

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

Quarterly report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 1999

or

Transition report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the transition period from ----- to -----

Commission file number 1-12289

SEACOR SMIT INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

13-3542736

(State or other jurisdiction of
Incorporation or organization)

(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

11200 Westheimer, Suite 850, Houston Texas

77042

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(713) 782-5990

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year,
if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes No

The total number of shares of common stock, par value \$.01 per share, outstanding as of May 7, 1999 was 12,149,524. The Registrant has no other class of common stock outstanding.

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PART I - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEACOR SMIT INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS
(IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT SHARE DATA, UNAUDITED)

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31,	December 31,	March
1998		1999
---	-----	-----
ASSETS		
Current Assets:		
	Cash and cash equivalents, including restricted cash	
	of \$7,492 and \$14,239, respectively	\$
180,526	\$ 175,267	
	Marketable securities	
40,214	40,325	
	Trade and other receivables, net of allowance for	
	doubtful accounts of \$2,246 and \$1,956, respectively	
81,365	86,621	
	Inventories	
1,565	1,561	
	Prepaid expenses and other	
1,879	7,959	
	Total current assets	
305,549	311,733	
	Investments, at Equity, and Receivables from 50%	
	or Less Owned Companies	
55,109	55,478	
	Available-for-Sale Securities	
94,357	154,378	
	Property and Equipment	
773,476	736,583	
	Less--Accumulated depreciation	
117,799	111,722	
	Net property and equipment	
655,677	624,861	
	Restricted Cash	

56,199	69,234	
Other Assets		
44,647	42,291	
---	-----	
1,211,538	\$ 1,257,975	\$
=====	=====	
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Current Liabilities:		
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Current portion of long-term debt		\$
2,092	\$ 2,122	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		
28,162	45,842	
Other current liabilities		
16,783	23,754	
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Total current liabilities		
47,037	71,718	
----	-----	
Long-Term Debt		
468,098	472,799	
Deferred Income Taxes		
85,572	86,124	
Deferred Gain and Other Liabilities		
45,340	51,623	
Minority Interest in Subsidiaries		
33,251	32,929	
Stockholders' Equity:		
Common stock, \$.01 par value, 14,183,157 and 14,146,457		
shares issued at March 31, 1999 and December 31, 1998		
142	141	
Additional paid-in capital		
273,589	272,012	
Retained earnings		
350,625	337,086	
Less 2,065,634 and 1,472,134 shares held in treasury at		
March 31, 1999 and December 31, 1998, at cost		
(89,167)	(65,656)	
Less unamortized restricted stock		
(2,246)	(972)	
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
(703)	171	
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Total stockholders' equity		
532,240	542,782	
----	-----	
1,211,538	\$ 1,257,975	\$

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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements and should be read in conjunction herewith.

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SEACOR SMIT INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS
(IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT SHARE DATA, UNAUDITED)

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		Three Months Ended	
March 31,		1999	
1998		-----	-----
<S>		<C>	<C>
Operating Revenue:			
Marine	\$	72,397	\$
91,159			
Environmental -			
Oil spill and emergency response		883	
1,452			
Retainer fees and other services		4,441	

4,602		

	77,721	
97,213		

Costs and Expenses:		
Cost of oil spill and emergency response	715	
1,168		
Operating expenses -		
Marine	39,962	
43,369		
Environmental	1,018	
1,339		
Administrative and general	8,178	
8,507		
Depreciation and amortization	9,325	
9,516		

	59,198	
63,899		

Operating Income	18,523	
33,314		

Other (Expense) Income:		
Interest on debt	(5,417)	
(4,483)		
Interest income	5,971	
5,688		
Gain from equipment sales or retirements, net	294	
12,719		
Other	(1,259)	
(54)		

	(411)	
13,870		

Income Before Income Taxes, Minority Interest, Equity in Earnings of 50% or Less Owned Companies, and Extraordinary Item	18,112	
47,184		
Income Tax Expense	6,249	
16,632		

Income Before Minority Interest, Equity in Earnings of 50% or Less Owned Companies, and Extraordinary Item	11,863	
30,552		
Minority Interest in Income of Subsidiaries	(368)	
(471)		
Equity in Earnings of 50% or Less Owned Companies	1,784	
4,189		

Income Before Extraordinary Item	13,279	
34,270		
Extraordinary Item - Gain on Extinguishment of Debt	260	
--		

Net Income	\$ 13,539	\$
34,270		
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Basic Earnings Per Common Share:		
Income before extraordinary item	\$ 1.08	\$
2.51		
Extraordinary item02	
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Net income	\$ 1.10	\$
2.51		

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Diluted Earnings Per Common Share:		
Income before extraordinary item	\$	0.97
2.16		
Extraordinary item02
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Net income	\$	0.99
2.16		
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Weighted Average Common Shares:		
Basic		12,359,835
13,640,818		
Diluted		15,309,798
16,651,481		
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SEACOR SMIT INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
(IN THOUSANDS, UNAUDITED)

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	Three Months Ended March	
31,	1999	1998
	-----	-----
<S>	<C>	<C>
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$ 9,247	\$ 21,266
	-----	-----
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:		
Purchase of property and equipment	(40,958)	(40,525)
Proceeds from sale of marine vessels and equipment	878	40,011
Purchase of available-for-sale securities	(2,527)	(48,322)
Proceeds from maturity of held-to-maturity securities	--	33,032
Proceeds from sale of available-for-sale securities	53,909	20,000
Investments in and advances to 50% or less owned companies	(269)	(3,317)
Principal payments on notes due from 50% or less owned companies	2,029	545
Dividends received from a 50% or less owned company	700	--
Principal payments received under sale-type leases	60	61
Loans to Globe Wireless, Inc.	(3,000)	--
Net decrease (increase) in restricted cash	13,035	(13,849)
Other	23	--
	-----	-----
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	23,880	(12,364)
	-----	-----
Cash Flows from Financing Activities:		
Payments of long-term debt	(3,638)	--
Payments on capital lease obligations	(389)	(369)
Payments on stockholders' loans	(240)	(223)
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	--	367
Common stock acquired for treasury	(23,511)	(38,377)
Other	--	5
	-----	-----
Net cash used in financing activities	(27,778)	(38,597)
	-----	-----
Effect of Exchange Rate Changes		
on Cash and Cash Equivalents	(90)	(375)
	-----	-----
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	5,259	(30,070)
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Period	175,267	175,381
	-----	-----
Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period	\$ 180,526	\$ 145,311
	=====	=====

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SEACOR SMIT INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION --

The condensed consolidated financial information for the three-month periods ended March 31, 1999 and 1998 has been prepared by the Company and was not audited by its independent public accountants. In the opinion of management, all adjustments have been made to present fairly the financial position, results of operations, and cash flows of the Company at March 31, 1999 and for all reported periods. Results of operations for the interim periods presented are not necessarily indicative of the operating results for the full year or any future periods.

Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles have been condensed or omitted. These condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and related notes thereto included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1998.

Unless the context otherwise indicates, any references in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q to the "Company" refer to SEACOR SMIT Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries, and any references in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q to "SEACOR" refer to SEACOR SMIT Inc. Certain reclassifications of prior year information have been made to conform with the current year presentation.

2. RESTRICTED CASH --

Restricted cash balances at March 31, 1999 are intended for use in defraying the costs of constructing offshore marine vessels and two state-of-the-art premium jackup offshore drilling rigs (the "Rigs") and other matters for Chiles Offshore LLC and its subsidiaries ("Chiles"), a majority owned subsidiary of the Company. At March 31, 1999, the Company had paid \$13,757,000 in offshore marine vessel construction costs from unrestricted cash balances, and subject to prior written approval from the Maritime Administration, the Company expects such amounts to be reimbursed from its restricted cash accounts.

3. EARNINGS PER SHARE --

Basic earnings per common share were computed based on the weighted average number of common shares issued and outstanding during the relevant periods. Diluted earnings per common share were computed based on the weighted average number of common shares issued and outstanding plus all potentially dilutive common shares that would have been outstanding in the relevant periods assuming the vesting of restricted stock grants and the issuance of common shares for stock options and convertible subordinated notes through the application of the treasury stock and if-converted methods. Certain stock options and restricted stock grants, totaling 30,767 in the first quarter of 1999, were excluded from the computation of diluted earnings per share, as the effect would have been antidilutive.

	Income	Shares	Per Share
	-----	-----	-----
FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1999:			
Basic Earnings Per Share -			
Income Before Extraordinary Item	\$13,279,000	12,359,835	\$ 1.08
			=====
Effect of Dilutive Securities -			
Options and Restricted Stock	--	120,419	
Convertible Securities	1,692,000	2,829,544	
	-----	-----	
Diluted Earnings Per Share -			
Income Available to Common Stockholders Plus Assumed Conversions	\$14,971,000	15,309,798	\$ 0.97
	=====	=====	=====
FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1998:			
Basic Earnings Per Share -			
Income Before Extraordinary Item	\$34,270,000	13,640,818	\$ 2.51
			=====
Effect of Dilutive Securities -			
Options and Restricted Stock	--	181,119	
Convertible Securities	1,689,000	2,829,544	

Diluted Earnings Per Share -

Income Available to Common Stockholders			
Plus Assumed Conversions	\$35,959,000	16,651,481	\$ 2.16
	=====	=====	=====

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4. SEGMENT DATA --

The Company aggregates its business activities into three operating segments: marine, environmental, and drilling. These operating segments represent strategic business units that offer different services. The marine service segment charters support vessels to owners and operators of offshore drilling rigs and production platforms. The environmental service segment provides contractual oil spill response and other related training and consulting services. The drilling service segment conducts its business affairs through Chiles, an entity in which the Company owns a 55.4% membership interest and whose business purpose is to construct, own, and operate offshore drilling rigs. Chiles has operated as a development stage company since inception in 1997.

The Company evaluates the performance of each operating segment based upon the operating profit of the segment and includes gains from the sale of equipment and equity in the earnings of 50% or less owned companies but excludes minority interest, interest income and expense, gains and losses from the sale of marketable securities and commodity swap transactions, corporate expenses, and income taxes. Operating profit is defined as Operating Income as reported in the Consolidated Statements of Operations net of corporate expenses and certain other income and expense items. The accounting policies of the operating segments have not changed from those previously described in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1998. The table presented below sets forth operating revenue and profit by the Company's various business segments, in thousands of dollars, and these results may differ from separate financial statements of subsidiaries of the Company due to certain elimination entries required in consolidation.

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	Marine	Environmental	Drilling	Other
Total	-----	-----	-----	-----
<S>	<C>	<C>	<C>	<C>
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FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1999:				
Operating Revenues -				
External Customers.....	\$ 72,397	\$ 5,324	--	--
\$ 77,721				
Intersegment	--	68	--	(68)
--	-----	-----	-----	-----
Total	\$ 72,397	\$ 5,392	\$ --	\$ (68)
\$ 77,721	=====	=====	=====	=====
Operating Profit (Loss)	\$ 18,143	\$ 978	\$ (205)	\$ --
\$ 18,916				
Gains (Losses) from Equipment Sales or				
Retirements, net.....	297	(3)	--	--
294				
Equity in Earnings of 50% or Less Owned Companies	1,669	276	--	--
1,945				
Minority Interest in Income of Subsidiaries	--	--	--	(368)
(368)				
Interest Income	--	--	--	5,971
5,971				
Interest Expense	--	--	--	(5,417)
(5,417)				
Gain from Commodity Swap Transactions	--	--	--	359
359				
Loss from Sale of Marketable Securities	--	--	--	(966)
(966)				
Corporate Expenses	--	--	--	(1,045)
(1,045)				
Income Taxes	--	--	--	(6,410)
(6,410)	-----	-----	-----	-----
Income before Extraordinary Item	\$ 20,109	\$ 1,251	\$ (205)	\$ (7,876)
\$ 13,279	=====	=====	=====	=====

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FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1998:

