## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q
(Mark One)
X QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE
--- SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the quarterly period ended: September 30, 1997
OR
TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from to $\qquad$
Commission file number 1-11178
REVLON, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

## DELAWARE

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

625 MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK, NEW YORK
(Address of principal executive offices)

13-3662955
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

10022
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 212-527-4000

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

As of October 27, 1997, 19,886,600 shares of Class A Common Stock and $31,250,000$ shares of Class B Common Stock were outstanding. 11,250,000 shares of Class A Common Stock and all the shares of Class B Common Stock were held by REV Holdings Inc., an indirectly wholly owned subsidiary of Mafco Holdings Inc.

| ASSETS | SEPTEMBER 30, 1997 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { DECEMBER 31, } \\ & 1996 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (Unaudited) |  |  |  |
| Current assets: |  |  |  |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents. | \$ | 39.7 | \$ | 38.6 |
| Trade receivables, less allowances of $\$ 27.1$ and \$24.9, respectively. |  | 469.4 |  | 426.8 |
| Inventories..... |  | 379.1 |  | 281.1 |
| Prepaid expenses and other |  | 76.0 |  | 74.5 |
| Total current assets. |  | 964.2 |  | 821.0 |
| Property, plant and equipment, net |  | 384.9 |  | 381.1 |
| Other assets. |  | 154.4 |  | 139.2 |
| Intangible assets, net. |  | 327.0 |  | 280.6 |
| Total assets. | \$ | 1,830.5 | \$ | 1,621.9 |
| LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' DEFICIENCY |  |  |  |  |
| Current liabilities: |  |  |  |  |
| Short-term borrowings - third parties. | \$ | 28.3 | \$ | 27.1 |
| Current portion of long-term debt - third parties. |  | 5.8 |  | 8.8 |
| Accounts payable. |  | 178.3 |  | 161.9 |
| Accrued expenses and other |  | 331.2 |  | 366.2 |
| Total current liabilities |  | 543.6 |  | 564.0 |
| Long-term debt - third parties. |  | 1,537.9 |  | 1,321.8 |
| Long-term debt - affiliates. |  | 30.9 |  | 30.4 |
| Other long-term liabilities. |  | 224.9 |  | 202.8 |
| Stockholders' deficiency: |  |  |  |  |
| Preferred stock, par value $\$ .01$ per share, 20,000,000 shares authorized, 546 shares of Series A |  |  |  |  |
| Preferred Stock issued and outstanding... |  | 54.6 |  | 54.6 |
| Class A Common Stock, par value $\$ .01$ per share; 350,000,000 shares authorized, 19,886,025 and |  |  |  |  |
| 19,875,000 issued and outstanding, respectively. |  | 0.2 |  | 0.2 |
| Class B Common Stock, par value $\$ .01$ per share; 200,000,000 shares authorized, 31,250,000 issued and outstanding. |  | 0.3 |  | 0.3 |
| Capital deficiency.................. |  | (231.1) |  | (231.6) |
| Accumulated deficit since June 24, 1992. |  | (300.2) |  | (302.4) |
| Adjustment for minimum pension liability. |  | (12.4) |  | (12.4) |
| Currency translation adjustment. |  | (18.2) |  | (5.8) |
| Total stockholders' deficiency. |  | (506.8) |  | (497.1) |
| Total liabilities and stockholders' deficiency. | \$ | 1,830.5 | \$ | 1,621.9 |

See Notes to Unaudited Consolidated Condensed Financial Statements.


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NOTES TO UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (DOLLARS IN MILLIONS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)

## (1) BASIS OF PRESENTATION

Revlon, Inc. (the "Company") is a holding company, formed in April 1992, that conducts its business exclusively through its direct subsidiary, Revlon Consumer Products Corporation and its subsidiaries ("Products Corporation"). The Company is an indirect subsidiary of MacAndrews \& Forbes Holdings Inc., a corporation wholly owned by Mafco Holdings Inc.

The accompanying Consolidated Condensed Financial Statements are unaudited. In management's opinion, all adjustments (consisting of only normal recurring accruals) necessary for a fair presentation have been made.

