

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549  
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FORM 8-K/A

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities  
Exchange Act of 1934

JUNE 1, 2001  
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

BERMUDA	1-8993	94-2708455
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(Commission file number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

28 GATES STREET WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, VERMONT 05001  
(Address of principal executive offices)

(802) 295-4500  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

ITEM 2. ACQUISITION OF ASSETS

White Mountains Insurance Group, Ltd. (the "Registrant") announced on June 1, 2001 that it completed its acquisition of the U.S. property and casualty operations ("CGU") of London-based CGNU plc.

The Stock Purchase Agreement and the press release dated September 25, 2000 were previously filed as Exhibits 99 (a) and 99 (b), respectively, to the Form 8-K dated September 25, 2000. Amendment No.1 to the Stock Purchase Agreement, the Registrant's press release dated October 19, 2000, the Convertible Preferred Stock Term Sheet, the Berkshire Hathaway Preferred Stock and Warrants Term Sheet, the Senior Secured Credit Facilities Commitment and the Amendment to the Senior Secured Credit Facilities Commitment were previously filed as Exhibits 99(c), 99(d), 99(e), 99(f), 99(g) and 99(h), respectively, to the Form 8-K dated October 19, 2000. Amendment No. 2 to the Stock Purchase Agreement, the summary of the terms and conditions of the modified Lehman financing commitment and the Registrant's press release dated February 20, 2001 were previously filed as Exhibits 99(i), 99(j) and 99(k), respectively, to the Form 8-K dated February 20, 2001. The reinsurance contracts with National Indemnity Company and General Re Corporation (and related agreements) and the Registrant's press release dated June 1, 2001 were previously filed as Exhibits 99(m), 99(n), 99(o), 99(p), 99(q) and 99(r), respectively, to the Form 8-K dated June 1, 2001. The Registrant's Warrant Agreement and Subscription Agreement with Berkshire Hathaway Inc., each dated May 30, 2001, as well as the Registrant's Subordinated Note Due 2002 and Note Purchase Option Agreement with CGU International Holdings Luxembourg S.A. and CGU Holdings LLC, each dated as of June 1, 2001, were previously filed as Exhibits 99(s), 99(t), 99(u) and 99(v), respectively, to the Form 8-K dated June 8, 2001. Exhibit 99(1) has been intentionally omitted.

Included as Exhibits 99(w), 99(x) and 99(y) to this Current Report on Form 8-K are the audited consolidated financial statements of CGU Corporation for the years ended December 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998, the unaudited consolidated financial statements of CGU Corporation for the three month periods ended March 31, 2001 and March 31, 2000 and the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet of the Registrant as of March 31, 2001 and the unaudited pro forma condensed combined income statements of the Registrant for the year ended December 31, 2000 and the three month period ended March 31, 2001, respectively, which are incorporated by reference herein in their entirety.

This Current Report on Form 8-K amends the Form 8-K dated June 1, 2001 and filed on June 25, 2001. The amendment serves (i) to remove the financial impact of certain material non-recurring transactions which were entered into contemporaneously with the acquisition of CGU from the pro forma condensed income statement for the year ended December 31, 2000, and (ii) to amend the pro forma condensed income statement for the three month period ended March 31, 2001 to reflect the acquisition of CGU as if it had occurred as of January 1, 2000.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(a) FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF BUSINESSES ACQUIRED.

The audited consolidated financial statements of CGU Corporation for the years ended December 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998 are enclosed as Exhibit 99(w).

The unaudited consolidated financial statements of CGU Corporation for the three month periods ended March 31, 2001 and March 31, 2000 are enclosed herein as Exhibit 99(x).

(b) PRO FORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet of the Registrant as of March 31, 2001 and the amended unaudited pro forma condensed combined income statements of the Registrant for the year ended December 31, 2000 and the three month period ended March 31, 2001 are enclosed herein as Exhibit 99(y).

(c) Exhibits. The following exhibits are filed herewith:

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION
99 (w)	The audited consolidated financial statements of CGU Corporation for the years ended December 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998.
99 (x)	The unaudited consolidated financial statements of CGU Corporation for the three month periods ended March 31, 2001 and March 31, 2000.
99 (y)	The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet of the Registrant as of March 31, 2001 and the amended unaudited pro forma condensed combined income statements of the Registrant for the year ended December 31, 2000 and the three month period ended March 31, 2001.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.

Dated: July 15, 2002

By: /s/ J. Brian Palmer

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J. Brian Palmer  
Chief Accounting Officer

CGU CORPORATION  
(A WHOLLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF CGNU PLC)  
CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31,  
2000, 1999 AND 1998

CGU CORPORATION  
(A WHOLLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF CGNU PLC)  
CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders of  
CGU Corporation

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated balance sheets and the related consolidated statements of income and comprehensive income, shareholders' equity, and cash flows present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of CGU Corporation and its subsidiaries (the "Company") at December 31, 2000 and 1999, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2000 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. 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 of these statements in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which require that we plan and perform the audit 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, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As discussed in Note 1, effective January 1, 1999, the Company changed its method of accounting for insurance-related assessments.

/s/ PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP  
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May 8, 2001

CGU CORPORATION  
(A WHOLLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF CGNU PLC)  
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS  
DECEMBER 31, 2000 AND 1999  
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT FOR PER SHARE AMOUNT)

-----  
2000 1999 --

-- ----

ASSETS Fixed  
maturity

investments,  
at fair  
value

(amortized  
cost

\$7,995,352  
and

\$6,574,647)

\$ 8,154,276

\$ 6,680,941

Common  
equity

securities,  
at fair

value (cost  
\$474,528 and

\$1,600,630)

765,162

2,433,643

Preferred  
equity

securities,  
at fair

value (cost  
\$116,513 and

\$119,547)

146,919

154,828

Short-term  
investments,

at amortized  
cost (which

approximates  
fair value)

321,173

280,621

Other

investments

98,752

73,846 -----

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----- Total  
investments

9,486,282

9,623,879

Cash 45,826

50,800

Insurance  
balances

receivable

1,419,538

1,283,065

Reinsurance  
recoverable

on paid and  
unpaid

losses

1,558,184

1,516,361

Deferred  
policy

acquisition  
costs

420,810

451,632

Investment  
income

accrued

103,584

122,574 Net

deferred

federal

income taxes  
107,332 --  
Other assets  
564,762  
446,324 Net  
assets of  
discontinued  
operations  
503,800  
505,602 ----  
-----

Total assets  
\$14,210,118  
\$14,000,237  
=====

LIABILITIES

Loss and  
loss  
adjustment  
expense  
reserves \$  
6,982,728 \$  
6,368,828  
Unearned  
insurance  
premiums  
2,042,468  
2,023,396  
Long-term  
debt  
1,113,900  
1,130,750  
Net deferred  
federal  
income taxes  
-- 102,627  
Accounts  
payable and  
other  
liabilities  
872,316  
603,138 ----  
-----

Total  
liabilities  
11,011,412  
10,228,739 -  
-----

Commitments  
and  
contingencies  
(Notes 11,  
12 and 16)

SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

Common  
stock, \$1.00  
par value;  
authorized  
100,000  
shares,  
16,022  
shares  
outstanding  
16 16  
Additional  
paid-in  
capital  
753,200  
753,200  
Retained  
earnings  
2,135,727  
2,400,619  
Accumulated  
other  
comprehensive  
income  
309,763  
617,663 ----  
-----

Total  
shareholders'  
equity  
3,198,706  
3,771,498 --  
-----  
-----  
Total  
liabilities  
and  
shareholders'  
equity  
\$14,210,118  
\$14,000,237  
=====  
=====

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

CGU CORPORATION  
(A WHOLLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF CGNU PLC)  
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME  
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000, 1999 AND 1998  
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	2000	1999
1998	-----	--
	--	-----
Revenues:		
Earned		
insurance		
premiums \$	4,275,059	\$
	4,259,995	\$
	4,041,878	
Net		
investment		
income	504,884	
	502,125	
480,276 Net		
realized		
gains from		
investment		
securities		
and other		
investments	732,769	
	381,948	
400,335	-----	
	-----	
	-----	
Total		
revenues	5,512,712	
	5,144,068	
4,922,489	--	
	-----	
	-----	
Expenses:		
Losses and		
loss		
adjustment		
expenses	4,301,997	
	3,252,406	
3,946,847		
Underwriting		
and other		
operating		
expenses	1,497,698	
	1,516,614	
1,462,800	--	
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	-----	
Total		
expenses	5,799,695	
	4,769,020	
5,409,647	--	
	-----	
	-----	
Pretax		
earnings		
(loss)	(286,983)	
	375,048	
(487,158)		
Federal		
income tax		
benefit		
(provision)	83,318	
	(104,474)	
186,150	-----	
	-----	

-----  
----- Net  
income  
(loss) from  
continuing  
operations  
before  
cumulative  
effect of  
change in  
accounting  
principle  
(203,665)  
270,574  
(301,008)  
Cumulative  
effect of  
change in  
accounting  
principle,  
net of tax -  
- (9,405) --  
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-----  
Net income  
(loss) from  
continuing  
operations  
(203,665)  
261,169  
(301,008)  
Income from  
discontinued  
operations  
40,817  
54,146  
46,691 Loss  
on disposal  
of  
discontinued  
operations  
(102,044) --  
-- -----  
-- -----  
-----

-- Net  
income  
(loss) from  
discontinued  
operations  
(61,227)  
54,146  
46,691 -----  
-----  
-----

----- Net  
income  
(loss)  
(264,892)  
315,315  
(254,317)  
Other  
comprehensive  
income, net  
of tax:  
Increase  
(decrease)  
in net  
unrealized  
appreciation  
of  
investments  
(304,218)  
(552,945)  
281,836 Gain  
(loss) on  
foreign  
currency  
exchange  
(3,682)  
29,276  
(16,283) ---  
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Comprehensive  
net income  
(loss) \$  
(572,792) \$  
(208,354) \$  
11,236  
=====  
=====  
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

CGU CORPORATION  
(A WHOLLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF CGNU PLC)  
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY  
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000, 1999 AND 1998  
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

-----  
2000 1999  
1998 -----

Common  
stock:  
Balance,  
beginning of  
year \$ 16 \$  
16 \$ 18  
Common stock  
issued to  
parent -- --  
9 Retirement  
of shares  
due to  
merger -- --  
(11) -----  
-----  
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Balance, end  
of year 16  
16 16 -----  
-----  
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Additional  
paid-in  
capital:  
Balance,  
beginning of  
year 753,200  
753,200  
1,378,199  
Common stock  
issued to  
parent -- --  
474,999  
Return of  
capital  
distribution  
-- --  
(1,099,998)  
-----  
-----  
-----

Balance, end  
of year  
753,200  
753,200  
753,200 -----  
-----  
-----

-----  
Accumulated  
other  
comprehensive  
income:  
Balance,  
beginning of  
year 617,663  
1,141,332  
875,779  
Increase  
(decrease)  
in net  
unrealized  
appreciation  
of  
investments  
(net of  
deferred  
federal  
income tax)  
(304,218)  
(552,945)

281,836 Gain  
 (loss) on  
 foreign  
 currency  
 exchange  
 (net of  
 federal  
 income tax)  
 (3,682)  
 29,276  
 (16,283) ---  
 -----  
 -----

Balance, end  
 of year  
 309,763  
 617,663  
 1,141,332 --  
 -----  
 -----

Retained  
 earnings:  
 Balance,  
 beginning of  
 year  
 2,400,619  
 2,085,304  
 2,339,867  
 Net income  
 (loss)  
 (264,892)  
 315,315  
 (254,317)  
 Dividend to  
 shareholder  
 -- -- (246)  
 -----  
 -----

Balance, end  
 of year  
 2,135,727  
 2,400,619  
 2,085,304 --  
 -----  
 -----

Total  
 shareholders'  
 equity \$  
 3,198,706 \$  
 3,771,498 \$  
 3,979,852  
 =====  
 =====  
 =====

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

CGU CORPORATION  
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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000, 1999 AND 1998  
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

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	2000	1999	1998
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:			
Net income (loss) \$	(264,892)	315,315	(254,317)
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:			
Loss on disposal of discontinued operations	102,044	--	--
Net income from discontinued operations	(40,817)	(54,146)	(46,691)
Amortization of bond premium and discount	(32,143)	(6,724)	4,517
Net realized gains from investment securities and other assets	(732,769)	(381,948)	(400,335)
Depreciation and amortization	30,201	47,610	42,186
Deferred federal income taxes	(80,443)	107,243	(179,749)
Change in operating assets and liabilities:			
Reinsurance recoverable on paid and unpaid losses	(41,823)	386,806	(641,304)
Deferred policy acquisition			

costs  
 30,822,835  
 (23,995)  
 Loss and  
 loss  
 adjustment  
 expense  
 reserves  
 613,901  
 (575,197)  
 1,235,903  
 Unearned  
 insurance  
 premiums  
 19,071  
 (29,010)  
 109,613  
 Insurance  
 balances  
 receivable  
 (136,473)  
 (101,814)  
 (58,814)  
 Net change  
 in other  
 assets and  
 liabilities  
 180,200  
 125,227  
 96,481 ----

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 -----  
 -----  
 Net cash  
 used by  
 operating  
 activities  
 (353,121)  
 (165,803)  
 (116,505) -  
 -----  
 -----

CASH FLOWS

FROM

INVESTING

ACTIVITIES:

Purchases  
of

investments:

Fixed  
maturity  
investments

(6,182,395)

(3,206,018)

(1,567,358)

Common  
equity  
securities

(642,410)

(1,220,016)

(1,516,461)

Preferred  
equity  
securities

(539) (250)

-- Net

increase

(decrease)

in short-

term

investments

(40,552)

28,106

(107,727)

Net

increase

(decrease)

in other

invested

assets

(31,958)

(3,897)

(54,200)