Operating Revenues -

External Customers	\$ 91,159	\$ 6,054	\$	--
\$ 97,213				
Intersegment	--	--	--	--
--				

Total	\$ 91,159	\$ 6,054	\$ --	\$ --
\$ 97,213				

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Operating Profit (Loss)	\$ 33,707	\$ 784	\$ (85)	\$ --
\$ 34,406				
Gains from Equipment Sales or Retirements, net ..	12,693	26	--	--
12,719				
Equity in Earnings of 50% or Less Owned Companies	4,220	60	--	--
4,280				
Minority Interest in Income of Subsidiaries	--	--	--	(471)
(471)				
Interest Income	--	--	--	5,688
5,688				
Interest Expense	--	--	--	(4,483)
(4,483)				
Corporate Expenses	--	--	--	(1,146)
(1,146)				
Income Taxes	--	--	--	(16,723)
(16,723)				

Income before Extraordinary Item	\$ 50,620	\$ 870	\$ (85)	\$ (17,135)
\$34,270				

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5. COMPREHENSIVE INCOME --

For the three-month periods ended March 31, 1999 and 1998, total comprehensive income was \$12,665,000 and \$33,988,000, respectively. Other comprehensive losses in 1999 and 1998 included losses from foreign currency translation adjustments and unrealized holding losses on available-for-sale securities.

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6. RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS --

In June 1998, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 133 ("SFAS 133"), "Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities." The Statement establishes accounting and reporting standards requiring that every derivative instrument be recorded in the balance sheet as either an asset or liability measured at its fair market value. SFAS 133 requires that changes in the derivative's fair market value be recognized currently in earnings unless specific hedge accounting criteria are met. Special accounting for qualifying hedges allows a derivative's gains and losses to offset related results on the hedged item in the income statement, and requires that a company must formally document, designate, and assess the effectiveness of transactions that receive hedge accounting. SFAS 133 is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 1999. A company may also implement SFAS 133 as of the beginning of any fiscal quarter after issuance (that is, fiscal quarters beginning June 16, 1998 and thereafter). SFAS 133 must be applied to derivative instruments and certain derivative instruments embedded in hybrid contracts that were issued, acquired, or substantially modified after December 31, 1997. The Company has not yet quantified the impact of adopting SFAS 133 on its financial statements and has not determined the timing or method of its adoption of SFAS 133.

7. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES --

As of March 31, 1999, the Company was committed to the construction of 12 offshore marine vessels for an approximate aggregate cost \$99,500,000 of which \$43,200,000 has been expended, and Chiles has commitments to build 2 Rigs for an approximate aggregate cost of \$171,300,000 of which \$123,400,000 has been expended. The offshore marine vessel construction projects are expected to be completed over the next two years, and the 2 Rigs being constructed for Chiles are expected to be completed in May and September of 1999.

8. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS --

During April 1999, the Company completed sale and leaseback transactions for five crew vessels for aggregate consideration of \$11,100,000. The leaseback agreements extend for five years and contain renewal options. Proceeds from the

sale of these vessels are expected to be deposited into restricted cash accounts for purposes of acquiring newly constructed U.S.-flag vessels and qualifying for the Company's temporary deferral of taxable gains realized from the sales. Certain of the gains realized from these sale and leaseback transactions will be deferred in the Company's balance sheet and amortized to income over the applicable lease term.

ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL
CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

When included in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q or in documents incorporated herein by reference, the words "expects," "intends," "anticipates," "believes," "estimates," and analogous expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Such statements inherently are subject to a variety of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected. Such risks and uncertainties include, among others, general economic and business conditions, industry fleet capacity, changes in foreign and domestic oil and gas exploration and production activity, competition, changes in foreign political, social and economic conditions, regulatory initiatives and compliance with governmental regulations, customer preferences and various other matters, many of which are beyond the Company's control. These forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. The Company expressly disclaims any obligation or undertaking to release publicly any updates or any change in the Company's expectations with regard thereto or any change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any statement is based.

OFFSHORE MARINE SERVICES

The Company provides marine transportation and related services largely dedicated to supporting offshore oil and gas exploration and production through the operation, domestically and internationally, of offshore support vessels. The Company's vessels deliver cargo and personnel to offshore installations, tow and handle the anchors of drilling rigs and other marine equipment, support offshore construction and maintenance work, and provide standby safety support. The Company's vessels also are used for special projects, such as well stimulation, freight hauling, line handling, seismic data gathering, salvage, and oil spill emergencies.

Operating revenues are affected primarily by the number of vessels owned, average rates per day worked and utilization of the Company's fleet, and the number of vessels bareboat and time chartered-in.

Opportunities to buy and sell vessels are actively monitored by the Company to maximize overall fleet utility and flexibility. The size of the Company's fleet has grown substantially since 1994 due to the acquisition and construction of vessels and the investment in joint venture companies that own and operate vessels. The Company has also sold many vessels from its fleet, particularly those that are less marketable. Since 1997, proceeds from the sale of certain vessels have been deposited into restricted cash accounts for purposes of acquiring newly constructed U.S.-flag vessels and qualifying for the Company's temporary deferral of taxable gains realized from the sale of those vessels.

Rates per day worked and utilization of the Company's fleet are a function of demand for and availability of marine vessels that is closely aligned with the level of exploration and development of offshore areas. The level of exploration and development of offshore areas is affected by both short-term and long-term trends in oil and gas prices which, in turn, are related to the demand for petroleum products and the current availability of oil and gas resources. The table below sets forth rates per day worked and utilization data for the Company during the periods indicated.

	THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31,	
	1999	1998

RATES PER DAY WORKED (\$): (1) (2)

Supply and Towing Supply	6,094	7,007
Anchor Handling Towing Supply	12,715	12,054

Crew	2,579	2,695
Standby Safety	6,678	6,445
Utility and Line Handling	1,798	1,838
Geophysical, Freight, and Other	5,007	4,372
Overall Fleet	4,308	4,221

OVERALL UTILIZATION (%): (1)

Supply and Towing Supply.....	78.4	91.1
Anchor Handling Towing Supply.....	81.0	85.4
Crew.....	75.1	97.0
Standby Safety.....	78.2	98.4
Utility and Line Handling.....	72.2	95.2
Geophysical, Freight, and Other.....	70.6	100.0
Overall Fleet.....	75.5	94.2

(1) Rates per day worked is the ratio of total charter revenue to the total number of vessel days worked. Rates per day worked and overall utilization figures exclude owned vessels that are bareboat chartered-out, vessels owned by corporations that participate in pooling arrangements with the Company, joint venture vessels, and managed/operated vessels and include vessels bareboat and time chartered-in by the Company.

(2) Certain of the Company's vessels earn revenue in foreign currencies, which have been converted to U.S. dollars for reporting purposes at the weighted average exchange rates of those foreign currencies for the periods indicated.

From time-to-time, the Company bareboat or time charters-in vessels. A bareboat charter is a vessel lease under which the lessee ("charterer") is responsible for all crewing, insurance, and other operating expenses, as well as the payment of bareboat charter hire to the providing entity. A time charter is a lease under which the entity providing the vessel is responsible for all crewing, insurance, and other operating expenses and the charterer only pays a time charter hire fee to the providing entity. Operating revenues for vessels owned and bareboat or time chartered-in are incurred at similar rates. However, operating expenses associated with vessels bareboat and time chartered-in include charter hire expenses that, in turn, are included in vessel expenses, but exclude depreciation expense. As of March 31, 1999 and 1998, the Company operated 26 and 15 vessels, respectively, under bareboat and time charter-in agreements. As of March 31, 1999, 19 of the vessels chartered-in resulted from sale and lease back transactions that occurred in 1998 and 1997.

The Company also bareboat charters-out vessels. Operating revenues for these vessels are lower than for vessels owned and operated or bareboat chartered-in by the Company, because vessel expenses, normally recovered through charter revenue, are the burden of the charterer. Operating expenses include depreciation expense if the vessels chartered-out are owned. At March 31, 1999 and 1998, the Company had 13 and 6 vessels, respectively, bareboat chartered-out.

The table below sets forth the Company's marine fleet structure at the dates indicated:

FLEET STRUCTURE	AT MARCH 31,	
	1999	1998
Owned.....	226	238
Bareboat and Time Chartered-In.....	26	15
Managed.....	4	2
Joint Venture Vessels (1).....	36	34
Pool Vessels (2).....	9	12
Overall Fleet.....	301	301

(1) 1999 and 1998 include 14 and 15 vessels, respectively, owned or chartered-in by a joint venture between Transportacion Maritima Mexicana S.A. de C.V. ("TMM") and the Company (the "TMM Joint Venture"). 1999 and 1998 include 18 and 19 vessels, respectively, owned by corporations in which the Company acquired an equity interest pursuant to a transaction with Smit Internationale N.V. ("Smit") in December 1996 (the "Smit Joint Ventures"). 1999 also

includes 4 vessels operated by other joint venture businesses.

- (2) 1999 and 1998 include five vessels owned by Toisa Ltd. which participate in a pool with Company owned North Sea standby safety vessels. Additionally, 1999 and 1998 include four and seven standby safety vessels, respectively, in which the Company shares net operating profits after certain adjustments with Toisa and owners of the vessels (the "Saint Fleet Pool").

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Vessel operating expenses are primarily a function of fleet size and utilization levels. The most significant vessel operating expense items are wages paid to marine personnel, maintenance and repairs, and marine insurance. In addition to variable vessel operating expenses, the offshore marine business segment incurs fixed charges related to the depreciation of property and equipment. Depreciation is a significant operating expense, and the amount related to vessels is the most significant component.

A portion of the Company's revenues and expenses are paid in foreign currencies. For financial statement reporting purposes, these amounts are translated into U.S. dollars at the weighted average exchange rates during the relevant period. The foregoing applies primarily to the Company's North Sea operations. Overall, the percentage of the Company's offshore marine operating revenues derived from foreign operations whether in U.S. dollars or foreign currencies approximated 45% and 37% for the three-month periods ended March 31, 1999 and 1998, respectively.

The Company's foreign offshore marine operations are subject to various risks inherent in conducting business in foreign nations. These risks include, among others, political instability, potential vessel seizure, nationalization of assets, currency restrictions and exchange rate fluctuations, import-export quotas, and other forms of public and governmental regulation, all of which are beyond the control of the Company. Although, historically, the Company's operations have not been affected materially by such conditions or events, it is not possible to predict whether any such conditions or events might develop in the future. The occurrence of any one or more of such conditions or events could have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition and results of operations.

Regulatory drydockings, which are a substantial component of marine maintenance and repair costs, are expensed when incurred. Under applicable maritime regulations, vessels must be drydocked twice in a five-year period for inspection and routine maintenance and repair. The Company follows an asset management strategy pursuant to which it defers required drydocking of selected marine vessels and voluntarily removes these marine vessels from operation during periods of weak market conditions and low rates per day worked. Should the Company undertake a large number of drydockings in a particular fiscal quarter or put through survey a disproportionate number of older vessels, which typically have higher drydocking costs, comparative results may be affected. For the three-month periods ended March 31, 1999 and 1998, drydocking costs totaled \$1.4 million and \$2.7 million, respectively. During those same periods, the Company completed the drydocking of 16 and 23 offshore marine vessels, respectively.

Operating results are also affected by the Company's participation in (i) a joint venture arrangement with Vector Offshore Limited, a U.K. corporation, which owns a 9% equity interest in the Company's subsidiary (the "Veesea Joint Venture") that operates 11 standby safety vessels in the North Sea, (ii) the SEAVEC and Saint Fleet Pools, which coordinate the marketing of 20 standby safety vessels in the North Sea, of which 11 are owned by the Veesea Joint Venture, (iii) the TMM Joint Venture, which operates 20 vessels offshore Mexico, (iv) the Smit Joint Ventures, which operate 18 vessels in the Far East, Latin America, the Middle East, and the Mediterranean, and (v) other joint venture arrangements.