The Unaudited Consolidated Condensed Financial Statements include the accounts of the Company after elimination of all material intercompany balances and transactions. The Company has made a number of estimates and assumptions relating to the assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities and the reporting of revenues and expenses to prepare these financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

The Company recognizes gains and losses on sales of subsidiary stock in its Statements of Operations.

Effective January 1997, Mexico was considered a hyperinflationary economy. Effective July 1, 1997, Brazil was considered a non-hyperinflationary economy. The impact of accounting for Brazil as a non-hyperinflationary economy was not material to the Company's operating results.

The results of operations and financial position, including working capital, for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of those to be expected for a full year, due, in part, to seasonal fluctuations, which are normal for the Company's business.

The Company matches advertising and promotion expenses with sales revenues for interim reporting purposes. Advertising and promotion expenses estimated for a full year are charged to earnings for interim reporting purposes in proportion to the relationship that net sales for such period bear to estimated full year net sales. As a result, for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, disbursements and commitments for advertising and promotion exceeded advertising and promotion expenses by $\$ 38.7$ and $\$ 25.5$, respectively, and such amounts were deferred.

## (2) INVENTORIES

| Raw materials and supplies Work-in-process. Finished goods. |
| :---: |
|  |  |
|  |  |

## SEPTEMBER 30, 1997

DECEMBER 31, 1996
\$
76.7
19.4
185.0
\$

| $===============$ |  |
| ---: | ---: |
|  | 281.1 |
| $================$ |  |

## (3) INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING

On March 5, 1996, the Company completed an initial public offering (the "Offering") in which it issued and sold 8,625,000 shares of its Class A Common Stock for $\$ 24.00$ per share. The proceeds, net of underwriter's discount and related fees and expenses, of $\$ 187.8$ were used to repay borrowings outstanding under the credit agreement in effect at that time (the "1995 Credit Agreement") and to pay fees and expenses related to the credit agreement which became effective on March 5, 1996 (the "1996 Credit Agreement").

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The net income (loss) per share has been computed based upon the weighted average of shares of common stock outstanding. The effect of unexercised stock options has not been included as it is either immaterial or anti-dilutive.

In March 1997, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") No. 128, "Earnings Per Share," which establishes new standards for computing and presenting earnings per share. SFAS No. 128 will be effective for interim and annual financial statements issued after December 15, 1997. The Company does not believe that the adoption of SFAS No. 128 will have a material impact on the Company's reported earnings per share.

## (5) EXTRAORDINARY ITEM

The extraordinary item in the nine months ended September 30, 1997 resulted from the write-off in the second quarter of 1997 of deferred financing costs associated with the extinguishment of borrowings under the 1996 Credit Agreement prior to maturity and costs of approximately $\$ 6.3$ in connection with the redemption of Products Corporation's $107 / 8 \%$ Sinking Fund Debentures due 2010 (the "Sinking Fund Debentures"). The extinguishment of borrowings under the 1996 Credit Agreement and the redemption of the Sinking Fund Debentures were financed by the proceeds from a new credit agreement which became effective in May 1997 (the "Credit Agreement"). The extraordinary item in the nine months ended September 30, 1996 resulted from the write-off in the first quarter of 1996 of deferred financing costs associated with the extinguishment of borrowings under the 1995 Credit Agreement prior to maturity with the net proceeds from the Offering and proceeds from the 1996 Credit Agreement.

## (6) BUSINESS CONSOLIDATIONS AND OTHER, NET

In the third quarter of 1997, the Company recognized a net gain of approximately $\$ 1.0$ on the sale of a factory in one of its International operations. Costs incurred in connection with the rationalization of this facility were recorded in the first quarter of 1997 when the building was determined to be held for sale. In the second quarter of 1997, the Company's retail subsidiary incurred business consolidation costs, including severance and other costs, in connection with the consolidation of certain warehouse, distribution and headquarter operations related to the merger with The Cosmetic Center, Inc. (See Note 7). In addition, in the first and second quarters of 1997, the Company incurred business consolidation costs in connection with the implementation of its business strategy to rationalize factory operations, primarily including severance and other related costs in certain International operations. These business consolidation costs were partially offset by an approximately $\$ 12.7$ settlement of a claim in the second quarter of 1997. As of September 30, 1997, the balance of the business consolidation liability was approximately \$18.3, which amount is included in accrued expenses and other and other long-term liabilities.