Proceeds

from the

sales of  
investments:  
Fixed  
maturity  
investments  
4,785,894  
2,985,482  
1,198,776  
Common  
equity  
securities  
2,316,433  
1,372,141  
1,548,504  
Preferred  
equity  
securities  
4,146  
22,733 --  
Maturities  
of fixed  
maturity  
investments  
207,511  
253,628  
265,348  
Proceeds  
from the  
sale of  
real estate  
4,883 8,203  
-- Purchase  
of National  
Farmers  
Union  
Insurance  
Company  
(Note 3) --  
--  
(116,400)  
Purchases  
of  
equipment,  
net  
(14,233)  
(18,809)  
(31,063)  
Development  
of computer  
software  
(41,783) --  
-- -----  
-----  
-----  
----- Net  
cash  
provided  
(used) by  
investing  
activities  
364,997  
221,303  
(380,581) -  
-----  
-----  
-----  
CASH FLOWS  
FROM  
FINANCING  
ACTIVITIES:  
Capital  
contribution  
-- --  
425,295  
Return of  
capital  
distribution  
-- --  
(1,099,998)  
Dividends  
paid -- --  
(246) Long-  
term debt  
(16,850)  
(4,700)  
1,100,000 -

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Net cash
provided
(used) by
financing
activities
(16,850)
(4,700)
425,051 ---
-----
-----
Net
increase
(decrease)
in cash
(4,974)
50,800
(72,035)
Cash,
beginning
of year
50,800 --
72,035 ----
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Cash, end
of year $
45,826 $
50,800 $ --
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a. NATURE OF BUSINESS AND BASIS OF PRESENTATION

Effective June 2, 1998, Commercial Union plc and General Accident plc, both UK corporations, were merged in a pooling of interests to form CGU plc. The U.S. operations of both companies were formally merged on December 31, 1998 when General Accident Corporation of America (GACA) was merged into Commercial Union Corporation (CUC) and the name was changed to CGU Corporation (the "Company"), which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of CGNU plc, its ultimate parent. CGNU plc is a United Kingdom Company listed on the London Stock Exchange, and was formed on May 30, 2000, when CGU plc merged with Norwich Union plc to form CGNU plc. The Company, through certain of its subsidiaries, is primarily engaged in underwriting and risk placement of property and casualty insurance business. The Company is also engaged, through certain other subsidiaries, in underwriting of life insurance and annuities.

The Company's primary subsidiaries are CGU Insurance Company and subsidiaries (Pennsylvania domiciled), Commercial Union Insurance Company and subsidiaries (Massachusetts domiciled), General Accident Insurance Company and subsidiaries (Pennsylvania domiciled), CGU Life Insurance Company of America and subsidiary (Delaware domiciled), National Farmers Union Property and Casualty Company and subsidiary (Colorado domiciled), Houston General Insurance Company and subsidiaries (Texas domiciled), and Pilot Insurance Company (a Canadian Subsidiary).

Subsidiaries acquired during 1998 and accounted for as purchases under Accounting Principles Board (APB) Opinion No. 16, "Business Combinations" (APB No. 16), are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date of acquisition. The merger of the U.S. operations of GACA and CUC was accounted for as a pooling of interests. Accordingly, the 1998 consolidated financial statements have been restated as though the companies had been merged throughout the accounting periods presented. All significant intercompany transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

b. PENDING TRANSACTION

On September 25, 2000, CGNU plc announced it had entered into a definitive agreement to sell its U.S. property and casualty operations to White Mountains Insurance Group, Ltd (White Mountains). The agreed-upon purchase price is approximately \$2,170,000, subject to purchase price adjustments and certain pre-closing reinsurance transactions, payable in cash and a Sellers Note amounting to \$260,000. Concurrent with the sale:

- The Company will enter into certain retroactive reinsurance arrangements which will include the cession of all asbestos, environmental and certain other latent exposures, as well as an excess of loss reinsurance agreement covering adverse development.
- The Company will sell its life insurance and Canadian property and casualty operations to CGNU plc for \$503,800, subject to purchase price adjustments and certain reinsurance transactions. As more fully described in Note 2, the sale of the Company's life operations and Canadian property and casualty operations to CGNU plc has been reported as discontinued operations in accordance with APB Opinion No. 30, "Reporting the Results of Operations - Reporting the Effects of a Disposal of a Segment of a Business, and Extraordinary, Unusual and Infrequently Occurring Events and Transactions" (APB No. 30).

- Long-term debt owed to CGNU plc amounting to \$1,100,000 at December 31, 2000 and included in the accompanying balance sheet will be paid with proceeds from the anticipated sale of the Company's discontinued operations and with proceeds from sales of investment securities.

Subject to regulatory approvals, the sale is expected to be consummated in the second quarter of 2001.

c. USE OF ESTIMATES IN THE PREPARATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

d. INVESTMENTS

Fixed maturity investments (all of which are classified as "Available for Sale") and common and preferred equity securities are stated at fair value based on quoted market prices and in accordance with Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 115, "Accounting for Certain Investment in Debt and Equity Securities." Certain other invested assets are stated at cost, which approximates fair value.

Short-term investments consist of money market funds, certificates of deposit and other securities which mature or become available for use within one year. Short-term investments are carried at amortized cost, which approximated fair value as of December 31, 2000 and 1999.

Unrealized gains and losses from changes in the fair value of common and preferred equity securities and fixed maturity investments, net of applicable deferred federal income taxes, are a separate component of other comprehensive income and, accordingly, do not affect net income. Realized gains and losses on the sale of investments are determined on the basis of specific cost and are included as a component of total revenues. When other than temporary impairment of the value of a specific investment or group of investments is determined, a realized investment loss is recorded.

e. CASH

Cash includes amounts on hand and demand deposits with banks and other financial institutions. Amounts presented in the statement of cash flows are shown net of balances acquired and sold in the purchase and sale of the Company's consolidated subsidiaries.

f. PREMIUMS AND UNEARNED INSURANCE PREMIUMS

Property and casualty premium revenues are earned on a daily pro rata basis over the term of the respective policies. Unearned insurance premiums represent the portion of premiums written applicable to the unexpired term of each policy.

g. DEFERRED POLICY ACQUISITION COSTS

Deferred policy acquisition costs primarily represent commissions, premium taxes and other costs which are directly attributable to and vary with the production of new business. These costs are deferred and amortized over the applicable premium recognition period. Deferred policy acquisition costs are limited to the amount expected to be recovered from future earned premiums and anticipated investment income. Deferred policy acquisition costs not expected to be recoverable at any given time are immediately expensed. Total acquisition costs expensed in 2000, 1999 and 1998 were \$1,030,576, \$985,115, and \$909,629, respectively. Expenses incurred in 2000

include the recognition of \$23,620 of deferred policy acquisition costs that were considered to be unrecoverable in future periods.

h. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment, included in other assets, are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is charged to income principally on the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets. The Company estimates that computer equipment and furniture and fixtures have useful lives of between five and ten years. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the lesser of their estimated useful life or the lease term. Internal use software costs are capitalized for significant projects and upon completion are amortized over their estimated useful lives.

The cost of property sold or otherwise disposed of and the accumulated depreciation thereon are eliminated from the accounts and any resulting gain or loss is credited or charged to income.

i. LOSSES AND LOSS ADJUSTMENT EXPENSES

Liabilities for unpaid losses and loss adjustment expenses are comprised of case basis estimates for claims and claim expenses reported prior to year-end, estimates of incurred but not reported losses and loss expenses, reported reserves from underwriting pools and associations in which the Company participates, and other estimates, net of estimated salvage and subrogation recoverable. These estimates are continually reviewed and updated and any resulting adjustments are reflected in current operating results.

Certain claim settlements are funded by annuities (structured settlements) purchased from various life insurers. The aggregate present value of expected future payment amounts as of December 31, 2000 and 1999, for which the Company is contingently liable in the event of default by the life insurer, was \$182,283 and \$359,169, respectively. Included in these amounts are annuities from CGU Life Insurance Company, an affiliated company, of \$106,100 and \$275,686 as of December 31, 2000 and 1999, respectively.

Certain liabilities for unpaid losses related to long-term workers' compensation coverage are discounted to present value at 7.0% in 2000 and 1999. The undiscounted liabilities were \$482,889 at December 31, 2000 and \$447,389 at December 31, 1999. The effect of discounting these claims is to reduce liabilities for unpaid losses by \$230,691 and \$227,306 at December 31, 2000 and 1999, respectively.

All policy liabilities and accruals are based on the various estimates discussed above. Although the adequacy of these amounts cannot be assured, the Company believes that it is more likely than not that policy liabilities and accruals will be sufficient to meet future obligations of policies in force. The amount of liabilities and accruals, however, could be revised in the near term if the estimates discussed above are revised.

j. POLICYHOLDER DIVIDENDS

Dividends payable to participating property and casualty insurance policyholders are accrued for in the period in which the related premium was earned. Policyholder dividends of \$17,754, \$24,861 and \$23,117 were included in underwriting expenses in 2000, 1999 and 1998, respectively.

k. FEDERAL INCOME TAXES

The Company files a consolidated federal income tax return with its eligible subsidiary companies, primarily comprised of its property and casualty and life insurance subsidiaries.

In accordance with Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes," the Company uses an asset and liability approach that recognizes deferred tax assets and liabilities for the expected future tax consequences of events that have been recognized in the Company's financial statements or tax returns. In estimating future tax consequences, the Company generally considers all expected future events other than changes in the tax law or rates, unless enacted. Valuation allowances are established when necessary to reduce deferred tax assets to the amount expected to be realized.

l. FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION

The operations of Pilot Insurance Company ("Pilot"), a discontinued operation located in Canada, are denominated in Canadian dollars. Net unrealized foreign currency translation gains and losses associated with Pilot are reported, after tax, as a net amount in a separate component of accumulated other comprehensive income. Changes in the values of these operations due to currency fluctuations, after tax, are reported on the income statement as a component of other comprehensive income.

m. GOODWILL

The excess of the cost to acquire purchased companies over the net assets acquired is recorded as goodwill. The Company amortizes goodwill on straight-line basis over 20 years. At December 31, 2000 and 1999, respectively, other assets included \$41,947 and \$47,747 of goodwill.

n. CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES

Effective January 1, 1999, the Company changed its accounting policy for guarantee fund assessments and adopted the provisions of American Institute of Certified Public Accountants Statement of Position 97-3, "Accounting by Insurance and other Enterprises for Insurance-Related Assessments" (SOP 97-3). The cumulative effect of this change was to reduce net income by \$9,405, representing an increase in unpaid loss and loss adjustment expense reserves of \$14,470 less a related deferred federal income tax benefit of \$5,065 for the year ended December 31, 1999.

Effective January 1, 1999, the Company changed its accounting policy for internally developed software and adopted the provisions of American Institute of Certified Public Accountants Statement of Position 98-1, "Accounting for the Cost of Computer Software Developed or Obtained for Internal Use" (SOP 98-1). SOP 98-1 requires that certain costs incurred in developing the internal-use computer software be capitalized and provides guidance for determining whether computer software is to be considered for internal use. During 2000, the Company capitalized \$41,783 of eligible computer software costs.

o. NEW AND PENDING ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

On January 1, 2001, Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 133, "Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities" (FAS 133), which establishes accounting and reporting standards for derivative instruments, became effective. FAS 133 did not have a significant impact on the results of operations or financial position of the Company.

In September 2000, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued an exposure draft (ED), "Business Combinations and Intangible Assets." This ED proposes to eliminate the pooling-of-interests method of accounting, which would require that purchase accounting, with its recognition of intangible assets and goodwill, be applied to all business combinations.

As the ED stands, the issuance of this statement could have a significant effect on the Company's intangible assets and amortization charge, as the Company's goodwill and intangible assets would no longer be amortized. Management is currently evaluating the impact of this ED on the Company.

p. CODIFICATION OF STATUTORY ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES (UNAUDITED)

Effective January 1, 2001, the Company's insurance subsidiaries are required to adopt new regulations implementing a codification of statutory accounting principles for insurers. The purpose of the codification is to enhance the consistency of the accounting treatment of assets, liabilities, reserves, income and expenses of insurers, by setting forth the accounting practices and procedures to be followed in completing annual and quarterly financial statements required by state law.

Codification will serve to increase the aggregate statutory policyholders' surplus of the Company's insurance operations by approximately \$120,000 (unaudited) as of January 1, 2001 primarily as a result of permitting the recording of deferred tax assets.

q. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

In the normal course of business, the Company enters into transactions involving various types of financial instruments, including debt and investments such as fixed maturities and equity securities. These instruments involve credit risk and also may be subject to risk of loss due to interest rate fluctuation. The Company evaluates and monitors each financial instrument individually and, when appropriate, obtains collateral or other security to minimize losses. At December 31, 2000 and 1999, unless otherwise noted in the financial instruments, the carrying amount of the Company's financial instruments approximates their fair value.

2. DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS

On September 25, 2000, in connection with CGNU plc's decision to sell the Company to White Mountains, the Company agreed to sell, commensurate with the sale, four of its subsidiaries to its parent, CGNU plc. Included in the sale are CGU Life Insurance Company of America and subsidiary (CGU Life), Pilot, CGU Annuity Services Corporation (CGUAS), and CGU Investment Management Canada Limited (CGUIMC).

Accordingly, the operating results of the discontinued segments have been reported in the consolidated statements of income and comprehensive income as discontinued operations in accordance with APB No. 30. Subsequent to the September 25, 2000 measurement date through December 31, 2000, operations from the discontinued business generated income of approximately \$30,589. Discontinued operations are anticipated to generate income of approximately \$13,500 from December 31, 2000 through the anticipated disposal date.

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At December 31, 2000, the discontinued segments had assets of approximately \$3,700,000, consisting primarily of invested assets, premiums and fees receivable, and deferred acquisition costs, and liabilities of approximately \$3,100,000 consisting primarily of policy liabilities. Revenues for the discontinued operations were approximately \$649,000, \$611,000 and \$660,000 for the years ended December 31, 2000, 1999, and 1998, respectively.