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

The Company's environmental service business provides contractual oil spill response and other related training and consulting services. The Company's clients include tank vessel owner/operators, refiners and terminal operators, exploration and production facility operators, and pipeline operators. The Company charges a retainer fee to its customers for ensuring by contract the availability (at predetermined rates) of its response services and equipment. Retainer services include employing a staff to supervise response to an oil spill emergency and maintaining specialized equipment, including marine equipment, in a ready state for emergency and spill response as contemplated by response plans filed by the Company's customers in accordance with OPA 90 and various state regulations. The Company maintains relationships with numerous environmental sub-contractors to assist with response operations, equipment maintenance, and provide trained personnel for deploying equipment in a spill response.

Pursuant to retainer agreements entered into with the Company, certain vessel owners pay in advance to the Company an annual retainer fee based upon the number and size of vessels in each such owner's fleet and in some circumstances pay the Company additional fees based upon the level of each vessel owner's voyage activity in the U.S. The Company recognizes the greater of revenue earned by voyage activity or the portion of the

retainer earned in each accounting period. Certain vessel and facility owners pay a fixed fee or a fee based on volume of petroleum product transported for the Company's retainer services and such fee is recognized ratably throughout the year. The Company's retainer agreements with vessel owners generally range from one to three years while retainer arrangements with facility owners are as long as seven years.

Spill response revenue is dependent on the magnitude of any one spill response and the number of spill responses within a given fiscal period. Consequently, spill response revenue can vary greatly between comparable periods and the revenue from any one period is not indicative of a trend or of anticipated results in future periods. Costs of oil spill response activities relate primarily to (i) payments to sub-contractors for labor, equipment and materials, (ii) direct charges to the Company for equipment and materials, (iii) participation interests of others in gross profits from oil spill response, and (iv) training and exercises related to spill response preparedness.

The Company charges consulting fees to customers for customized training programs, its planning of and participation in customer oil spill response drill programs and response exercises, and other special projects.

The principal components of the Company's operating costs are salaries and related benefits for operating personnel, payments to sub-contractors, equipment maintenance, and depreciation. These expenses are primarily a function of regulatory requirements and the level of retainer business. Operating results are also affected by the Company's participation in the Clean Pacific Alliance ("CPA"), a joint venture with Crowley Marine Services that operates on the West Coast of the United States.

DRILLING SERVICES

The Company's drilling service business is conducted through Chiles Offshore LLC and its wholly owned subsidiaries (collectively referred to as "Chiles"). Chiles, a 55.4% majority owned subsidiary, has operated as a development stage company since inception in 1997 by devoting substantially all of its efforts to designing, engineering, and contracting with shipyards and vendors for the two state-of-the-art premium offshore jackup drilling rigs (the "Rigs"), raising capital, employing personnel, and securing contracts for the Rigs. Drilling operations have not generated operating revenues, nor is there any assurance that it will generate significant operating revenues until the Rigs are placed in service. In addition, there can be no assurance that Chiles will successfully complete the transition from a development stage company to successful operations. Other risk factors associated with the Company's drilling operations include, but are not limited to, oil and gas prices, capital expenditure plans of oil and gas operators, access to capital, completion of construction of the Rigs, and competition. As a result of the aforementioned factors and the related uncertainties, there can be no assurance of the future success of the Company's drilling service business.

A drilling contract has been executed with CNG Producing Company ("CNG") for use of the first Rig (the "Chiles Columbus"). The Chiles Columbus is expected to enter operations following its delivery from the shipyard in May 1999 and testing of its equipment and drilling systems. In order to satisfy the terms of the contract with CNG, the Chiles Columbus will be modified to extend its legs from 477 feet to 511 feet in length.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following table sets forth operating revenue and operating profit by the Company's various business segments for the periods indicated, in thousands of dollars.

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Other	Total	Marine	Environmental	Drilling
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THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1999:				
Operating Revenues -				

External Customers.....	\$ 72,397	\$5,324	\$ -
\$ - \$ 77,721			
Intersegment.....	-	68	-
(68)			
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Total.....	\$ 72,397	\$5,392	\$ -
\$ (68) \$ 77,721			
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Operating Profit (Loss).....	\$ 18,143	\$ 978	\$ (205)
\$ - \$ 18,916			
Gains (Losses) from Equipment Sales or	297	(3)	-
- 294			
Retirements, net.....	-	-	-
Equity in Earnings of 50% or Less Owned Companies.	1,669	276	-
- 1,945			
Minority Interest in Income of Subsidiaries.....	-	-	-
(368) (368)			
Interest, net.....	-	-	-
554 554			
Gain from Commodity Swap Transactions.....	-	-	-
359 359			
Loss from Sale of Marketable Securities.....	-	-	-
(966) (966)			
Corporate Expenses.....	-	-	-
(1,045) (1,045)			
Income Taxes.....	-	-	-
(6,410) (6,410)			
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Income before Extraordinary Item.....	\$ 20,109	\$1,251	\$ (205)
\$ (7,876) \$ 13,279			
=====	=====	=====	=====
THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1998:			
Operating Revenues -			
External Customers.....	\$ 91,159	\$6,054	\$ -
\$ - \$ 97,213			
Intersegment.....	-	-	-
-			
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Total.....	\$ 91,159	\$6,054	\$ -
\$ - \$ 97,213			
=====	=====	=====	=====
Operating Profit (Loss).....	\$ 33,707	\$ 784	\$ (85)
\$ - \$ 34,406			
Gains from Equipment Sales or Retirements, net....	12,693	26	-
- 12,719			
Equity in Earnings of 50% or Less Owned Companies.	4,220	60	-
- 4,280			
Minority Interest in Income of Subsidiaries.....	-	-	-
(471) (471)			
Interest, net.....	-	-	-
1,205 1,205			
Corporate Expenses.....	-	-	-
(1,146) (1,146)			
Income Taxes.....	-	-	-
(16,723) (16,723)			
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Income before Extraordinary Item.....	\$ 50,620	\$ 870	\$ (85)
\$ (17,135) \$ 34,270			
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OFFSHORE MARINE SERVICES

OPERATING REVENUES. The Company's offshore marine business segment's operating revenues decreased \$18.8 million or 20.6% in the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 compared to the three-month period ended March 31, 1998 due primarily to lower utilization and day rates and the sale of vessels. Recent declines in oil and gas prices have resulted in reduced drilling and production support activities. The adverse effect of these factors was partially offset by an increase in operating revenues resulting from the entry into service of vessels constructed for and chartered-in by the Company.