## (7) ACQUISITION

On April 25, 1997, Prestige Fragrance \& Cosmetics, Inc. ("PFC"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Products Corporation, and The Cosmetic Center, Inc. ("CCI") completed the merger of PFC with and into CCI (the "Merger") with CCI (subsequent to the Merger, "Cosmetic Center") surviving the Merger. In the Merger, Products Corporation received in exchange for all of the capital stock of PFC newly issued Class C common stock of Cosmetic Center constituting approximately $85.0 \%$ of the outstanding common stock. Accordingly, the Merger was accounted for as a reverse acquisition using the purchase method of accounting, so that PFC is considered the acquiring entity for accounting purposes even though Cosmetic Center is the surviving legal entity. The deemed purchase price paid for the acquisition was approximately $\$ 27.9$ and the goodwill associated with the Merger was approximately $\$ 10.5$. The Company recognized a gain of $\$ 6.0$ resulting from the sale of subsidiary stock pursuant to the Merger. The results of the Company for the period ended September 30, 1997 include the results of operations of Cosmetic Center since the effective date of the Merger.

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The results of Cosmetic Center as reflected in the accounts of the Company (which, using the Company's basis of presentation, includes buying, occupancy and distribution costs in selling, general \& administrative ("S,G\&A'') expenses) are as follows (for periods prior to April 25, 1997, only PFC's results are reported):


The following represents certain summary pro forma information as if the Merger had occurred at January 1, 1997. The summary pro forma information below combines the actual results of the Company (including Cosmetic Center after the Merger) and the results of CCI and PFC prior to the Merger and reflects increased amortization of goodwill, increased interest expense and certain income tax adjustments related to the Merger that would have been incurred had the Merger occurred on January 1, 1997. The summary pro forma information is not necessarily indicative of the results of operations of the Company had the Merger occurred at January 1, 1997, nor is it necessarily indicative of future results.

## Net sales

Operating income
Income before extraordinary item
Income before extraordinary item per common share
Nine Months
Ended
September 30,
1997

## (8) NEW CREDIT AGREEMENT

In May 1997, Products Corporation entered into the Credit Agreement with a syndicate of lenders, whose individual members change from time to time. The proceeds of loans made under the Credit Agreement were used to repay the loans outstanding under the 1996 Credit Agreement and to redeem the Sinking Fund Debentures and will be used for general corporate purposes or, in the case of the Acquisition Facility (as defined herein), the financing of acquisitions.

The Credit Agreement is comprised of five senior secured facilities: a $\$ 115.0$ initial term loan facility (the "Term Loan Facility"), an \$85.0 deferred draw term loan facility (the "Deferred Draw Term Loan Facility" and, together with the Term Loan Facility, the "Term Loan Facilities"), a \$300.0 multi-currency facility (the "Multi-Currency Facility"), a $\$ 200.0$ revolving acquisition facility, which may be increased to $\$ 400.0$ under certain circumstances with the consent of a majority of the lenders (the "Acquisition Facility"), and a $\$ 50.0$ special standby letter of credit facility (the "Special LC Facility" and together with the Term Loan Facility, the Deferred Draw Term Loan Facility, the Multi-Currency Facility and the Acquisition Facility, the "Credit Facilities"). The Multi-Currency Facility is available (i) to Products Corporation in revolving credit loans denominated in U.S. dollars (the "Revolving Credit Loans"), (ii) to Products Corporation in standby and commercial letters of credit denominated in U.S. dollars (the "Operating Letters of Credit") and (iii) to Products Corporation and certain of its international subsidiaries designated from time to time in revolving credit loans

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and bankers' acceptances denominated in U.S. dollars and other currencies (the "Local Loans"). At September 30, 1997 Products Corporation had approximately $\$ 200.0$ outstanding under the Term Loan Facilities, $\$ 217.4$ outstanding under the Multi-Currency Facility, $\$ 36.5$ outstanding under the Acquisition Facility and $\$ 34.3$ outstanding under the Special LC Facility.