The sale is expected to be completed during the second quarter of 2001. The Company anticipates receiving proceeds of \$503,800 in connection with the sale of the discontinued operations. As a result of the sale, the Company recorded a \$73,122 pretax adjustment related to the write-down of the net assets of the discontinued operations to their net realizable value, which is included in the loss on disposal indicated below.

The consolidated statements of operations for all periods presented include the results of CGU Life, Pilot, CGUAS, and CGUIMC in Net Income from Discontinued Operations.

The following table summarizes the Company's discontinued operations for the three-year period ended December 31, 2000:

YEAR ENDED  
DECEMBER  
31 2000  
1999 1998

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-- -- --

Operating  
income,  
before  
income  
taxes \$  
70,930 \$  
78,605 \$  
74,227  
Income  
taxes  
(30,113)  
(24,459)  
(27,536) -

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-----  
Net income  
\$ 40,817 \$  
54,146 \$  
46,691

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=====  
=====

Loss on  
disposal,  
before  
income  
taxes \$  
(42,533) \$  
-- \$ --  
Income  
taxes  
(59,511) -

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-----  
-----  
Loss on  
disposal  
\$(102,044)  
\$ -- \$ --  
=====  
=====  
=====

On July 16, 1998, CUC acquired Farmers Union Insurance Acquisition Corporation and its two property and casualty insurance subsidiaries, known collectively as National Farmers Union Insurance Companies (NFU), at a cost of \$116,400. The acquisition was accounted for as a purchase and, accordingly, NFU's operating results from that date are included in CGU's net income. NFU is engaged in underwriting and risk placement of property and casualty insurance business, primarily in the Midwestern region of the U.S. Goodwill of \$42,100 related to the acquisition is being amortized over a 20-year period.

Effective January 1, 1998, Commercial Union plc acquired 100% of the capital stock of Houston General Insurance Company (HG), an underwriter of property and casualty insurance business, from Tokio Marine and Fire Company, Ltd. (TMF), and contributed the HG stock, valued at \$50,000, to the capital of the Company. In exchange, the Company issued 205 shares of its common stock to its parent. Effective from the same date, under the terms of a reinsurance agreement between HG and an affiliate of TMF, all premiums, losses, and underwriting expenses associated with HG policies written prior to the effective date and with any renewals or new policies required by statute or contract to be issued on or after the effective date will be 100% ceded to and assumed by the affiliate of TMF. In addition, TMF has indemnified the Company and HG from any decline in the value of the acquired assets, other than invested assets, subsequent to January 1, 1998. The operating results of Houston General are included in the consolidated results.



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2000 U.S.  
Government  
and agency  
obligations  
\$3,119,428  
\$ 42,605 \$  
(12,811)  
\$3,149,222  
Debt  
securities  
issued by  
industrial  
corporations  
2,980,490  
61,623  
(35,619)  
3,006,494  
Municipal  
obligations  
891,626  
90,750  
(6,759)  
975,617  
Mortgage-  
backed  
securities  
965,878  
19,067  
(899)  
984,046  
Foreign  
government  
obligations  
37,930  
1,149 (182)  
38,897 -----  
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Totals  
\$7,995,352  
\$ 215,194 \$  
(56,270)  
\$8,154,276  
=====  
=====  
=====  
=====

1999 U.S.  
Government  
and agency  
obligations  
\$1,352,748  
\$ 92,469 \$  
(19,843)  
\$1,425,374  
Debt  
securities  
issued by  
industrial  
corporations  
2,999,442  
51,234  
(70,337)  
2,980,339  
Municipal  
obligations  
1,493,444  
102,266  
(37,278)  
1,558,432  
Mortgage-  
backed  
securities  
729,013  
1,799  
(14,016)  
716,796  
Foreign  
government  
obligations  
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-----  
Totals  
\$6,574,647  
\$ 247,768 \$  
(141,474)  
\$6,680,941  
=====  
=====  
=====  
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The amortized cost and fair values of fixed maturity investments by contractual maturity, at December 31, 2000, are shown below. Expected maturities will differ from contractual maturities because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties.

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AMORTIZED FAIR COST VALUE -----
-----
- Due in one year or less
\$2,522,392
\$2,523,164
Due after one year through five years
1,307,990
1,341,077
Due after five years through ten years
1,929,250
1,957,410
Due after ten years
1,269,842
1,348,579
Mortgage- backed securities
965,878
984,046 --
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-----
Total
\$7,995,352
\$8,154,276
=====
=====

At December 31, 2000 and 1999, respectively, fixed maturity investments included \$458,295 and \$478,450 which were on deposit, with respect to certain of the Company's insurance subsidiaries, with various states and other regulatory agencies.

On a gross basis, gains of \$253,801 and losses of \$58,023 were realized on 2000 sales of fixed maturity investments available for sale, while gains of \$45,588 and \$43,181 and losses of \$61,767 and \$1,654 were realized on 1999 and 1998 sales, respectively.

COMMON EQUITY SECURITIES

Cost and fair value of common equity securities as of December 31, 2000 and 1999 are summarized as follows:

UNREALIZED UNREALIZED FAIR COST GAINS LOSSES VALUE -----
-----
-----
----- As of December 31, 2000 \$
474,528 \$
312,507 \$
(21,873) \$
765,162 As of December 31, 1999
1,600,630
936,968
(103,955)
2,433,643

On a gross basis, gains of \$764,631 and losses of \$210,720 were realized

on 2000 sales of common equity securities, while gains of \$479,954 and \$423,140 and losses of \$81,769 and \$76,651 were realized on 1999 and 1998 sales, respectively.

PREFERRED EQUITY SECURITIES

Cost and fair value of preferred equity securities as of December 31, 2000 and 1999 are summarized as follows:

UNREALIZED	
UNREALIZED	
FAIR COST	
GAINS	
LOSSES	
VALUE ----	
-----	
-----	
----- As	
of	
December	
31, 2000	
\$116,513 \$	
31,361 \$	
(955)	
\$146,919	
As of	
December	
31, 1999	
119,547	
37,466	
(2,185)	
154,828	

On a gross basis, gains of \$638 and losses of \$65 were realized on 2000 sales of preferred equity securities, while gains of \$8,583 and \$12,294 and losses of \$68 and \$47 were realized on 1999 and 1998 sales, respectively.

CURRENCY SWAP

In order to protect against fluctuations in the exchange value and return on Sterling denominated U.K. Government debt securities ("Gilts"), the Company had previously entered into a currency swap agreement with an affiliate of its parent. In 1999, the Gilts were sold and the swap agreement was terminated.

SECURITIES LENDING

The Company has entered into a Securities Lending Authorization Agreement with a third party under which the Company has designated all fixed maturity investments not on deposit with various states or reinsurance pools as available for lending to brokers approved by the Company. The agreement specifies that all securities loaned shall be collateralized by the borrower at approximately 102% of market value, such collateral to be held by the third party. All securities loaned can be redeemed on short notice. The total market value of securities on loan at December 31, 2000 and 1999 was \$1,378,701 and \$325,041, respectively, with corresponding collateral valued at \$1,403,737 and \$331,808, respectively.

OTHER INVESTMENTS

Included in other investments is the Company's 20% interest in United Fire and Casualty Insurance Company (UFC) at December 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998. The Company's investment in UFC is accounted for using the equity method. In addition to UFC, other investments are primarily comprised of unconsolidated ownership interests in various investment partnerships, investments in leveraged leases and trust financing and are valued at cost, or equity, as appropriate.

5. INSURANCE BALANCES RECEIVABLE

The allowance for uncollectible premiums and other receivables was \$40,923 and \$36,419 at December 31, 2000 and 1999, respectively. The Company estimates the allowance for uncollectible premiums based on analysis of past due recoverables, accounts in legal collection, and historical charges for uncollectible accounts.

6. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Details of property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization, included in other assets in the accompanying financial statements at December 31, are as follows:

2000	1999
---	----
Real	
estate, net	
of	
impairment	
adjustments	
\$145,070	
\$164,568	
Furniture,	
fixtures	
and	
computer	
equipment	
199,470	
232,818	
Internally	
developed	
software	
41,783	--
Leasehold	
improvements	
30,521	
31,761	----
----	-----
--	416,844
429,147	
Less	
accumulated	
depreciation	
and	
amortization	
235,185	
260,387	---
-----	-----
---	
Property	
and	

equipment,  
net  
\$181,659  
\$168,760  
=====  
=====

During 2000, the Company sold two real estate holdings, realizing a loss of \$2,494 on proceeds of \$4,883. Correspondingly, the Company paid down certain long-term bonds relating to the property sold, in the aggregate amount of \$16,850 (See Note 8).

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During 1999, the Company sold two real estate holdings, realizing a gain of \$1,436 on proceeds of \$8,203. Correspondingly, the Company paid down certain long-term bonds relating to the property sold, in the aggregate amount of \$4,700 (See Note 8).

The Company contracts with a third party to conduct annual appraisals of its real estate holdings. As a result of these annual valuations, the Company realized a loss of \$11,000 in 2000 and \$10,000 in 1999 for other than temporary impairments in the valuation of certain real estate holdings.

7. UNPAID LOSS AND LOSS ADJUSTMENT EXPENSE RESERVES

Activity in the liability for unpaid losses and loss adjustment expenses is summarized as follows:

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, ----- ----- --- 2000 1999 ---- ----Balance at January 1 \$6,368,828 \$6,944,024 Less reinsurance recoverable on unpaid losses 1,285,637 1,651,963 ----- ----- Net balance at January 1 5,083,191 5,292,061 ----- ----- Incurred related to: Current year 3,483,967 3,194,913 Prior years 818,030 57,493 --- ----- ----- Total incurred losses 4,301,997 3,252,406 ----- ----- Cumulative effect of change in accounting principle -- 14,470 ----- ----- Paid related to:
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Current year	1,706,573
Prior years	1,611,718
	1,972,243
	1,864,028
-----	
Total paid	3,678,816
	3,475,746
-----	
Net balance at December 31	5,706,372
Plus reinsurance recoverable on unpaid losses	5,083,191
	1,276,356
	1,285,637
-----	
Balance at December 31	\$6,982,728
	\$6,368,828
=====	
=====	

During 2000 and 1999, the Company strengthened loss reserves on prior accident years by approximately \$818,000 and \$57,000, respectively. Incurred losses related to prior years primarily represents adverse loss development on the Company's auto liability coverages as well as certain commercial lines (workers' compensation, general liability and special multiple peril). This longer tail casualty business written during the mid-1990's originated primarily from the former General Accident book of business. The adverse development recorded in 2000 was primarily driven by increases in paid and case loss trends which were more indicative of true loss reserve development than changes in case reserving or payment philosophy resulting from the merger of CUC and GACA.

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The Company believes it has made a reasonable provision for its environmental and asbestos exposures as set forth below on a gross and net of reinsurance basis. However, due to significant unresolved legal and coverage issues such as whether coverage exists, definition of an occurrence, determination of ultimate damages and allocation of such damages to financially responsible parties, an indeterminate amount of additional liability may develop over time.

Included in liability for unpaid losses and loss adjustment expense are reserves for environmental and asbestos exposures at December 31, 2000 and 1999. These reserves, which include IBNR provisions for reported and unreported claims and loss adjustment expenses (LAE) including coverage dispute costs, aggregated:

2000	1999
-----	
Gross of	
reinsurance	
\$1,039,605	
\$1,353,110	
Net of	
reinsurance	
\$ 786,469	
\$ 956,001	

As more fully described in Note 1, environmental and asbestos liabilities will be ceded to a third party in connection with the acquisition of the Company by White Mountains.

8. LONG-TERM DEBT

Long-term debt at December 31, 2000 and 1999 consisted of the following:

2000	1999
-----	
Term note	
payable to	
parent	
\$1,100,000	
\$1,100,000	
Bonds	
payable	
13,900	
30,750	---
-----	
Total	
long-term	
debt	
\$1,113,900	
\$1,130,750	
=====	
=====	

The term note payable to CGU Holdings LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company's ultimate parent and the direct owner of 45.86% of the Company's common stock, was issued on December 31, 1998. Interest at the rate of 6.5% is payable annually on March 31 of each year. The entire principal is due on December 31, 2013. The term note payable agreement contains restrictive covenants regarding financial reporting. Interest paid on the note was \$71,500, \$17,875, and \$0 in 2000, 1999 and 1998, respectively. The fair value of the term note payable to parent was approximately \$1,009,000 at December 31, 2000.

The bonds payable mature from 2014 to 2015 and no principal payments are required until maturity. Semi-annual payments of interest are required at rates which will vary based upon an index which is a compilation of certain short-term, tax-free bond issues. The average interest rates were 3.84%, 3.34% and 3.55% for 2000, 1999 and 1998, respectively. Although the terms of the bonds restricted the use of the borrowings to the construction of specific office buildings, the buildings themselves do not constitute collateral for the bonds. Interest paid on the bonds was

\$1,101, \$1,143 and \$1,318 for 2000, 1999 and 1998, respectively. During 2000 and 1999, notes with principal of \$16,850 and \$4,700 were paid subsequent to the sale of the related property.

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As more fully described in Note 1, the term note payable to parent will be paid with proceeds from the anticipated sale of the Company's discontinued operations and with proceeds from sales of investment securities upon acquisition of the Company by White Mountains.