Utilization of the Company's worldwide fleet declined from 94.2% in the

three-month period ended March 31, 1998 to 75.5% in the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 and resulted in a \$17.4 million reduction in operating revenues. Most of this decline resulted from reduced demand for the Company's supply, towing supply, crew, and utility vessels operating domestically. Utilization of the Company's North Sea standby safety, West African crew, towing supply, and line handling, and Far Eastern anchor handling towing supply vessels also declined between comparable quarters. With the decline in demand for equipment in the United States, the Company has mobilized nine crew, five anchor handling towing supply, and five supply/towing supply vessels to foreign markets since March 1998.

Operating revenues declined \$3.2 million between comparable quarters due to lower day rates earned by the Company's vessels working in the United States and foreign regions. This decline was particularly focused in the Company's domestic fleet of supply/towing supply and crew vessels whose day rates fell 27% to \$5,102 per day and 6% to \$2,503 per day, respectively. The Company also experienced declines in day rates earned by certain of its anchor handling towing supply and crew vessels working offshore West Africa and supply/towing supply vessels working in other foreign regions.

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During 1998 and the first quarter of 1999, the Company sold and ceased operations of 25 vessels and constructed and accepted delivery of 13 vessels. The sale of 7 crew, 7 utility, 6 supply/towing supply and 5 anchor handling towing supply vessels resulted in an \$8.3 million decline in operating revenues. Vessels constructed for the Company, including 5 anchor handling towing supply, 4 crew, 3 supply, and 1 utility, contributed \$9.7 million to operating revenues. Revenues also rose \$1.4 million between comparable quarters due to the operation in the Far East by the Company of additional chartered-in vessels.

OPERATING PROFIT. The Company's offshore marine business segment's operating profit declined \$15.6 million, or 46.2%, in the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 compared to the three-month period ended March 31, 1998 due primarily to the adverse affect of lower utilization and day rates as outlined above. This decrease was offset by lower direct vessel operating expenses and an improvement in operating profits resulting from the replacement of older vessels with newly constructed vessels. In response to a decline in demand and day rates for vessels in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico, the Company removed vessels from service. Additional vessels were removed from service consistent with the Company's asset management strategy pursuant to which drydockings are deferred on selected vessels during periods of weak market conditions. At March 31, 1999, 45 of the Company's vessels in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico were out of service, and 19 of those vessels require drydocking before returning to operation. Administrative and general expenses of the offshore marine business segment remained relatively constant between comparable periods.

GAINS (LOSSES) FROM EQUIPMENT SALES OR RETIREMENTS, NET. Net gains from equipment sales or retirements decreased \$12.4 million in the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 compared to the three-month period ended March 31, 1998. During the first quarter 1999, the Company sold two offshore marine crew vessels. During the first quarter 1998, five utility, three crew, three anchor handling towing supply (two of which were bareboat chartered-in), and one towing supply vessels were sold.

EQUITY IN EARNINGS OF 50% OR LESS OWNED COMPANIES. Equity earnings declined \$2.6 million in the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 compared to the three-month period ended March 31, 1998 due primarily to reduced profits of the SMIT and TMM Joint Ventures and the disposition of the Company's equity interest in a joint venture that provides marine and underwater services to offshore terminal and oilfield operations internationally. In 1998, the Company's interest in a gain from the sale of a SMIT Joint Venture vessel totaled \$1.4 million, and there were no vessels sold in 1999 by joint ventures in which the Company's investment is accounted for under the equity method. Profits of the TMM Joint Ventures declined due primarily to lower rates per day worked and utilization and an increase in operating expenses associated with the bareboat charter-in of a vessel. The decrease in the TMM Joint Ventures' profits was partially offset by earnings from its operation of additional chartered-in vessels.

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

OPERATING REVENUE. The environmental business segment's operating revenue decreased \$0.7 million or 11% in the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 compared to the three-month period ended March 31, 1998 due primarily to a decrease in the number and severity of oil spills managed by the Company.

OPERATING PROFIT. The environmental business segment's operating profit increased \$0.2 million in the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 compared to the three-month period ended March 31, 1998 due to reduced operating and general and administrative expenses.

EQUITY IN EARNINGS OF A 50% OR LESS OWNED COMPANY. Equity earnings increased \$0.2 million in the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 compared to the three-month period ended March 31, 1998. Profits rose between comparable quarters due to an oil spill response by CPA in 1999; whereas, there were no spill responses in the prior year by joint ventures in which the Company's investment is accounted for under the equity method.

DRILLING SERVICES

Since inception in 1997, the Company's drilling service business segment has engaged in no operations other than managing construction of the Rigs and related matters. Operating losses in the three-month periods ended March 31, 1999 and 1998 resulted from general and administrative and depreciation expenses.

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NET INTEREST INCOME. Net interest income decreased \$0.7 million in the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 compared to the three-month period ended March 31, 1998. Interest expense rose between comparable periods due primarily to the sale in April 1998 of \$110.0 million aggregate principal amount of the Chiles 10.0% Senior Notes due 2008 (the "Chiles 10.0% Notes") and a decline in capitalized interest associated with the construction of offshore marine vessels. This decrease was partially offset by an increase in capitalized interest associated with the construction of Rigs and interest income due primarily to greater invested cash balances. During the first quarter of 1999 and 1998, the Company capitalized interest of \$3.3 million and \$1.2 million, respectively, with regard to the construction of Rigs and offshore marine vessels.