The Credit Facilities (other than loans in foreign currencies) bear interest as of September 30, 1997 at a rate equal to, at Products Corporation's option, either (A) the Alternate Base Rate plus $1 / 4$ of $1 \%$ (or $1.25 \%$ for Local Loans); or (B) the Eurodollar Rate plus 1.25\%. Loans in foreign currencies bear interest as of September 30, 1997 at a rate equal to the Eurocurrency Rate or, in the case of Local Loans, the local lender rate, in each case plus $1.25 \%$. The applicable margin is reduced (or increased, but not above $3 / 4$ of 1\% for Alternate Base Rate Loans not constituting Local Loans and 1.75\% for other loans) in the event Products Corporation attains (or fails to attain) certain leverage ratios. Products Corporation pays the Lender a commitment fee as of September 30, 1997 of $3 / 8$ of $1 \%$ of the unused portion of the Credit Facilities, subject to reduction (or increase, but not above $1 / 2$ of 1\%) based on attaining (or failing to attain) certain leverage ratios. Products Corporation also paid certain facility and other fees to the lenders and agents upon closing of the Credit Agreement. Prior to its termination date, the commitments under the Credit Facilities will be reduced by: (i) the net proceeds in excess of $\$ 10.0$ each year received during such year from sales of assets by Revlon Holdings Inc. ("Holdings") (or certain of its subsidiaries), Products Corporation or any of its subsidiaries (and $\$ 25.0$ with respect to certain specified dispositions), subject to certain limited exceptions, (ii) certain proceeds from the sales of collateral security granted to the lenders, (iii) the net proceeds from the issuance by Products Corporation or any of its subsidiaries of certain additional debt, (iv) $50 \%$ of the excess cash flow of Products Corporation and its subsidiaries (unless certain leverage ratios are attained) and (v) certain scheduled reductions in the case of the Term Loan Facilities, which will commence on May 31, 1998 in the aggregate amount of $\$ 1.0$ annually over the remaining life of the Credit Agreement, and in the case of the Acquisition Facility, which will commence on December 31, 1999 in the amount of $\$ 25.0$ and in the amounts of $\$ 60.0$ during 2000, $\$ 90.0$ during 2001 and $\$ 25.0$ during 2002 (which reductions will be proportionately increased if the Acquisition Facility is increased). The Credit Agreement will terminate on May 30, 2002. The weighted average interest rates on the Term Loan Facilities and the Multi-Currency Facility were $7.1 \%$ and $6.3 \%$ per annum, respectively, as of September 30, 1997.

The Credit Facilities, subject to certain exceptions and limitations, are supported by guarantees from Holdings and certain of its subsidiaries, Revlon, Inc., Products Corporation and the domestic subsidiaries of Products Corporation. The obligations of Products Corporation under the Credit Facilities and the obligations under the aforementioned guarantees are secured, subject to certain limitations, by (i) mortgages on Holdings' Edison, New Jersey and Products Corporation's Phoenix, Arizona facilities; (ii) the capital stock of Products Corporation and its domestic subsidiaries, $66 \%$ of the capital stock of its first tier foreign subsidiaries and the capital stock of certain subsidiaries of Holdings; (iii) domestic intellectual property and certain other domestic intangibles of (x) Products Corporation and its domestic subsidiaries (other than Cosmetic Center) and (y) certain subsidiaries of Holdings; (iv) domestic inventory and accounts receivable of (x) Products Corporation and its domestic subsidiaries (other than Cosmetic Center) and ( $y$ ) certain subsidiaries of Holdings; and (v) the assets of certain foreign subsidiary borrowers under the Multi-Currency Facility (to support their borrowings only). The Credit Agreement provides that the liens on the stock and personal property referred to above may be shared from time to time with specified types of other obligations incurred or guaranteed by Products Corporation, such as interest rate hedging obligations, working capital lines and a subsidiary of Products Corporation's Yen-denominated credit agreement (the "Yen Credit Agreement").