9. INCOME TAXES

The federal income tax provision for the years ended December 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998, consists of the following:

2000	1999	1998
----	----	----
Current taxes \$		
3,230	\$	
2,609	\$	
(9,132)		
Deferred taxes		
(86,548)		
(107,083)		
(177,018)		
-----		
-----		
Federal income taxes charged (credited) to continuing operations		
\$ (83,318)		
\$ 104,474		
\$(186,150)		
=====		
=====		
=====		

Deferred taxes arise from temporary differences in the bases of assets and liabilities for tax and financial statement purposes. Components of deferred tax assets and liabilities for the property and casualty operations are as follows:

DECEMBER 31,	2000	1999
-----	----	----
-----	----	----
Deferred tax assets:		
Discounting of loss reserves \$		
213,284	\$	
187,457		
Unearned premium reserve adjustment		
130,199		
125,332	Net operating loss and tax credit carryforward	
99,125		
71,149		
Reinsurance fee payable to foreign affiliate		

59,500 --  
Reserve for  
post-  
retirement  
benefits  
26,151  
19,043  
Deferred  
compensation  
reserve  
14,189  
1,543  
Accrued  
interest on  
term note  
payable to  
parent  
18,769  
18,769  
Allowance  
for  
doubtful  
receivables  
14,048  
30,072  
Other  
40,955  
31,514 ----  
-----  
---- Total  
deferred  
tax assets  
\$ 616,220 \$  
484,879  
=====

Deferred  
tax  
liabilities:  
Net  
unrealized  
capital  
gains and  
losses  
(167,851)  
(340,400)  
Deferred  
acquisition  
costs  
(147,284)  
(158,071)  
Disposal of  
discontinued  
operations  
(48,813) --  
Accumulated  
bond  
discount  
(31,414)  
(60,589)  
Prepaid  
pension  
cost  
(18,571)  
(20,474)  
Deferred  
software  
costs  
(14,624) --  
Other  
(7,381)  
(7,972) ---  
-----  
----- Total  
deferred  
tax  
liabilities  
(435,938)  
(587,506) -  
-----  
----- Net  
deferred  
tax asset  
(liability)  
before  
valuation

allowance  
180,282  
(102,627)  
Valuation  
allowance  
(72,950) --  
-----  
-----  
Net  
deferred  
tax asset  
(liability)  
\$ 107,332  
\$(102,627)  
=====  
=====

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A reconciliation between the statutory federal tax rate and Company's effective tax rate in 2000, 1999 and 1998 is as follows:

DECEMBER 31,		
-----		
	2000	1999
1998	----	--
	--	----
Statutory federal tax rate:	35.0%	35.0%
Tax exempt interest	7.3	
	(6.0)	4.7
Dividends received deduction	2.7	(2.2)
	2.0	
Nondeductible charges	(1.1)	1.4
(1.3) Prior year true ups	2.4	4.3
-- Valuation allowance	(25.4)	(0.2)
-- Other	8.1	
	(4.4)	(2.2)
-----		
-- Effective tax rate	29.0%	27.9%
	38.2%	====
	====	====

At December 31, 2000, the Company had net operating loss carryforwards available for utilization of approximately \$87,848 of which approximately \$40,476 are subject to certain limitations that restrict the utilization of these losses to the Company or group of companies that generated them.

At December 31, 2000, the Company had foreign tax credits of approximately \$44,950 which begin to expire in 2001 and Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT) credits of approximately \$23,428 which do not expire.

Income taxes paid were \$14,000, \$24,800 and \$85,330 for 2000, 1999 and 1998, respectively. Income tax refunds of \$24,022, \$70,244 and \$0 were received in 2000, 1999 and 1998, respectively.

10. PENSIONS AND OTHER POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS

The Company offers various postretirement benefits to its employees. Under the terms of these plans, the Company reserves the right to change, modify or discontinue the plans.

PENSIONS

The parent Company and certain subsidiaries have noncontributory defined benefit plans covering substantially all employees. The benefits for these plans are based primarily on years of service and employees' pay near retirement. The Company's funding policy is consistent with the funding requirements of federal law and regulations.

OTHER POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS

The parent Company and certain subsidiaries provide medical and life insurance benefits to pensioners and survivors. The associated plans pay approved claims from existing assets and from company funds.

PENSION BENEFITS  
OTHER BENEFITS --

-----

2000 1999 2000  
1999 -----

-- ---- CHANGE IN  
BENEFIT

OBLIGATION

Benefit  
obligation at  
beginning of year

\$ 477,731 \$  
534,971 \$ 110,836

\$ 114,181 Service  
cost 17,629

21,374 2,840  
3,172 Interest

cost 36,683  
34,075 9,193

7,963 Amendments  
-- -- 2,372 (3)

Assumption  
changes -- --

20,697 --  
Actuarial

(gain)/loss  
40,022 (51,694)

2,920 (6,339)  
Benefits and

expenses (net of  
participant

contributions)  
(59,678) (60,995)

(9,846) (8,138) -  
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---- Benefit  
obligation at end

of year \$ 512,387  
\$ 477,731 \$

139,012 \$ 110,836  
=====

=====

===== CHANGE  
IN PLAN ASSETS

Fair value of  
plan assets at

beginning of year  
\$ 594,987 \$

611,655 \$ -- \$ --  
Actual return on

plan assets  
14,369 37,283 --

-- Employer  
contribution

3,343 7,045 9,846  
8,138 Benefit

(net of  
participant

contributions)  
(58,841) (60,995)

(9,846) (8,138)  
Expenses paid

(837) -- -- -- --  
-----

-----  
-- Fair value of  
plan assets at

end of year \$  
 553,021 \$ 594,988  
 \$ -- \$ --  
 =====  
 =====  
 =====  
 ===== Funded  
 status \$ 40,634 \$  
 117,257  
 \$(139,012)  
 \$(110,836)  
 Unrecognized  
 actuarial  
 (gain)/loss  
 (22,967) (86,978)  
 19,916 (7,139)  
 Unrecognized  
 transition  
 obligation/(asset)  
 (4,577) (8,551)  
 39,060 42,353  
 Unrecognized  
 prior service  
 cost 6,792 8,467  
 5,958 3,979 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 Net prepaid  
 (accrued) benefit  
 cost \$ 19,882 \$  
 30,195 \$ (74,078)  
 \$ (71,643)  
 =====  
 =====  
 =====  
 =====

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The amount recognized in the accompanying financial statements consists of:

PENSION  
 BENEFITS  
 OTHER  
 BENEFITS --  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 - 2000 1999  
 2000 1999 -  
 -----  
 -----

Prepaid  
 benefit  
 cost \$  
 53,559 \$  
 46,000 \$ --  
 \$ --

Accrued  
 benefit  
 liability  
 (33,677)  
 (17,369)  
 (74,078)  
 (71,643)

Intangible  
 asset --  
 1,564 -- --  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----

Net prepaid  
 (accrued)  
 benefit  
 cost \$  
 19,882 \$  
 30,195 \$  
 (74,078) \$  
 (71,643)

=====  
 =====  
 =====  
 Weighted  
 average  
 assumptions  
 as of  
 December  
 31:  
 Discount  
 rate 7.50%  
 7.96% 7.50%  
 8.00%  
 Expected  
 return on  
 plan assets  
 9.50% 9.84%  
 -- -- Rate  
 of  
 compensation  
 increase  
 5.00% 4.13%  
 -- --

Initial  
 medical  
 trend rate  
 -- -- 9.50%  
 7.00%  
 Ultimate  
 medical  
 trend rate  
 -- -- 5.50%  
 5.00%

PENSION BENEFITS  
OTHER BENEFITS -----  
-----  
----- 2000 1999  
1998 2000 1999 1998 -  
-----  
-- ---- Components of  
net periodic benefit  
cost: Service cost \$  
17,629 \$ 21,374 \$  
22,167 \$ 2,840 \$  
3,172 \$ 3,370  
Interest cost 36,683  
34,075 32,337 9,193  
7,963 8,068 Expected  
return on plan assets  
(51,182) (49,647)  
(42,631) -- (125)  
(139) Amortization of  
prior service cost  
1,716 1,720 982 393  
211 36 Amortization  
of transition  
obligation/(asset)  
(4,179) (4,372)  
(2,618) 3,301 3,301  
3,900 Amortization of  
unrecognized  
(gain)/loss 5,817 169  
71 (26) (9) 336  
Special termination  
benefits -- -- 18,763  
-- -- 781  
Curtailment/settlement  
(gain)/ loss -- --  
(11,699) -- -- 6,825  
-----  
-- ----- Net  
periodic benefit cost  
\$ 6,484 \$ 3,319 \$  
17,372 \$ 15,701 \$  
14,513 \$ 23,177  
===== =====  
===== =====  
===== =====

Assumed health care cost trend rates have a significant effect on the amounts reported for the health care plans. A one-percentage-point change in assumed health care rates would have the following effects:

1-PERCENTAGE-  
1-PERCENTAGE-  
POINT POINT  
INCREASE  
DECREASE ----  
-----  
-----  
Effect on  
total of  
service and  
interest cost  
components \$  
1,209 \$ 1,083  
Effect on  
postretirement  
benefit  
obligation  
15,475 13,930

11. OPERATING LEASES

Net rental expense for 2000, 1999 and 1998 aggregated \$51,032, \$47,686 and \$52,303, respectively, net of sublease rental income of \$1,716, \$432 and \$20, respectively. The Company leases office facilities, computer and transportation equipment with remaining lease terms ranging from one to ten years. Minimum lease commitments for each of the next five years, and thereafter, are as follows:

RENTAL SUBLEASE EXPENSE INCOME --- -----
--- 2001 \$
48,203
\$2,261
2002
39,044
1,743 2003
32,255
1,743 2004
21,558 787
2005
16,259 695
Thereafter
31,889 232
-----
-----
\$189,208
\$7,461
=====
=====

Under the existing leases, there are no material contingent rental agreements, escalation clauses or restrictions imposed on the Company.

12. REINSURANCE

In the ordinary course of business, the Company reinsures certain risks with other insurance enterprises. Reinsurance limits the Company's maximum loss on catastrophes, large risks and unusually hazardous risks. The Company is contingently liable in the event of default by a reinsurer.

Included in reinsurance recoverable at December 31, 2000 and 1999 are recoverables on paid losses of \$281,828 and \$288,447, respectively, for the property and casualty operations, which were recorded net of a valuation allowance for uncollectible reinsurance of \$20,000 at December 31, 2000 and 1999.

Reinsurance recoverable on paid and unpaid losses with a carrying value of \$169,584 and \$170,503 and prepaid reinsurance premiums of \$12,226 and \$8,812 at December 31, 2000 and 1999, respectively, for the property and casualty operations, are due from the National Council on Compensation Insurance, an involuntary pool.

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-----  
The effect of reinsurance on premiums and losses for the property and casualty operations is as follows:

DECEMBER  
31, 2000 -  
-----  
-----  
-----  
-----  
LOSSES AND  
LOSS  
ADJUSTMENT  
PREMIUM  
PREMIUM  
EXPENSES  
WRITTEN  
EARNED  
INCURRED -  
-----  
-----

-----  
Direct \$  
4,654,603  
\$  
4,630,377  
\$  
4,767,171  
Assumed  
73,591  
70,495  
110,904  
Ceded  
(434,063)  
(425,813)  
(576,078)  
-----  
-----

----- Net  
\$  
4,294,131  
\$  
4,275,059  
\$  
4,301,997  
=====

DECEMBER  
31, 1999 -  
-----  
-----  
-----  
-----  
LOSSES AND  
LOSS  
ADJUSTMENT  
PREMIUM  
PREMIUM  
EXPENSES  
WRITTEN  
EARNED  
INCURRED -  
-----  
-----

-----  
Direct \$  
4,485,534  
\$  
4,518,278  
\$  
3,503,024  
Assumed  
65,249

70,158  
 64,711  
 Ceded  
 (302,037)  
 (328,441)  
 (315,329)  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 ----- Net  
 \$  
 4,248,746  
 \$  
 4,259,995  
 \$  
 3,252,406  
 =====  
 =====  
 =====

DECEMBER  
 31, 1998 -  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 LOSSES AND  
 LOSS  
 ADJUSTMENT  
 PREMIUM  
 PREMIUM  
 EXPENSES  
 WRITTEN  
 EARNED  
 INCURRED -  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----

Direct \$  
 4,389,663  
 \$  
 4,366,704  
 \$  
 4,675,460  
 Assumed  
 77,826  
 80,906  
 234,874  
 Ceded  
 (354,090)  
 (405,732)  
 (963,487)  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 ----- Net  
 \$  
 4,113,399  
 \$  
 4,041,878  
 \$  
 3,946,847  
 =====  
 =====  
 =====

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During 2000 the Company purchased a reinsurance contract from an affiliated reinsurer. The contract is a \$170,000 stop loss reinsurance agreement covering accident year 2000 losses (the "primary coverage"). This contract was amended in December 2000 to include a \$200,000 retroactive reinsurance agreement dated December 31, 2000, covering potential adverse loss development on reserves carried by the Company as of December 31, 2000, excluding all exposures for all policy years prior to 1988, asbestos exposures for all policy years prior to 1993, and all lead-related exposures for all policy years prior to 1993 (the "secondary coverage"). This secondary coverage was not triggered as of December 31, 2000. The Company incurred adverse development up to the limits of the primary coverage and accordingly recorded reinsurance recoverable from the affiliated reinsurer of \$170,000 at December 31, 2000.

In addition, a portion of the coverage under certain of the Company's reinsurance contracts in 2000, 1999 and 1998 has been provided by the affiliated reinsurer. Earned insurance premiums ceded to the affiliated reinsurer in 2000, 1999 and 1998 were \$15,800, \$28,420 and \$33,190, respectively.

Total amounts recoverable on paid and unpaid losses ceded to the affiliated reinsurer were \$20,961 and \$7,114 as of December 31, 2000 and 1999, respectively.

13. OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Other comprehensive income was comprised of the following:

2000	-----
	-----
	-----
	-----
BEFORE TAX	
NET OF TAX	
(EXPENSE)	
TAX AMOUNT	
OR BENEFIT	
AMOUNT	-----
	-----
----- Gain	
(loss) on	
foreign	
currency	
exchange:	
Balance,	
beginning of	
year \$	
(39,614) \$	
13,865 \$	
(25,749)	
Change	
during year	
(5,664)	
1,982	
(3,682)	-----
	-----
	-----
Balance, end	
of year	
(45,278)	
15,847	
(29,431)	---
	-----
	-----
----- Net	
unrealized	
appreciation	
of	
investments:	
Balance,	
beginning of	
year	
1,005,015	
(361,603)	
643,412	

Change  
during year  
(467,529)  
163,311  
(304,218) --  
-----  
-----  
-----

Balance, end  
of year  
537,486  
(198,292)  
339,194 ----  
-----  
-----

-----  
Total other  
comprehensive  
income:

Balance,  
beginning of  
year 965,401  
(347,738)  
617,663  
Change  
during year  
(473,193)  
165,293  
(307,900) --  
-----  
-----

-----  
Balance, end  
of year \$  
492,208 \$  
(182,445) \$  
309,763  
=====

=====

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1999 -----

-----  
-----

BEFORE TAX  
NET OF TAX  
(EXPENSE)  
TAX AMOUNT  
OR BENEFIT  
AMOUNT -----

-----  
----- Gain  
(loss) on  
foreign  
currency  
exchange:  
Balance,  
beginning of  
year \$  
(55,025) \$ -  
- \$ (55,025)  
Change  
during year  
15,411  
13,865  
29,276 -----

-----  
-----  
Balance, end  
of year  
(39,614)  
13,865  
(25,749) ---

-----  
----- Net  
unrealized  
appreciation  
of  
investments:  
Balance,  
beginning of  
year  
1,840,549  
(644,192)  
1,196,357  
Change  
during year  
(835,534)  
282,589  
(552,945) --

-----  
-----  
Balance, end  
of year  
1,005,015  
(361,603)  
643,412 -----

-----  
-----

Total other  
comprehensive  
income:  
Balance,  
beginning of  
year  
1,785,524  
(644,192)  
1,141,332  
Change  
during year  
(820,123)  
296,454

(523,669) --  
-----  
-----  
-----  
Balance, end  
of year \$  
965,401 \$  
(347,738) \$  
617,663  
=====  
=====  
=====

1998 -----  
-----  
-----

-----  
BEFORE TAX  
NET OF TAX  
(EXPENSE)  
TAX AMOUNT  
OR BENEFIT  
AMOUNT -----  
-----  
----- Gain  
(loss) on  
foreign  
currency  
exchange:  
Balance,  
beginning of  
year \$  
(38,742) \$ -  
- \$ (38,742)  
Change  
during year  
(16,283) --  
(16,283) ---  
-----  
-----

-----  
Balance, end  
of year  
(55,025) --  
(55,025) ---  
-----  
-----

----- Net  
unrealized  
appreciation  
of  
investments:  
Balance,  
beginning of  
year  
1,406,955  
(492,434)  
914,521  
Change  
during year  
433,594  
(151,758)  
281,836 ----  
-----  
-----

-----  
Balance, end  
of year  
1,840,549  
(644,192)  
1,196,357 --  
-----  
-----

-----  
Total other  
comprehensive  
income:  
Balance,  
beginning of  
year  
1,368,213  
(492,434)  
875,779  
Change  
during year

417,311  
 (151,758)  
 265,553 ----  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 Balance, end  
 of year \$  
 1,785,524 \$  
 (644,192) \$  
 1,141,332  
 =====  
 =====  
 =====

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14. STATUTORY BASIS INFORMATION

The Company is required to file an annual statement with state insurance regulatory authorities for each of its insurance subsidiaries prepared on an accounting basis prescribed or permitted by such authorities (statutory basis). Prescribed statutory accounting practices, which differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America in certain respects, include a variety of publications of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC), as well as state laws, regulations, and general administrative rules. Permitted statutory accounting practices encompass all accounting practices not so prescribed.

Statutory basis information for 2000, 1999 and 1998 is as follows:

2000	1999
1998	----
-	----
Net	
income (loss)	
for the year	
\$ 8,234	\$
526,311	\$
(428,990)	
Policyholders'	
surplus at	
December 31	
\$2,782,986	
\$3,804,229	
\$3,580,188	

15. DIVIDEND RESTRICTIONS

The Company's ability to pay dividends to its shareholder is dependent on receipt of dividends from its insurance subsidiaries whose shareholder dividends are restricted by state insurance regulatory authorities.

The insurance subsidiaries are subject to state regulations which limit by reference to each companies statutory investment income and policyholders' surplus the dividends that can be paid to their parent company without prior regulatory approval. Dividend restrictions vary between the companies as determined by the laws of the domiciliary states.

Massachusetts's statute limits the dividends an insurer may pay in any twelve-month period, without the prior permission of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Insurance Commissioner, to the greater of (i) 10% of its statutory policyholder surplus as of the preceding December 31 or (ii) the individual company's statutory net gain from operations for the preceding calendar year (if such insurer is a life company), or its net income for the preceding calendar year (if such insurer is not a life company). In addition, under Massachusetts law, no domestic insurer shall pay a dividend or make any distribution to its shareholders from other than unassigned funds unless the Commissioner shall have approved such dividend or distribution.

Pursuant to Pennsylvania's statute, the maximum amount of dividends and other distributions that an insurer may pay in any twelve-month period, without the prior approval of the Pennsylvania Commissioner of Insurance, is limited to the greater of (i) 10% of it's policyholders' surplus as of

the preceding December 31 or (ii) the individual company's statutory net gain from operations for the preceding calendar year (if such insurer is a life company) or its net income for the preceding calendar year (if such insurer is not a life company). Any dividends to be paid by an insurer, whether or not in excess of the aforementioned threshold, from a source other than statutory unassigned surplus would also require the prior approval of the Pennsylvania Commissioner of Insurance.

Under the applicable state restrictions, such subsidiaries paid dividends of \$342,288, \$180,092 and \$302,799 in 2000, 1999 and 1998, respectively.

16. CONTINGENCIES

REGULATORY AND INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENTS

Unfavorable economic conditions may contribute to an increase in the number of insurance companies that are under regulatory supervision. This may result in an increase in mandatory assessments by state guaranty funds, or voluntary payments by solvent insurance companies to cover losses to policyholders of insolvent or rehabilitated companies. Mandatory assessments, which are subject to statutory limits, can be partially recovered through a reduction in future premium taxes in some states. The Company is not able to reasonably estimate the potential effect on it of any such future assessments or voluntary payments.

LITIGATION

The Company has been named a defendant in various legal proceedings arising in the normal course of business. In the Company's opinion, based on the advice of legal counsel, the ultimate resolution of these proceedings will not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements. However, liabilities related to these proceedings could be established in the near term if estimates of the ultimate resolution of these proceedings are revised.

RESIDUAL MARKETS

The Company is required to participate in residual markets in various states. The results of the residual markets are not subject to the predictability associated with the Company's own managed business, and are significant to the workers' compensation line of business and both the private passenger and commercial automobile lines of business.

17. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

During January 2001, the Company sold substantially all of its investments in common equity securities and recognized net realized gains of approximately \$246,000.

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Consolidated Balance Sheet

March 31, 2001

(Dollars in Thousands, except for per share amount)

-----  
2001 ASSETSFixed  
maturity  
investments  
at fair  
value  
(amortized  
cost

\$8,942,827)

\$ 9,047,350

Common  
equity  
securities  
at fair  
value (cost  
\$8,218)

14,558

Preferred  
equity  
securities  
at fair  
value (cost  
\$116,414)

144,500

Short-term  
investments,  
at amortized  
cost (which  
approximates  
fair value)

159,726

Other

Investments  
47,326 ----------  
-- Total  
investments  
9,413,460

Cash 52,138

Insurance  
balances  
receivable  
1,294,501Reinsurance  
recoverable  
on paid and  
unpaid  
losses

1,587,291

Deferred  
policy  
acquisition  
costs  
341,638Investment  
income  
accrued  
90,536 Netdeferred  
federal  
income taxes  
261,895Other assets  
559,001 Net  
assets of  
discontinued  
operations  
508,000 ----------  
--- Total  
assets \$  
14,108,460 -  
-----  
-----

LIABILITIES

Loss and  
loss  
adjustment  
expense  
reserves \$  
6,925,527  
Unearned  
insurance  
premiums  
1,926,041  
Long-term  
debt  
1,103,150  
Net deferred  
federal  
income taxes  
- Accounts  
payable and  
other  
liabilities  
985,654 ----  
-----  
--- Total  
liabilities  
10,940,372 -  
-----  
-----

SHAREHOLDERS'  
EQUITY

Common  
Stock, \$1.00  
par value;  
authorized  
100,000  
shares,  
16,022  
shares  
outstanding  
16  
Additional  
paid-in  
capital  
753,200  
Retained  
earnings  
2,308,836  
Accumulated  
other  
comprehensive  
income  
106,036 ----  
-----  
--- Total  
shareholders'  
equity  
3,168,088 --  
-----  
----- Total  
liabilities  
and  
shareholders'  
equity \$  
14,108,460 -  
-----  
-----

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Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income

For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2001 and 2000

(Dollars in Thousands)

-----  
2001 2000  
REVENUES:  
Earned  
insurance  
premiums \$  
1,043,088 \$  
1,065,421

Net  
 investment  
 income  
 123,947  
 122,644 Net  
 realized  
 gains from  
 investment  
 securities  
 and other  
 investments  
 402,171  
 21,147 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 Total  
 revenues  
 1,569,206  
 1,209,212 --  
 -----  
 -----  
 -- EXPENSES:  
 Losses and  
 loss  
 adjustment  
 expenses  
 814,322  
 765,771  
 Underwriting  
 and other  
 operating  
 expenses  
 435,863  
 339,225 ----  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 Total  
 expenses  
 1,250,185  
 1,104,996 --  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 -- Pretax  
 Earnings  
 319,022  
 104,216  
 Federal  
 income tax  
 provision  
 (129,872)  
 (24,062) ---  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 - Net income  
 from  
 continuing  
 operations  
 189,149  
 80,154  
 Income from  
 discontinued  
 operations -  
 7,234 Loss  
 on disposal  
 of  
 discontinued  
 operations  
 (16,040) - -  
 -----  
 -----  
 -----  
 --- NET  
 INCOME  
 173,109  
 87,388 Other  
 comprehensive  
 income, net  
 of tax;  
 Increase  
 (decrease)  
 in net

unrealized  
 appreciation  
 of  
 investments  
 (196,155)  
 91,110 Loss  
 on foreign  
 currency  
 exchange  
 (7,572)  
 (1,763) -----  
 -----  
 -----

COMPREHENSIVE  
 NET INCOME  
 (LOSS) \$  
 (30,618) \$  
 176,735 -----  
 -----  
 -----

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 Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2001 and 2000  
 (Dollars in Thousands)

-----  
 2001 2000  
 CASH FLOWS  
 FROM  
 OPERATING  
 ACTIVITIES:  
 Net income  
 \$ 173,109 \$  
 87,388  
 Adjustments  
 to  
 reconcile  
 net income  
 to net cash  
 provided by  
 operating  
 activities:  
 Loss on  
 disposal of  
 discontinued  
 operations  
 16,040 -  
 Net income  
 from  
 discontinued  
 operations  
 - (7,234)  
 Amortization  
 of bond  
 premium and  
 discount  
 (26,502)  
 (377) Net  
 realized  
 gains from  
 investment  
 securities  
 and other  
 assets  
 (402,171)  
 (21,147)  
 Depreciation  
 and  
 amortization  
 6,703 6,752  
 Deferred  
 federal  
 income  
 taxes  
 (34,174)  
 (4,423)  
 Change in

operating  
 assets and  
 liabilities:  
 Reinsurance  
 recoverable  
 on paid and  
 unpaid  
 losses  
 263,683  
 56,675  
 Deferred  
 policy  
 acquisition  
 costs  
 79,172  
 (4,487)  
 Loss and  
 loss  
 adjustment  
 expense  
 reserves  
 (57,201)  
 (198,402)  
 Unearned  
 insurance  
 premiums  
 (116,427)  
 13,658  
 Insurance  
 balances  
 receivable  
 (167,753)  
 (109,588)  
 Net change  
 in other  
 assets and  
 liabilities  
 128,382  
 (31,964) --  
 -----  
 - - - - -

----- Net  
 cash used  
 by  
 operating  
 activities  
 (137,139)  
 (213,149) -  
 -----  
 - - - - -

----- CASH  
 FLOWS FROM  
 INVESTING  
 ACTIVITIES:

Purchases  
 of  
 investments:  
 Fixed  
 maturity  
 investments  
 (3,467,644)  
 (1,246,646)  
 Common  
 equity  
 securities  
 (24,677)  
 (259,414)  
 Preferred  
 equity  
 securities  
 - - Net  
 increase in  
 short-term  
 investments  
 161,447  
 180,944 Net  
 increase in  
 other  
 invested  
 assets  
 51,426  
 1,912  
 Proceeds  
 from the  
 sales of  
 investments:

Fixed	
maturity	
investments	
2,619,859	
1,296,459	
Common	
equity	
securities	
733,438	
282,030	
Preferred	
equity	
securities	
100,153	
Maturities	
of fixed	
maturity	
investments	
90,190	
73,085	
Purchases	
of	
equipment,	
net (2,195)	
(2,639)	
Development	
of computer	
software	
(7,743)	
(8,118) ---	
-----	
-----	
--- Net	
cash	
provided by	
investing	
activities	
154,201	
319,148 ---	
-----	
-----	
--- CASH	
Flows from	
Financing	
Activities:	
Long-term	
debt	
(10,750) -	
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----- Net	
cash used	
by	
financing	
activities	
(10,750) -	
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----- Net	
increase in	
cash 6,312	
105,999	
Cash and	
cash	
equivalents,	
beginning	
of period	
45,826	
50,800 ----	
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--- Cash	
and cash	
equivalents,	
end of	
period \$	
52,138 \$	
156,799 ---	
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## WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.

## UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## INTRODUCTION

On June 1, 2001, White Mountains Insurance Group, Ltd. (the "Company", collectively with its subsidiaries "White Mountains") acquired the U.S. property and casualty operations (known as "CGU") of London-based CGNU plc. ("CGNU") for \$2.1 billion, of which \$260.0 million consisted of a convertible note payable (the "Seller Note") with the balance paid in cash.

The pro forma adjustments presented herein have been segregated as being made either in connection with the financing of the acquisition of CGU (the "Financing") or in connection with the acquisition of CGU (the "Acquisition").