GAIN FROM COMMODITY SWAP TRANSACTIONS. During the three-month period ended March 31, 1999, the Company recognized net gains, totaling \$0.4 million, from natural gas commodity swap transactions. There were no commodity swap transactions during the comparable period ended March 31, 1998.

LOSS FROM SALE OF MARKETABLE SECURITIES. During the three-month period ended March 31, 1999, the Company realized net losses of \$1.0 million primarily from the sale of interest bearing securities as interest rates rose between the date of acquisition and disposition. There were no gains or losses recognized from the sale of marketable securities during the three-month period ended March 31, 1998.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

GENERAL. The Company's ongoing liquidity requirements arise primarily from its need to service debt, fund working capital, acquire, construct, or improve equipment and make other investments. Management believes that cash flow from operations will provide sufficient working capital to fund the Company's operating needs. The Company may, from time-to-time, issue shares of its common stock, preferred stock, debt or a combination thereof, or sell vessels to finance the acquisition of equipment and businesses or make improvements to existing equipment.

The Company's cash flow levels and operating revenues are determined primarily by the size of the Company's offshore marine fleet, rates per day worked and overall utilization of the Company's offshore marine vessels, and retainer, spill response, and consulting activities of the Company's environmental service business. The offshore marine service business is directly affected by the volatility of oil and gas prices, the level of offshore production and exploration activity, and other factors beyond the Company's control.

OFFSHORE MARKET DEVELOPMENTS. The decline in oil and gas prices that began in 1998 has resulted in reduced drilling and production support activities both domestically and internationally. As a result, revenue earned by the Company's offshore marine services fleet has declined, and at March 31, 1999, the Company had 45 offshore marine vessels out of service in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico. The decline in product prices in the oil and gas industry has also resulted in significantly reduced day rates and utilization of jackup rigs, particularly in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico shallow water market, and excess supply in the current jackup market.

Sustained weak oil and gas prices, economic problems in countries outside the United States, and a number of other factors beyond the Company's control could further curtail spending by oil and gas companies. Therefore, the Company cannot predict whether, or to what extent, market conditions will improve or deteriorate further. The current trends in market conditions will have an adverse effect on the Company's results of operations and cash flows, and if such conditions deteriorated severely and if they then persisted for an extended

period of time, they may have an adverse effect on the Company's financial position.

The Company believes that Chiles has sufficient financing in place to complete the construction and outfitting of the Rigs and fund the initial cost of operations. Current day rate levels for jackup rigs are, however, not sufficient for Chiles to operate the Rigs and produce cash flow at levels necessary to provide adequate debt service coverage. Accordingly, if jackup rig day rates remain depressed, it will be necessary for Chiles to obtain additional financing in the form of subordinated debt or equity. The Company believes that Chiles will be able to obtain such financing, if required; however, there can be no assurance that it will be available on acceptable terms.

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CASH AND MARKETABLE SECURITIES. Since December 31, 1998, the Company's cash and investments in marketable securities declined by \$67.9 million. At March 31, 1999, cash and marketable securities totaled \$371.3 million, including \$173.0 million of unrestricted cash and cash equivalents, \$134.6 million of marketable securities, and \$63.7 million of restricted cash. At March 31, 1999, the Company had paid \$13.8 million in offshore marine vessel construction costs from unrestricted cash balances, and subject to prior written approval from the Maritime Administration, the Company expects such amounts to be reimbursed from its restricted cash accounts. See discussion below regarding Cash Generation and Deployment.

CAPITAL STRUCTURE. At March 31, 1999, the Company's capital structure was comprised of \$470.2 million in long-term debt (including current portion) and \$532.2 million in stockholders' equity. Since year end, long-term debt declined due primarily to the Company's early retirement of certain indebtedness. Stockholders' equity also decreased since year end due to the repurchase of the Company's common stock and a decline in accumulated other comprehensive income that resulted from unrealized losses on available-for-sale securities and losses from foreign currency translation adjustments. This decrease was partially offset by an increase in retained earnings from net income. See discussion below regarding the Company's Stock and Debt Repurchase Program.

CASH GENERATION AND DEPLOYMENT. At March 31, 1999, cash and cash equivalents were relatively unchanged from the prior year end. Cash flow provided from operating activities during the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 totaled \$9.2 million and declined significantly between comparable quarters due primarily to lower utilization of and day rates earned by the Company's offshore marine vessels. During the three-month period ended March 31, 1999, cash generated from investing activities primarily included \$53.9 million from the sale of available-for-sale securities and \$13.0 million as a result of a reduction in restricted cash balances. These increases in cash flows were primarily offset by uses in investing and financing activities to acquire \$41.0 million of property and equipment and \$23.5 of the Company's common stock, repay \$3.9 million of indebtedness, loan \$3.0 million to Globe Wireless, Inc, and purchase \$2.5 million of available-for-sale securities.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES. Expenditures for property and equipment during the three-month period ended March 31, 1999 primarily related to the Company's construction of offshore marine vessels and Rigs. As of March 31, 1999, the Company was committed to the construction of 12 offshore marine vessels for an approximate aggregate cost \$99.5 million of which \$43.2 million has been expended, and Chiles has commitments to build 2 Rigs for an approximate aggregate cost of \$171.3 million of which \$123.4 million has been expended. The offshore marine vessel construction projects are expected to be completed over the next two years, and the 2 Rigs being constructed for Chiles are expected to be completed in May and September of 1999.

STOCK AND DEBT REPURCHASE PROGRAM. During the three-month period ended March 31, 1999, the Company purchased 593,500 shares of its common stock, \$2.5 million principal amount of its 7.2% Senior Notes due 2009, and \$1.5 million principal amount of the Chiles 10.0% Notes, all in the open market, at an aggregate cost of \$27.1 million. At March 31, 1999, the Company had \$31.8 million available for purchases of additional SEACOR Securities that may be conducted from time-to-time through open market purchases, privately negotiated transactions, or otherwise depending on market conditions.