The Credit Agreement contains various material restrictive covenants prohibiting Products Corporation from (i) incurring additional indebtedness or guarantees, with certain exceptions, (ii) making dividend, tax sharing and other payments or loans to Revlon, Inc. or other affiliates, with certain exceptions, including among others, permitting Products Corporation to pay dividends and make distributions to Revlon, Inc., among other things, to enable Revlon, Inc. to pay expenses incidental to being a public holding company, including, among other things, professional fees such as legal and accounting, regulatory fees such as Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") filing fees and other miscellaneous expenses related to being a public holding company, and to pay dividends or make distributions in certain circumstances to finance the purchase by Revlon, Inc. of its common stock in connection with the delivery of such common stock to grantees under any stock option plan, provided that the aggregate amount of such dividends and distributions taken together with any purchases of Revlon, Inc. common stock on the market to satisfy matching obligations under an excess savings plan may not exceed $\$ 6.0$ per annum, (iii) creating liens or other encumbrances on their assets or revenues, granting negative pledges or selling or transferring any of their assets except in the ordinary course of business,

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all subject to certain limited exceptions, (iv) with certain exceptions, engaging in merger or acquisition transactions, (v) prepaying indebtedness, subject to certain limited exceptions, (vi) making investments, subject to certain limited exceptions, and (vii) entering into transactions with affiliates of Products Corporation other than upon terms no less favorable to Products Corporation or its subsidiaries than it would obtain in an arms' length transaction. In addition to the foregoing, the Credit Agreement contains financial covenants requiring Products Corporation to maintain minimum interest coverage and covenants which limit the leverage ratio of Products Corporation and the amount of capital expenditures.

## (9) COSMETIC CENTER CREDIT FACILITY

In connection with the Merger, on April 25, 1997 Cosmetic Center entered into a loan and security agreement (the "Cosmetic Center Facility"). Cosmetic Center paid the then outstanding balance of $\$ 14.0$ on CCI's former credit agreement with borrowings under the Cosmetic Center Facility. On April 28, 1997, Cosmetic Center used approximately $\$ 21.2$ of borrowings under the Cosmetic Center Facility to fund the cash election associated with the Merger. The Cosmetic Center Facility, which expires on April 30, 1999, provides up to $\$ 70.0$ of revolving credit tied to a borrowing base of $65 \%$ of Cosmetic Center's eligible inventory, as defined in the Cosmetic Center Facility. Borrowings under the Cosmetic Center Facility are secured by Cosmetic Center's accounts receivable and inventory and proceeds therefrom. Under the Cosmetic Center Facility, Cosmetic Center may borrow at the London Inter-Bank Offered Rate ("LIBOR") plus $2.25 \%$ or at the bank's prime rate plus $0.5 \%$. Cosmetic Center also pays a commitment fee equal to one-quarter of one percent per annum. Interest is payable on a monthly basis except for interest on LIBOR rate loans with a maturity of less than three months, which is payable at the end of the LIBOR rate loan period and interest on LIBOR rate loans with a maturity of more than three months, which is payable every three months. If Cosmetic Center terminates the Cosmetic Center Facility, Cosmetic Center is obligated to pay a prepayment penalty of $\$ 0.7$ if the termination occurs before the first anniversary date of the Cosmetic Center Facility and \$0.2 if the termination occurs after the first anniversary date. The Cosmetic Center Facility contains various restrictive covenants and requires Cosmetic Center to maintain a minimum tangible net worth and an interest coverage ratio. At September 30, 1997, Cosmetic Center had approximately $\$ 37.4$ outstanding under the cosmetic Center Facility.

## (10) CAPITAL CONTRIBUTION

Effective July 1, 1997, Holdings contributed to Products Corporation substantially all of the assets and liabilities of the Bill Blass business not already owned by Products Corporation (the "Blass Business"). The contributed assets approximated the contributed liabilities and were accounted for at historical cost in a manner similar to that of a pooling of interests and, accordingly, prior period financial statements were restated as if the contribution took place prior to the beginning of the earliest period presented. For the three months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, the Blass Business' net sales were $\$ 0.6$ and $\$ 0.6$, respectively, and income (loss) before income taxes was $\$ 0.3$ and ( $\$ 0.1$ ), respectively. For the nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, the Blass Business' net sales were \$1.2 and \$1.5, respectively, and income before income taxes was $\$ 0.4$ and $\$ 0.0$, respectively.

The Company operates in a single business segment with many different products, which include an extensive array of glamorous, exciting and innovative cosmetics and skin care, fragrance and personal care products, and professional products, consisting of hair and nail care products principally for use in and resale by professional salons. In addition, the Company also operates retail and outlet stores and has a licensing group.

The Company presents its business geographically as its United States operation, which comprises the Company's business in the United States, and its International operation, which comprises its business outside of the United States.

## RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following table sets forth the Company's net sales by operation for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, respectively:

|  | THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, |  |  |  | NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales: | 1997 * |  | 1996 * |  | 1997 * |  | 1996 |  |
| United States | \$ | 389.0 | \$ | 345.3 | \$ | 1,015.8 | \$ | 899.2 |
| International. |  | 234.5 |  | 226.4 |  | 673.0 |  | 655.6 |
|  | \$ | 623.5 | \$ | 571.7 | \$ | 1,688.8 | \$ | 1,554.8 |

The following sets forth certain statements of operations data as a percentage of net sales for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, respectively:

|  | THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, |  |  |  | NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1997 * |  | 1996 |  | 997 |  | 1996 | * |
| Cost of sales. | 34.8 | \% | 33.8 | \% | 34.7 | \% | 33.3 | \% |
| Gross profit. | 65.2 |  | 66.2 |  | 65.3 |  | 66.7 |  |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses | 53.9 |  | 54.8 |  | 57.0 |  | 58.8 |  |
| Business consolidation costs and other, | (0.1) |  | - |  | 0.5 |  | - |  |
| Operating income. | 11.4 |  | 11.4 |  | 7.8 |  | 7.9 |  |

* The results of Cosmetic Center, which are included in the Company's results, for the three months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996 were as follows: Net sales of $\$ 42.5$ and $\$ 20.0$, cost of sales of $\$ 26.6$ and $\$ 9.7, \mathrm{~S}, \mathrm{G} \mathrm{\& A}$ expenses of $\$ 16.8$ and $\$ 9.4$ and operating (loss) income of (\$0.9) and \$0.9. The results of Cosmetic Center, which are included in the Company's results, for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996 were as follows: Net sales of $\$ 89.0$ and $\$ 49.0$, cost of sales of $\$ 53.6$ and $\$ 24.4, S, G \& A$ expenses of $\$ 41.0$ and $\$ 27.3$ and operating losses of $\$ 9.6$ and $\$ 2.7$. The 1997 period includes business consolidation costs of \$4.0.

Excluding the results of Cosmetic Center, which are included in the Company's results, for the three months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, the above percentages would have been, respectively: cost of sales of $32.8 \%$ and $33.3 \%$, gross profit of $67.2 \%$ and $66.7 \%, \mathrm{~S}, \mathrm{G} \& A$ expenses of $55.0 \%$ and $55.1 \%$, business consolidation costs and other, net, of (0.2)\% and $0 \%$ and operating income of $12.4 \%$ and $11.6 \%$. Excluding the results of Cosmetic Center, which are included in the Company's results, for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, the above percentages would have been, respectively: cost of sales of $33.2 \%$ and $32.7 \%$, gross profit of $66.8 \%$ and $67.3 \%, S, G \& A$, expenses of $57.6 \%$ and $58.9 \%$, business consolidation costs and other, net, of $0.3 \%$ and $0 \%$ and operating income of $8.9 \%$ and $8.4 \%$.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND
RESULTS OF OPERATIONS
(DOLLARS IN MILLIONS)
Net sales
Net sales were $\$ 623.5$ and $\$ 571.7$ for the third quarter of 1997 and 1996, respectively, an increase of $\$ 51.8$, or $9.1 \%$ or $11.5 \%$ on a constant U.S. dollar basis, and were $\$ 1,688.8$ and $\$ 1,554.8$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, respectively, an increase of $\$ 134.0$, or $8.6 \%$ or $10.8 \%$ on a constant U.S. dollar basis, primarily as a result of successful new product introductions worldwide, increased demand in the United States, the impact of net sales of Cosmetic Center after April 25, 1997, increased distribution internationally into the expanding self-select distribution channel and the further development of new international markets.