## THE FINANCING

## DEBT TENDER AND DEBT ESCROW TRANSACTIONS

In connection with the Acquisition, the Company completed a tender offer and consent solicitation for \$96.3 million in outstanding medium-term notes (the "Debt Tender") which facilitated the Acquisition by amending the indenture governing the notes. Pursuant to the Debt Tender, the Company repurchased and retired \$90.9 million of its medium-term notes and subsequently prepaid, in the form of a fully-funded irrevocable escrow arrangement (the "Debt Escrow"), the balance of the outstanding medium-term notes.

## EQUITY FINANCING

On June 1, 2001, a small group of private investors purchased \$437.6 million of a newly-issued class of non-voting convertible preference shares of the Company (the "Convertible Preference Shares"). The Convertible Preference Shares bear a dividend of 1% per year and will be automatically converted (at a conversion price of approximately \$200.00 per share) into 2,184,583 common shares upon approval of the conversion by the Company's shareholders. If shareholder approval has not been obtained prior to March 31, 2003, each holder of Convertible Preference Shares will thereafter have the right to require the Company to repurchase the Convertible Preference Shares on an "as converted" basis at the then-current price of a common share. Since the market value of the Company's common shares at June 1, 2001 (\$346.00 per common share) exceeded the private investors' cost of the Convertible Preference Shares (approximately \$200.00 per common share), this instrument is deemed to have a beneficial conversion feature. This determination requires that the Convertible Preference Shares be marked-to-market, by an adjustment to retained earnings until the date the Convertible Preference Shares are converted to permanent common equity (which will occur upon shareholder approval, if and when such approval is obtained).

On June 1, 2001, Berkshire Hathaway, Inc. ("Berkshire") purchased from the Company, for \$75.0 million in cash, warrants (the "Warrants") to acquire 1,714,285 common shares at an exercise price of \$175.00 per share. Of the total Warrants purchased by Berkshire, Warrants to purchase 1,170,000 common shares (the "Series A Warrants") were immediately exercisable and Warrants to purchase approximately 544,285 common shares (the "Series B Warrants") will become exercisable upon approval by shareholders. Shareholder approval will be sought at the same time as approval of the conversion of Convertible Preference Shares is sought. If shareholder approval has not been obtained by March 31, 2003, Berkshire will thereafter have the right to require the Company to repurchase the Series B Warrants at a price per Series B Warrant equal to the then-current market price per common share less \$175.00. The Warrants have a term of seven years from the date of issuance although the Company has the right to call the Warrants for \$60.0 million in cash commencing on the fourth anniversary of their issuance. Since the Series B Warrants do not yet represent common equity to the Company, they constitute a contingent put liability (similar in nature to a stock appreciation right) which will be carried at fair value through a periodic charge or credit to the income statement. The Series B Warrants will become permanent common equity upon shareholder approval, if and when such approval is obtained.

On June 1, 2001, Berkshire also purchased for \$225.0 million, \$300.0 million in face value of cumulative non-voting preferred stock (the "Berkshire Preferred Stock") of a subsidiary of the Company. The Berkshire Preferred Stock is entitled to a 2.35475% dividend per quarter and is mandatorily redeemable after seven years. The Berkshire Preferred Stock represents subsidiary preferred stock which is considered to be minority interest in the Company's consolidated financial statements.

On June 1, 2001, Zenith Insurance Company purchased \$20.0 million in cumulative non-voting preferred stock (the "Zenith Preferred Stock") of a subsidiary of the Company. The Zenith Preferred Stock is entitled to a 2.5% dividend per quarter through June 30, 2007 and a 3.5% dividend thereafter and is mandatorily redeemable after ten years. The Zenith Preferred Stock represents subsidiary preferred stock which is considered to be minority interest in the Company's consolidated financial statements.

#### BANK FINANCING

On June 1, 2001, a subsidiary of the Company borrowed \$700.0 million in term loans and \$125.0 million in revolving loans (of a \$175.0 million revolving loan facility) from a banking syndicate arranged by Lehman Brothers Inc. (collectively the "Lehman Facility"). The term loans are repayable in quarterly installments with a final maturity on the sixth anniversary of the closing date. The revolving loan facility is available on a revolving basis from the closing date until the fifth anniversary of the closing. The loans are variable rate instruments which are currently tied to a rate based on the three-month eurodollar rate.

#### THE ACQUISITION

##### SIGNIFICANT REINSURANCE CONTRACTS

Immediately prior to the Acquisition, CGU entered into reinsurance agreements with National Indemnity Company (the "NICO Cover") and General Re Corporation (the "GRC Cover") which provide CGU with significant reinsurance protections against unanticipated increases in recorded reserves for insurance losses and loss adjustment expenses. The NICO Cover provides up to \$2.5 billion of protection against CGU's asbestos, environmental and certain other latent exposures. The GRC Cover provides for up to \$400.0 million in excess of loss reinsurance protection against adverse development on accident year 2000 and prior losses.

##### SELLER NOTE

On June 1, 2001, White Mountains issued the Seller Note to CGNU. The Seller Note has an 18 month term and bears interest at a rate equal to 50 basis points over the rate on White Mountains' revolving loan facility described above. The Seller Note may be settled in cash, or at White Mountains' option, with common shares valued at \$245.00 per share. White Mountains has classified this obligation as debt since management believes it has the ability to settle this obligation in a form other than pursuant to the Note Purchase Option Agreement which governs the Seller Note.

##### PRECLOSING TRANSACTIONS WITH CGNU

On June 1, 2001, CGU repaid \$1.1 billion in intercompany debt to CGNU with proceeds from the sale of CGU's life insurance and Canadian operations to CGNU, the sale of certain other assets to CGNU and available cash. In addition, CGNU made a \$200.0 million cash contribution to CGU immediately prior to the Acquisition.

#### UNAUDITED PRO FORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The following unaudited pro forma condensed combined income statements of White Mountains for the year ended December 31, 2000 and the three-months ended March 31, 2001 present results for White Mountains as if the acquisition of CGU and certain recurring transactions and adjustments related to the acquisition had occurred as of January 1, 2000. The accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet of White Mountains as of March 31, 2001 presents White Mountains' financial position as if the acquisition of CGU had occurred on March 31, 2001.

The Acquisition will be accounted for by the purchase method of accounting and, therefore, the assets and liabilities of CGU will be recorded at their fair values at June 1, 2001. The unaudited pro forma financial information is provided for informational purposes only. The unaudited pro forma financial information does not purport to represent what White Mountains' financial position or results of operations actually would have been had the Acquisition in fact occurred as of the dates indicated, or to project White Mountains' financial position or results of operations for any future date or period. The pro forma adjustments are based on available information and assumptions that the Company currently believes are reasonable under the circumstances and that are considered to be material to the overall pro forma presentation. The unaudited pro forma financial information should be read in conjunction with White Mountains' Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000, White Mountains' Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for

the period ended March 31, 2001, CGU's audited consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998 which are enclosed herein as Exhibit 99(w) and CGU's unaudited consolidated balance sheet as of March 31, 2001 and CGU's unaudited income statements and statements of cash flows for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2001 and 2000, which are enclosed herein as Exhibit 99(x).

WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.  
 UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED BALANCE SHEET  
 MARCH 31, 2001  
 (in millions of dollars)

Pro Forma White  
 Adjustments for  
 Mountains CGU the  
 Financing Notes -

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-- ----- ASSETS

Total investments  
 and cash \$

2,076.1 \$ 9,466.6  
 \$ (103.3) A 300.0  
 B 825.0 C 20.0 D  
 437.6 E

Reinsurance  
 recoverable on  
 paid and unpaid  
 losses 806.2  
 1,587.3 Federal  
 income tax assets

118.4 261.9  
 Insurance and  
 reinsurance  
 balances

receivable 103.0  
 1,294.5 Deferred  
 acquisition costs

29.4 341.6 Net  
 assets of  
 discontinued  
 operations -  
 508.0 Other  
 assets 455.8

648.6 5.9 A -----  
 -----  
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TOTAL ASSETS \$  
 3,588.9 \$  
 14,108.5 \$  
 1,485.2

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LIABILITIES

Loss  
 and loss  
 adjustment

expense reserves  
 \$ 1,549.2 \$

6,822.9 Funds  
 held under  
 insurance and  
 reinsurance  
 treaties 450.1

102.8 Unearned  
 insurance and  
 reinsurance  
 premiums 192.9

1,926.0 Debt 96.0  
 1,103.1 \$ (90.9)

A 825.0 C  
 Deferred credits  
 83.5 - Other  
 liabilities 176.2

985.6 (1.7) A  
 111.7 B -----  
 -----  
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----- TOTAL  
 LIABILITIES

2,547.9 10,940.4

844.1 -----

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CONVERTIBLE  
PREFERENCE SHARES

- - 755.8 E

MINORITY INTEREST

- SUBSIDIARY

PREFERRED STOCK -

- 145.2 B 20.0 D

SHAREHOLDERS'

EQUITY 1,041.0

3,168.1 (4.8) A

105.7 B (62.6) B

(318.2) E -----

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TOTAL

SHAREHOLDERS'

EQUITY 1,041.0

3,168.1 (279.9)

TOTAL

LIABILITIES,

CONVERTIBLE

PREFERENCE

SHARES, MINORITY

INTEREST AND

SHAREHOLDERS'

EQUITY \$ 3,588.9

\$ 14,108.5 \$

1,485.2

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Book value per  
common and common

equivalent share

(Note M) See the

accompanying

notes to the

unaudited pro

forma condensed

combined

financial

statements.

Pro Forma

Adjustments for

Pro Forma the

Acquisition Notes

Combined -----

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ASSETS Total

investments and

cash \$ (463.5) G

(1,114.8) H

(275.0) I

(1,843.3) J \$

9,325.4

Reinsurance

recoverable on

paid and unpaid

losses 747.6 H

105.0 I (352.1) J

2,894.0 Federal

income tax assets

128.5 H 36.7 I

(65.5) J 480.0

Insurance and

reinsurance

balances

receivable (42.0)

J 1,355.5

Deferred

acquisition costs

371.0 Net assets

of discontinued

operations

(508.0) G - Other

assets (246.7) J

(9.6) J (29.9) J

824.1 -----

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----- TOTAL
ASSETS $
(3,932.6) $
15,250.0
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LIABILITIES Loss
and loss
adjustment
expense reserves
$ (652.1) J 105.0
I $ 7,825.0 Funds
held under
insurance and
reinsurance
treaties 552.9
Unearned
insurance and
reinsurance
premiums 2,118.9
Debt (1,100.0) G
260.0 J 1,093.2
Deferred credits
755.3 J 838.8
Other liabilities
(71.5) G (170.0)
I 108.8 J 1,139.1
-----
-----
TOTAL LIABILITIES
(764.5) 13,567.9
-----
-----
CONVERTIBLE
PREFERENCE SHARES
755.8 MINORITY
INTEREST -
SUBSIDIARY
PREFERRED STOCK
165.2
SHAREHOLDERS'
EQUITY 200.0 G
(238.7) H (68.3)
I (3,061.1) J
761.1 -----
-----
----- TOTAL
SHAREHOLDERS'
EQUITY (3,168.1)
761.1 TOTAL
LIABILITIES,
CONVERTIBLE
PREFERENCE
SHARES, MINORITY
INTERESTY AND
SHAREHOLDERS'
EQUITY $
(3,932.6) $
15,250.0
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Book value per common and common equivalent share (Note M)

See the accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements.

WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.  
 UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED INCOME STATEMENT  
 FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2001  
 (IN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, EXCEPT SHARE AND PER SHARE DATA)

Pro Forma Pro  
 Forma  
 Adjustments  
 Adjustments  
 White the for  
 the for  
 REVENUES  
 Mountains CGU  
 Financing



Dividends on subsidiary preferred stock - -  
 (7.1) B (0.5)  
 D -----  
 -----  
 ----- NET  
 INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS  
 17.1 189.2  
 (23.6) (10.3)  
 Dividends on preference shares - -  
 (1.1) E - ---  
 -----  
 -----

--- NET  
 INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS AVAILABLE TO COMMON SHAREHOLDERS  
 \$ 17.1 \$  
 189.2 \$  
 (24.7) \$  
 (10.3)

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 =====  
 =====  
 =====

Earnings per Common Share (Note L):

Average shares used in computing basic earnings per share  
 5,880,115

Basic earnings per common share:  
 Net income from continuing operations \$  
 2.91

Average shares used in computing diluted earnings per share  
 5,931,337

Diluted earnings per common share:  
 Net income from continuing operations \$  
 2.88

Pro Forma REVENUES

Combined ----  
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Earned insurance and reinsurance premiums \$  
 1,140.8  
 Net realized gains on investment securities  
 423.6  
 Net investment income  
 102.5  
 Other revenues  
 38.2

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TOTAL  
REVENUES  
1,705.1  
EXPENSES  
Losses and  
loss  
adjustment  
expenses  
904.5  
Insurance and  
reinsurance  
acquisition  
expenses  
286.9 General  
and  
administrative  
expenses  
180.4  
Accretion of  
discounted  
loss reserves  
22.5 Interest  
expense 22.6  
-----

TOTAL  
EXPENSES  
1,416.9 -----

----- PRETAX  
EARNINGS  
288.2 Income  
tax benefit  
(provision)  
(105.8)  
Minority  
interest:  
Accretion of  
subsidiary  
preferred  
stock to face  
value (2.4)  
Dividends on  
subsidiary  
preferred  
stock (7.6) -  
-----

NET INCOME  
FROM  
CONTINUING  
OPERATIONS  
172.4  
Dividends on  
preference  
shares (1.1)  
-----

NET INCOME  
FROM  
CONTINUING  
OPERATIONS  
AVAILABLE TO  
COMMON  
SHAREHOLDERS  
\$ 171.3  
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Earnings per  
Common Share  
(Note L):  
Average  
shares used  
in computing  
basic  
earnings per  
share  
5,880,115  
Basic  
earnings per  
common share:  
Net income  
from  
continuing  
operations \$  
29.13 Average  
shares used  
in computing  
diluted  
earnings per

share  
 8,967,901  
 Diluted  
 earnings per  
 common share:  
 Net income  
 from  
 continuing  
 operations \$  
 19.22

See the accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma  
 condensed combined financial statements.

WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.

UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED INCOME STATEMENT  
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000  
 (IN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, EXCEPT SHARE AND PER SHARE DATA)

Pro Forma Pro  
 Forma  
 Adjustments  
 Adjustments  
 White for the  
 for the  
 REVENUES  
 Mountains CGU  
 Financing  
 Notes  
 Acquisition  
 Notes -----  
 -----  
 - -----  
 -----  
 --- Earned  
 insurance and  
 reinsurance  
 premiums \$  
 334.4 \$  
 4,275.0 Net  
 realized  
 gains  
 (losses) on  
 investment  
 securities  
 (8.4) 732.8  
 Net  
 investment  
 income 85.9  
 504.9 \$  
 (20.0) F  
 (71.5) G  
 (76.0) H  
 (17.9) I  
 Gains on  
 sales of  
 subsidiaries  
 and other  
 assets 385.8  
 - Other  
 revenues 50.5  
 - 107.9 J ---  
 -----  
 -----  
 --- TOTAL  
 REVENUES \$  
 848.2 \$  
 5,512.7 \$  
 (20.0) \$  
 (57.5)  
 EXPENSES  
 Losses and  
 loss  
 adjustment  
 expenses \$  
 287.7 \$  
 4,302.0  
 Insurance and

reinsurance  
 acquisition  
 expenses  
 101.1 1,030.5  
 General and  
 administrative  
 expenses 87.9  
 395.7 12.7 K  
 Accretion of  
 discounted  
 loss reserves  
 - - 90.0 J  
 Interest  
 expense 16.1  
 71.5 (7.2) A  
 (71.5) G 73.8  
 C 24.7 J  
 Share  
 appreciation  
 expense -  
 contingent  
 warrants - -  
 62.6 B -----  
 -----  
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TOTAL  
 EXPENSES  
 492.8 5,799.7  
 129.2 55.9 --  
 -----  
 -----

---- PRETAX  
 EARNINGS  
 (LOSS) 355.4  
 (287.0)  
 (149.2)  
 (113.4)  
 Income tax  
 benefit  
 (provision)  
 (42.5) 83.3  
 25.8 C 26.6 H  
 6.3 I 31.5 J  
 4.4 K

Minority  
 interest:  
 Accretion of  
 subsidiary  
 preferred  
 stock to face  
 value - -  
 (10.7) B -  
 Dividends on  
 subsidiary  
 preferred  
 stock - -  
 (28.3) B  
 (2.0) D -----  
 -----  
 -----

- NET INCOME  
 (LOSS) FROM  
 CONTINUING  
 OPERATIONS  
 312.9 (203.7)  
 (164.4)  
 (44.6) -  
 Redemption  
 adjustment -  
 Convertible  
 Preference  
 Shares - -  
 (318.2) E -  
 Dividends on  
 preference  
 shares - -  
 (4.4) E - ---  
 -----  
 -----

--- NET  
 INCOME (LOSS)  
 FROM

CONTINUING  
OPERATIONS  
AVAILABLE TO  
COMMON  
SHAREHOLDERS  
\$ 312.9 \$  
(203.7) \$  
(487.0) \$  
(44.6)

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=====  
=====  
=====

Earnings per  
Common Share  
(Note L):

Average  
shares used  
in computing  
basic  
earnings per  
share  
5,894,875

Basic  
earnings  
(loss) per  
common share:

Net income  
(loss) from  
continuing  
operations \$

53.08 Average  
shares used  
in computing  
diluted

earnings per  
share  
5,920,625

Diluted  
earnings  
(loss) per  
common share:

Net income  
(loss) from  
continuing  
operations \$

52.84  
Pro Forma  
REVENUES  
Combined ----

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Earned  
insurance and  
reinsurance

premiums \$  
4,609.4 Net  
realized  
gains

(losses) on  
investment  
securities  
724.4 Net

investment  
income 405.4  
Gains on  
sales of

subsidiaries  
and other  
assets 385.8  
Other

revenues  
158.4 -----  
----- TOTAL

REVENUES \$  
6,283.4  
EXPENSES

Losses and  
loss  
adjustment  
expenses \$

4,589.7  
Insurance and  
reinsurance  
acquisition  
expenses

1,131.6

General and administrative expenses 496.3  
Accretion of discounted loss reserves 90.0  
Interest expense 107.4  
Share appreciation expense - contingent warrants 62.6

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TOTAL EXPENSES  
6,477.6 -----

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PRETAX EARNINGS (LOSS) (194.2)  
Income tax benefit (provision) 135.4  
Minority interest:  
Accretion of subsidiary preferred stock to face value (10.7)  
Dividends on subsidiary preferred stock (30.3)

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NET INCOME (LOSS) FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS (99.8)  
Dividends on preference shares (318.2)  
Dividends on preference shares (4.4)

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NET INCOME (LOSS) FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS AVAILABLE TO COMMON SHAREHOLDERS \$ (422.4)

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Earnings per Common Share (Note L):  
Average shares used in computing basic earnings per share 5,894,875  
Basic earnings (loss) per common share:  
Net income (loss) from continuing operations \$ (71.66)  
Average shares used in computing diluted earnings per share

5,894,875  
Diluted  
earnings  
(loss) per  
common share:  
Net income  
(loss) from  
continuing  
operations \$  
(71.66)

See the accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma  
condensed combined financial statements.

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WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.

NOTES TO UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED  
COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ADJUSTMENTS RELATING TO THE FINANCING

The pro forma Financing adjustments, as they relate to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet and statements of income, are described below.

(A) Pursuant to the Debt Tender, the Company repurchased and retired the majority of its medium-term notes and subsequently prepaid, through the Debt Escrow, the balance of its outstanding medium-term notes. Total cash paid pursuant to the Debt Tender and the Debt Escrow was \$103.3 MILLION, which is comprised of a payment of \$95.4 million to retire \$90.9 MILLION in net principal amount of medium-term notes acquired under the Debt Tender, \$5.9 MILLION in principal and interest prepaid under the Debt Escrow, \$1.7 MILLION in accrued interest, and \$.3 million in expenses.

A \$4.8 MILLION loss on early extinguishment of debt resulted from the Debt Tender, which represented a \$4.5 million premium paid pursuant to the Debt Tender plus expenses of \$.3 million. The \$1.8 MILLION and \$7.2 MILLION reductions in interest expense presented on the pro forma income statements for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, represent interest expense on medium-term notes retired under the Debt Tender.

The medium-term notes are an obligation of the Company which is domiciled in Bermuda. As a result, no Federal income tax benefit or provision was recorded for these transactions.

(B) On June 1, 2001, White Mountains received a total of \$300.0 MILLION in cash from Berkshire in full payment for the Berkshire Preferred Stock and the Warrants. The total proceeds received were allocated to each instrument based on their relative estimated fair values at the date of acquisition. As a result, \$145.2 MILLION of such proceeds were allocated to the Berkshire Preferred Stock and \$154.8 million of such proceeds were allocated to the Warrants. Of the amount initially allocated to the Warrants, a further allocation was made among the Series A Warrants and the Series B Warrants of \$49.1 million and \$105.7 MILLION, respectively, based on the relative number of Warrants in each series. Since the Series B Warrants do not yet represent equity to the Company, they have been classified as a liability recorded at their estimated fair value which was determined to be \$111.7 MILLION. The estimated fair values attributed to the Warrants were determined using the Black Scholes option pricing model.

Share appreciation expense relating to the Series B Warrants of \$62.6 MILLION recorded on the December 31, 2000 pro forma income statement represents the excess of the estimated fair value of the Series B Warrants of \$111.7 million over the purchase price allocation to the Series B Warrants of \$49.1 million. This treatment assumes that shareholder approval did not occur during this period. Upon shareholder approval, the estimated fair value of the Series B Warrants recorded as a liability will be reclassified to shareholders' equity (\$111.7 million as of the date of the Acquisition).

The Warrants are an obligation of the Company which is domiciled in Bermuda. As a result, no Federal income tax benefit or provision was recorded for the Warrants.

Berkshire Preferred Stock dividends of \$7.1 MILLION and \$28.3 MILLION recorded for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000,

respectively, represent regular dividends on the Berkshire Preferred Stock. Accretion of subsidiary preferred stock to face value of \$2.4 MILLION and \$10.7 MILLION recorded for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, represent accretion on the Berkshire Preferred Stock which is required to transition the Berkshire Preferred Stock's recorded value (initially \$145.2 million) to its face value of \$300.0 million over the instrument's seven-year term. The accretion was determined using the interest method of amortization.

(C) On June 1, 2001, a subsidiary of the Company borrowed \$825.0 MILLION pursuant to the Lehman Facility. For the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, interest expense on the Lehman Facility was \$16.8 MILLION and \$73.8 MILLION, respectively. The Lehman Facility is an obligation of a subsidiary of the Company which is domiciled in the United States. As a result, a Federal income tax benefit of \$5.9 MILLION and \$25.8 MILLION, for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, were recorded for these transactions.

(D) On June 1, 2001, a subsidiary of the Company received a total of \$20.0 MILLION in cash from Zenith Insurance Company in full payment for the Zenith Preferred Stock. Zenith Preferred Stock dividends of \$.5 MILLION and \$2.0 MILLION, recorded for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, represent regular dividends on the Zenith Preferred Stock.

(E) On June 1, 2001, the Company received a total of \$437.6 MILLION in cash from a small group of private investors in full payment for the Convertible Preference Shares. Due to the beneficial conversion feature inherent in the Convertible Preference Shares that existed on the date of purchase, the \$318.2 MILLION difference between the \$755.8 MILLION market value of the underlying common shares at the date of purchase and the \$437.6 million purchase price represents a charge to retained earnings which is included in the Company's determination of net income or loss available to common shareholders and earnings or loss per share.

Convertible Preference Share dividends of \$1.1 MILLION and \$4.4 MILLION recorded for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, represent regular dividends on Convertible Preference Shares which assumes that shareholder approval did not occur during such periods. Upon shareholder approval, the estimated fair value of the Convertible Preference Shares will be reclassified from "mezzanine" equity to shareholders' equity (\$755.8 million as of the date of the Acquisition).

(F) The Company utilized \$364.0 million of its cash on hand to fund the Acquisition, the Debt Tender, the Debt Escrow and related expenses. The Company estimates that it earned \$4.5 MILLION and \$20.0 MILLION, for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, on such balances which were held in the form of short-term investments.

Cash on hand used to fund the Acquisition was previously held at a subsidiary of the Company which is domiciled in Barbados. As a result, no Federal income tax benefit or provision was recorded for this transaction.

#### ADJUSTMENTS RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION

The pro forma Acquisition adjustments, as they relate to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet and statements of income, are described below.

(G) CGU paid \$463.5 MILLION of net cash to CGNU immediately prior to the Acquisition which consisted of: (1) the repayment of \$1,100.0 MILLION of intercompany indebtedness plus \$71.5 million of accrued interest thereon; (2) the receipt of a \$200.0 MILLION capital contribution; and (3) the receipt of \$508.0 MILLION in proceeds from the sale of its discontinued life insurance and Canadian property and casualty operations.

The \$17.9 MILLION and \$71.5 MILLION reductions in net investment income and interest expense recorded on the pro forma income statements for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, resulted from the repayment of the CGNU intercompany note. The yield of 6.5% on the CGNU intercompany note approximated CGU's historical pre-tax yield on its fixed maturity portfolio during the periods.

(H) Effective June 1, 2001, in accordance with a provision in the CGU purchase and sale agreement, CGNU caused CGU to purchase the NICO Cover for total consideration of \$1,322.3 million. This was comprised of \$1,114.8 MILLION in cash and an assignment of \$207.5 million in reinsurance

recoverables related to covered claims. The NICO Cover, which was contingent on, and occurred contemporaneously with the Acquisition, qualifies for prospective reinsurance accounting treatment under the Emerging Issues Task Force Technical Matter Document No. D-54 ("EITF Topic D-54") which characterizes the protection as an indemnification by the seller for increases in the liabilities for losses and loss adjustment expenses that existed at the acquisition date. Pursuant to the NICO Cover, a \$747.6 MILLION reinsurance recoverable was recorded which is represented by ceded loss and loss adjustment expense reserves of \$955.1 million less \$207.5 million of reinsurance recoverables assigned.

A \$367.2 million pretax loss (\$238.7 MILLION after tax) from the NICO Cover resulted from recording ceded premiums of \$1,322.3 million, less ceded loss and loss adjustment expenses of \$955.1 million. A Federal income tax benefit of \$128.5 MILLION is reflected as a deferred tax asset on the March 31, 2001 pro forma balance sheet. The net loss recorded on the NICO Cover of \$238.7 million reflected on the March 31, 2001 pro forma balance sheet represents the after tax excess of premiums paid to NICO over net ceded reserves.

The NICO Cover had an inception date of January 1, 2000 but was not consummated until June 1, 2001. During the intervening period, the base transaction premium was adjusted for losses and loss adjustment expenses paid, reinsurance recoverable claims received, salvage and subrogation recoveries and an interest charge due to NICO, which was based on the average adjusted base transaction premium. Ceded premiums of \$1,318.2 million and ceded losses and loss adjustment expenses of \$985.9 million recognized under the NICO Cover resulted in a pretax loss of \$332.3 million (\$216.0 million after tax) on OneBeacon's income statement immediately prior to the Acquisition. This material non-recurring charge has been excluded from the pro forma income statements presented. CGU estimates that it earned \$18.5 MILLION and \$76.0 MILLION for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, on the cash used to pay NICO based on CGU's historical pre-tax yield on its fixed maturity portfolio of approximately 6.5%. These amounts constitute recurring charges that have been included in the pro forma income statements presented. As a result, a Federal income tax benefit of \$6.5 MILLION and \$26.6 MILLION, for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, was recorded for these transactions.

