hereby, 1,875,000 shares are being offered initially outside the United States by the International Managers (the "International Offering") and 7,500,000 shares are being offered initially in the United States by the U.S. Underwriters (the "U.S. Offering" and, together with the International Offering, the "Offerings"). The initial public offering price and underwriting discounts and commissions per share are identical for both Offerings. See "Underwriting."

Prior to the Offerings, there has been no public market for the Common Stock. It is currently estimated that the initial public offering price will be between \$15.00 and \$17.00 per share. The Company has filed an application to list the Common Stock on the New York Stock Exchange.

SEE "CERTAIN CONSIDERATIONS" FOR CERTAIN FACTORS THAT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED BY PROSPECTIVE INVESTORS.

THESE SECURITIES HAVE NOT BEEN APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED BY THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR ANY STATE SECURITIES COMMISSION NOR HAS THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR ANY STATE SECURITIES COMMISSION PASSED UPON THE ACCURACY OR ADEQUACY OF THIS PROSPECTUS. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.

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<caption></caption>	PRICE TO PUBLIC	UNDERWRITING DISCOUNTS AND COMMISSIONS(1)	PROCEEDS TO COMPANY(2)	PROCEEDS TO SELLING STOCKHOLDER
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Per Share	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total(3)	\$	\$	\$	\$
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- (1) Lear and the Selling Stockholder have agreed to indemnify the International Managers, the U.S. Underwriters, and certain other persons against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. See "Underwriting."
- (2) Before deducting expenses payable by Lear estimated at \$
- (3) The Company has granted the International Managers and U.S. Underwriters a 30-day option to purchase up to an aggregate of 937,500 additional shares of Common Stock on the same terms and conditions as set forth above solely to cover over-allotments, if any. If such option is exercised in full, the total Price to Public, Underwriting Discounts and Commissions and Proceeds to Company will be \$, \$ and \$, respectively. See "Underwriting."

The shares of Common Stock offered by this Prospectus are offered by the International Managers subject to prior sale, to withdrawal, cancellation or modification of the offer without notice, to delivery to and acceptance by the International Managers and to certain further conditions. It is expected that delivery of certificates for the shares will be made at the offices of Lehman Brothers Inc., New York, New York, on or about , 1994.

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No dealer, salesperson or other individual has been authorized to give any information or to make any representations not contained in this Prospectus and, if given or made, such information or representations must not be relied upon as having been authorized by the Company or any of the International Managers. This Prospectus does not constitute an offer of any securities other than those to which it relates or an offer to sell, or a solicitation of an offer to buy, to any person in any jurisdiction where such an offer or solicitation would be unlawful. Neither the delivery of this Prospectus nor any sale made hereunder shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that the information contained herein is correct as of any time subsequent to the date hereof.

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COMMON STOCK

PROSPECTUS

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<table> <caption> INSIDE FRONT COVER</caption></table>	APPENDIX A DESCRIPTION OF PHOTOGRAPHS
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1	Photograph of exterior of the Company's Southfield, Michigan Automotive Technical Center.
2	Photograph of trophy awarded by Ford Motor Trend Magazine for its Car of the Year.
3	Photograph of prototype seats with seat belts built into the seats.
4	Full page of photographs of the exteriors of the Dodge Viper, Ford Mustang and Chevrolet Corvette, including inset photographs of the interiors of those cars.

Map	$\ensuremath{\mathtt{A}}$ world map showing the 61 facilities of Lear Seating Corporation and its subsidiaries.	