LIQUIDITY. Under the terms of an unsecured reducing revolving credit facility (the "Credit Facility") with Den norske Bank ASA, the Company may borrow up to \$100.0 million aggregate principal amount of unsecured reducing revolving credit loans maturing November 17, 2004. At March 31, 1999, the Company had \$100.0 million available for future borrowings under the Credit Facility. The Credit Facility requires the Company, on a consolidated basis, to maintain a minimum ratio of indebtedness to vessel value, as defined, a minimum cash and cash equivalent level, a specified interest coverage ratio, specified debt to capitalization ratios, and a minimum net worth. The Credit Facility limits the amount of secured indebtedness which the Company and its subsidiaries may incur,

provides for a negative pledge with respect to certain activities of the Company's vessel owning/operating subsidiaries, and restricts the payment of dividends.

Chiles entered into a bank credit agreement that provides for a \$25.0 million revolving credit facility (the "Chiles Bank Facility") maturing December 31, 2004. Subject to satisfaction of customary conditions precedent, including that there shall have occurred no material adverse change with respect to Chiles or its business, assets, properties, conditions (financial or otherwise), or prospects since the date of execution of the Chiles Bank Facility, availability under the Chiles Bank Facility will commence upon delivery of a Rig being constructed under contract with Chiles. All obligations with respect to the Chiles Bank Facility are limited exclusively to Chiles and are nonrecourse to SEACOR. Presently, management has no reason to believe that credit under the facility will not be available.

RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

In June 1998, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 133 ("SFAS 133"), "Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities." The Statement establishes accounting and reporting standards requiring that every derivative instrument be recorded in the balance sheet as either an asset or liability measured at its fair market value. SFAS 133 requires that changes in the derivative's fair market value be recognized currently in earnings unless specific hedge accounting criteria are met. Special accounting for qualifying hedges allows a derivative's gains and losses to offset related results on the hedged item in the income statement, and requires that a company must formally document, designate, and assess the effectiveness of transactions that receive hedge accounting. SFAS 133 is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 1999. A company may also implement SFAS 133 as of the beginning of any fiscal quarter after issuance (that is, fiscal quarters beginning June 16, 1998 and thereafter). SFAS 133 must be applied to derivative instruments and certain derivative instruments embedded in hybrid contracts that were issued, acquired, or substantially modified after December 31, 1997. The Company has not yet quantified the impact of adopting SFAS 133 on its financial statements and has not determined the timing or method of its adoption of SFAS 133.

YEAR 2000

The Year 2000 ("Y2K") issue is the result of computerized systems being written to store and process the year portion of dates using two digits rather than four and that date sensitive systems may fail or produce erroneous results on or before January 1, 2000 because the year 2000 will be interpreted incorrectly. The Company has been pursuing a strategy to ensure that all of its significant computer systems will be able to process dates from and after January 1, 2000 without critical failure. Computerized systems are integral to the Company's operations, particularly for accounting and office product software applications used throughout its many offices and, to a lesser extent, for communication, navigational, and other systems aboard certain of the Company's vessels.

Most of the Company's computerized accounting and office product software applications are licensed through commercial third party software developers with whom the Company has maintenance contracts. Where necessary, these software developers have already modified and released newer versions of their product that are Y2K compliant. The Company has implemented or is in the process of testing and evaluating these newer Y2K compliant versions. In connection with the acquisition of accounting applications in prior years unconnected with its Y2K planning, the Company has already upgraded materially all of its computer hardware to systems that are Y2K compliant. The Company expects to complete the implementation of both Y2K compliant accounting and office product software and related hardware during the second half of 1999. Substantially all Y2K compliant software upgrades have been provided under the terms of the Company's maintenance contracts without additional cost. The Company has also substantially completed inventorying and preparing a risk analysis of other date-aware systems in its operations that include vessels. Presently, the Company estimates the cost of modifying its information technology infrastructure to be Y2K compliant will be approximately \$0.5 million.

The Company's computer systems are not widely integrated with the systems of its suppliers and customers. A potential Y2K risk attributable to third parties would be from a temporary disruption in certain materials and services provided by third parties. Major suppliers have been contacted regarding Y2K compliance, and the Company has added Y2K compliance requirements to all of its purchasing contracts.

At present, the Company has not developed a contingency plan to address all areas of risk associated with Y2K compliance but expects to develop a plan, if needed, beginning in the third quarter of 1999. The Company is committed to

ensuring that it is fully Y2K ready and believes that, when completed, its plans will adequately address the above-mentioned risks.

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Based upon the Y2K risk assessment work performed thus far, the Company believes the most likely Y2K-related failures would be related to a disruption of materials and services provided by third parties. Although the Company does not expect that such disruptions would have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition or results of operations, there can be no assurance that the Company's belief is correct or that its risk assessments are, in fact, accurate. The Company believes that the upgrades to its hardware and software systems, in conjunction with any contingency plans developed prior to January 1, 2000, will permit a transition through that date without significant interruption in its business or operations; however, such assessment is predicated on the timely completion of the above referenced software modifications. Should these modifications and upgrades be delayed or the Company's contingency plans fail, the Y2K issue could have a material impact on the Company's financial condition or results of operations. In addition, there can be no assurance that the Company's vendors, suppliers and other parties with whom the Company does business will successfully resolve their Y2K problems. In the event of any such failures or other Y2K failures, there can be no assurance that, despite the Company's contingency plans, there will not be a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition or results of operations.

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PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 6. EXHIBITS AND REPORTS ON FORM 8-K

A. Exhibits:

27.1 Financial Data Schedule.

B. Reports on Form 8-K:

None.

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.

SEACOR SMIT INC.
(Registrant)

DATE: MAY 17, 1999

By: /s/ Charles Fabrikant

Charles Fabrikant, Chairman of the
Board, President and Chief
Executive Officer
(Principal Executive Officer)

DATE: MAY 17, 1999

By: /s/ Randall Blank

Randall Blank, Executive Vice
President, Chief Financial Officer
and Secretary
(Principal Financial Officer)

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.

Description

27.1

Financial Data Schedule.

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THIS SCHEDULE CONTAINS SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS INCLUDED IN THE ACCOMPANYING FORM 10-Q AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCE TO SUCH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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