(I) Effective June 1, 2001, in accordance with a provision in the CGU purchase and sale agreement, CGU caused CGU to purchase the GRC Cover for total consideration of \$275.0 MILLION in cash. The GRC Cover, which was contingent on, and occurred contemporaneously with the Acquisition, qualifies for prospective reinsurance accounting treatment under the EITF Topic D-54 which characterizes the protection as an indemnification by the seller for increases in the liabilities for losses and loss adjustment expenses that existed at the acquisition date. In connection with the execution of the GRC Cover, CGU commuted an existing reinsurance contract with an affiliated reinsurer (the "Commutation"). Under the terms of the Commutation, reinsurance recoverables of approximately \$170.0 million were settled through the reduction of an existing \$170.0 MILLION intercompany payable to the affiliate. Pursuant to the GRC Cover, CGU obtained \$400.0 million of adverse development coverage and ceded \$170.0 million of loss reserves. Management has estimated that approximately \$105.0 MILLION of adverse loss reserves development subject to the GRC Cover has occurred. Accordingly, this amount has been recorded as an increase in loss and loss adjustment expense reserves which is offset by a corresponding increase in reinsurance recoverable from GRC.

A \$105.0 million pretax loss (\$68.3 MILLION after tax) from the GRC Cover reflected on the March 31, 2001 pro forma balance sheet represents after tax adverse loss development. A Federal income tax benefit of \$36.7 MILLION is reflected as a deferred tax asset on the March 31, 2001 pro forma balance sheet.

Ceded premiums of \$187.7 million and ceded losses and loss adjustment expenses of \$82.7 million recognized under the GRC Cover resulted in a pretax loss of \$105.0 million (\$68.3 million after tax) on OneBeacon's income statement immediately prior to the Acquisition. This material non-recurring charge has been excluded from the pro forma income statements presented. CGU estimates that it earned \$4.5 MILLION and \$17.9 MILLION for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, on the cash used to pay GRC which was held in the form of fixed income investments. These amounts constitute recurring charges and have been included in the pro forma income statements presented. As a result, a Federal income tax benefit of \$1.6 MILLION and \$6.3 MILLION, for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000 respectively, was recorded for these transactions.

(J) The Acquisition will be accounted for by the purchase method of accounting in accordance with the treatment of a purchase business combination under Accounting Principles Board Opinion ("APB") 16, "Business

Combinations." and, therefore, the assets and liabilities of CGU will be recorded at their estimated fair values at June 1, 2001. The preliminary adjustments to record the assets and liabilities of CGU to their estimated fair values and to allocate the excess of such estimated fair values of the net assets acquired over the purchase price follow. Such values were determined using management's best estimate.

DETERMINATION OF PURCHASE PRICE (in millions)

Total purchase price paid in cash	\$	1,811.9	
Acquisition expenses incurred and paid from April 1, 2001 through closing		31.4	
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Total cash paid		1,843.3	
Seller Note issued to CGNU		260.0	
Acquisition expenses incurred and paid through March 31, 2001		9.6	
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Total purchase price	\$	\$2,112.9	
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ALLOCATION OF PURCHASE PRICE

Net book value of CGU at March 31, 2001	\$	3,168.1	1
Total purchase price		(2,112.9)	
Adjustments to net book value described in notes (G), (H) and (I)		(107.0)	1
ADJUSTMENTS TO REFLECT THE ESTIMATED FAIR VALUE OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ASSUMED:			
Loss and loss adjustment expense reserves		652.1	
Reinsurance recoverable		(352.1)	
Insurance balances receivable		(42.0)	
Amounts recorded in other assets:			
Employee benefit plans		(29.9)	
Miscellaneous other		(.2)	2
Amounts recorded in other liabilities:			
Recognition of liabilities in connection with the Acquisition		(185.3)	3
Employee benefit plans		(55.3)	3
Reclassification of current tax payable to deferred taxes		145.3	3
Miscellaneous other		(13.5)	3
ADJUSTMENTS TO REDUCE THE CARRYING VALUE OF NON-CURRENT, NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS:			
Amounts recorded in other assets:			
Property, plant and equipment		(187.0)	2
Miscellaneous other		(14.8)	2
Goodwill and intangible assets		(44.7)	2
Net Federal deferred and current taxes relating to purchase accounting adjustments		(65.5)	
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RESULTING DEFERRED CREDIT	\$	755.3	
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1 The sum of these items equals the \$3,061.1 MILLION elimination of CGU's shareholders' equity on the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet.

2 The sum of these items equals the \$246.7 MILLION adjustment to other assets on the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet.

3 The sum of these items equals the \$108.8 MILLION adjustment to other liabilities on the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet.

DETERMINATION OF PURCHASE PRICE

SELLER NOTE. On June 1, 2001, the Company issued the \$260.0 MILLION Seller Note to CGNU. For the pro forma periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, interest expense on the Seller Note was \$5.7 MILLION and \$24.7 MILLION, respectively.

ALLOCATION OF PURCHASE PRICE

ADJUSTMENTS TO REFLECT THE ESTIMATED FAIR VALUE OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ASSUMED:

The following pro forma purchase accounting adjustments were undertaken to reflect CGU's assets and liabilities purchased by the Company at their estimated fair values.

LOSS AND LOSS ADJUSTMENT EXPENSE RESERVES AND REINSURANCE RECOVERABLES. The estimated fair values of CGU's loss and loss adjustment expense reserves and related reinsurance recoverables were based on the present value of their expected cash flows with consideration for the uncertainty inherent in the both the timing of, and the ultimate amount of, future payments for losses and receipts of amounts recoverable from reinsurers. In estimating the fair value of such items, management adjusted CGU's nominal loss reserves (net of the effects of reinsurance obtained from NICO and GRC in connection with the Acquisition) and discounted them to their present value assuming a 4.7% risk-free discount rate. The series of future cash flows related to such loss payments and reinsurance recoveries were actuarially developed using CGU's historical loss data. The "price" for bearing the uncertainty inherent in CGU's net loss reserves was assumed to be approximately 11% of the present value of the expected underlying cash flows of the loss reserves and reinsurance recoverables, which is believed to be reflective of the cost CGU would likely incur if it had attempted to obtain reinsurance for the full amount of its net loss and loss adjustment expense reserves with a third party reinsurer. As a result, loss and loss adjustment expense reserves and the related reinsurance recoverables on those amounts have been reduced by \$652.1 MILLION and \$352.1 MILLION, respectively, in the March 31, 2001 pro forma balance sheet. This reduction to net loss and loss adjustment expense reserves of \$300.0 million will be accreted through an income statement charge over the period that the claims are expected to be settled.

Accretion of loss and loss adjustment expense reserves of \$22.5 MILLION and \$90.0 MILLION recorded on the pro forma income statements for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, represent the amortization of net loss and loss adjustment expense reserves (which were reduced to their estimated fair value in purchase accounting) to their nominal value over the respective reporting period. The accretion expenses recorded during these periods assumes that 30% of the loss and loss adjustment expense reserves acquired by White Mountains pursuant to the Acquisition are recognized during the first year on an annualized basis. As a result, a Federal income tax benefit of \$7.9 MILLION and \$31.5 MILLION, for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, were recorded for this transaction.

INSURANCE BALANCES RECEIVABLE. In determining the estimated fair value of premiums receivable as of the acquisition date, White Mountains has estimated that an additional allowance for doubtful accounts was warranted in light of its decision to exit certain of CGU's business activities. Accordingly, an adjustment of \$42.0 MILLION has been recorded in the March 31, 2001 pro forma balance sheet.

RECOGNITION OF LIABILITIES IN CONNECTION WITH THE ACQUISITION. The \$185.3 million pro forma adjustment to increase other liabilities represents White Mountains' best estimate of the expected costs to exit certain business activities of CGU and the estimated fair value of obligations related to the required participation by CGU in certain assigned risk pools. Costs associated with the exit of certain of CGU's business activities have been estimated in accordance with EITF No. 95-3, "Recognition of Liabilities in Connection with a Purchase Business Combination".

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS PLANS. In accordance with Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") No. 87, "Employers' Accounting for Pensions", CGU's pension plan was required to recognize all previously unrecognized transition items as of the date of the Acquisition which increased the prepaid pension asset by \$2.6 million. In addition, White Mountains revised the weighted average discount rate used to determine CGU's pension obligations from 7.5% to 7.0% in light of current market conditions which reduced the pension asset by \$32.5 million. The net impact of the pension adjustments served to decrease other assets by \$29.9 MILLION pretax.

In accordance with FASB No. 106, "Employers' Accounting for Postretirement Benefits Other Than Pensions", CGU's postretirement plan was required to recognize all previously unrecognized transition items as of the date of the Acquisition which increased other liabilities by \$47.5 million. In addition, White Mountains revised the weighted average discount rate used to determine CGU's postretirement obligations from 7.5% to 7.0% in light of current market conditions which increased other liabilities by \$7.8 million. The total impact of the postretirement adjustments served to increase other liabilities by \$55.3 million pretax.

#### ADJUSTMENTS TO REDUCE THE CARRYING VALUE OF NON-CURRENT, NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS:

After recording all assets and liabilities purchased at their estimated fair values, the excess of acquired net assets over the purchase price has been

used to reduce the estimated fair values of all non-current, non-financial assets acquired, in accordance with APB 16.

**AMORTIZATION OF DEFERRED CREDIT.** The excess of the estimated fair value of net assets (after the reduction of the carrying amounts of non-current, non-financial assets acquired) over the purchase price has been recorded as a deferred credit in accordance with APB 16. The deferred credit will be amortized systematically to income over the estimated period of benefit of seven years. As a result, deferred credit amortization of \$27.0 MILLION and \$107.9 MILLION has been recorded on the pro forma income statements for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively.

In June 2001 the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") No. 141 entitled "Business Combinations". SFAS No. 141 requires all business combinations initiated after June 30, 2001 to be accounted for using the purchase method and calls for the recognition of all existing deferred credits arising from business combinations prior to July 1, 2001 through the income statement on the first day of the fiscal year beginning after December 15, 2001. In accordance with SFAS No. 141, White Mountains will recognize its remaining unamortized deferred credit balance on January 1, 2002 as a cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle.

(K) On June 1, 2001, White Mountains awarded 73,500 restricted shares to its key employees pursuant to the Acquisition which will vest in June 2003. Compensation expenses of \$3.2 MILLION and \$12.7 MILLION recorded on the pro forma income statements for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, represent restricted share awards deemed to have been earned by recipients over the periods. As a result, a Federal income tax benefit of \$1.1 MILLION and \$4.4 MILLION, for the periods ended March 31, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively, were recorded for this transaction.

(L) Basic earnings per common share is determined using the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. Diluted earnings per common share is determined using the weighted average number of common shares and dilutive common share equivalents outstanding during the period.

In determining the pro forma basic and diluted loss per share for the period ended December 31, 2000, the net loss from continuing operations was increased by a \$318.2 MILLION redemption value adjustment associated with the Convertible Preference Shares (see Note E) and \$4.4 MILLION in Convertible Preference Share dividends. The pro forma income statement for the period ended December 31, 2000 presented a net loss from continuing operations. Accordingly, no additional common share equivalents resulting from the Acquisition have been included in that pro forma diluted earnings per share computation as the inclusion of such potential shares would be anti-dilutive.

In determining the pro forma basic net income per share for the period ended March 31, 2001, net income from continuing operations was reduced by \$1.1 MILLION in Convertible Preference Share dividends. In determining pro forma diluted net income per share for the period ended March 31, 2001, the 73,500 restricted shares issued in connection with the Acquisition are assumed to have been issued, the Convertible Preference Shares are assumed to have been converted into 2,184,583 common shares and the Warrants are assumed to have been exercised into 778,481 incremental common shares (in accordance with the treasury method), each as of the beginning of the period presented. In computing the dilutive effect of the assumed conversion of the Convertible Preference Shares, the March 31, 2002 diluted earnings per common share numerator is adjusted to add-back Convertible Preference Share dividends of \$1.1 million.

(M) In determining book value per common and common equivalent share, common shareholders' equity is increased for the benefits deemed to have been received by the Company upon the assumed issuances of common share equivalents (cash proceeds from assumed exercises of options and warrants to acquire common shares and, when applicable, income tax benefits derived therefrom) and is decreased by the difference between the carrying value of the Berkshire Preferred Stock and its face value (see Note B). Tangible book value per common share is determined in the same manner but includes unamortized deferred credits less goodwill per common share.

At March 31, 2001, the Company's book value per common and common equivalent share was \$176.14 and its tangible book value per share was \$185.44. This computation is based on dilutive common and common equivalent shares outstanding of 5,962,070 shares at that date.

On a pro forma basis, at March 31, 2001 the Company's book value per common and common equivalent share was \$121.89 and its tangible book value per share was \$234.40. This pro forma computation of book value per common and common equivalent share at March 31, 2001 assumes the issuance of 1,170,000 common shares upon the exercise of the Series A Warrants at a price per common share of \$175.00.

At the Company's 2001 Annual General Meeting, holders of common shares will be asked to approve the issuance of additional common shares upon conversion of the Convertible Preference Shares and the exercise of the Series B Warrants. Assuming that shareholder approval is obtained, \$755.8 million of "mezzanine" equity recorded upon the issuance of Convertible Preference Shares (see Note E) and \$111.7 million of other liabilities recorded upon the issuance of the Series B Warrants (see Note B) would become permanent equity of the Company thereby increasing its shareholders' equity from \$761.1 million on a pro forma basis at March 31, 2001 to \$1,628.6 million. As a result, the Company's pro forma book value per common and common equivalent share would increase to \$180.37 and its tangible book value per share would increase to \$261.98. This pro forma computation of book value per common and common equivalent share assumes the issuance of 2,184,583 common shares upon conversion of the Convertible Preference Shares and the issuance of 1,714,285 common shares upon the exercise of the Series A and Series B Warrants at a price per common share of \$175.00.