United States. The United States operation's net sales increased to $\$ 389.0$ for the third quarter of 1997 from $\$ 345.3$ for the third quarter of 1996, an increase of $\$ 43.7$, or $12.7 \%$, and increased to $\$ 1,015.8$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 from $\$ 899.2$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1996, an increase of $\$ 116.6$, or $13.0 \%$. Net sales improved for the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 1997, primarily as a result of continued consumer acceptance of new product offerings, general improvement in consumer demand for the Company's color cosmetics and the inclusion of incremental net sales from Cosmetic Center after the Merger on April 25, 1997. Downward trends in the mass fragrance industry prompted the Company to de-emphasize new fragrance products and to continue its strategy of growing its core cosmetics business. Accordingly, the Company realized lower than expected sales and profits from its fragrance portfolio, which will continue in the fourth quarter. Even though consumer sell-through for the REVLON and ALMAY brands, as described below in more detail, has increased by double- digit growth rates, the Company's sales to its customers have been and may continue to be impacted by retail inventory balancing and reductions resulting from consolidation in the chain drugstore industry in the U.S. As a result, the ULTIMA II distribution expansion into select drug stores also has been slower than expected and is delayed into the second half of 1998. However, results have been successful in those drug store doors which have begun offering the ULTIMA II franchise. Net sales comparisons were also impacted by the launch in the third quarter of 1996 of a professional product line which was not repeated this year and by lower sales at Cosmetic Center due to post Merger-related disruptions and the UPS strike in August 1997.

Revlon brand color cosmetics continued as the number one brand in dollar market share in the self-select distribution channel with a share of $21.8 \%$ for the nine-months ended September 30, 1997 versus $21.6 \%$ for the comparable 1996 period. Market share, which is subject to a number of conditions, can vary from quarter to quarter as a result of such things as timing of new product introductions and advertising and promotional spending. New product introductions (including, in 1997, certain products launched during 1996) generated incremental net sales in the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 1997, principally as a result of launches of products in the COLORSTAY collection, including COLORSTAY eye makeup and face products such as powder and blush, COLORSTAY HAIRCOLOR, launched in the third quarter of 1997, TOP SPEED nail enamel, launched in the third quarter of 1997, and launches of REVLON AGE DEFYING line extensions, the STREETWEAR collection, NEW COMPLEXION face makeup, LINE \& SHINE lip makeup, launches of products in the ALMAY AMAZING collection, including lip makeup, eye makeup, face makeup and concealer and ALMAY TIME-OFF REVITALIZER.

International. The International operation's net sales increased to $\$ 234.5$ for the third quarter of 1997 from $\$ 226.4$ for the third quarter of 1996 , an increase of $\$ 8.1$, or $3.6 \%$ on a reported basis or $9.7 \%$ on a constant U.S. dollar basis, and increased to $\$ 673.0$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 from $\$ 655.6$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1996, an increase of $\$ 17.4$, or $2.7 \%$ on a reported basis or $7.9 \%$ on a constant U.S. dollar basis. Net sales improved for the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 1997 principally as a result of increased distribution into the expanding self-select distribution channel, successful new product introductions, including the continued roll-out of the COLORSTAY cosmetics collection and the further development of new international markets, partially offset by sales lost in exiting the unprofitable demonstrator-assisted channel in Japan, less favorable economic conditions in several international markets, and, on a reported basis, the unfavorable effect on sales of a stronger U.S. dollar against certain foreign currencies, primarily the Spanish peseta, the Italian lira and several other European currencies, the Australian dollar, the South African rand and the Japanese yen. New products such as COLORSTAY HAIRCOLOR and STREETWEAR were introduced in select international markets in the third quarter of 1997. The International operation's sales are divided into the following geographic areas: Europe, which is comprised of Europe, the Middle East and Africa (in which net sales increased by $1.4 \%$ to $\$ 99.4$ for the third quarter of 1997 as compared to the third quarter of 1996, and increased by

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2.1\% to $\$ 298.9$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 as compared to the nine months ended September 30, 1996); the Western Hemisphere, which is comprised of Canada, Mexico, Central America, South America and Puerto Rico (in which net sales increased by $15.5 \%$ to $\$ 90.9$ for the third quarter of 1997 as compared to the third quarter of 1996, and increased by $11.1 \%$ to $\$ 244.5$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 as compared to the nine months ended September 30, 1996); and the Far East (in which net sales decreased by $11.1 \%$ to $\$ 44.2$ for the third quarter of 1997 as compared to the third quarter of 1996, and decreased by $9.2 \%$ to $\$ 129.6$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 as compared to the nine months ended September 30, 1996). Excluding in both periods the effect of the Company's strategy of exiting the demonstrator-assisted distribution channel in Japan, Far East net sales on a constant U.S. dollar basis for the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 1997 would have been at approximately the same level as those in the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 1996.

The Company's operations in Brazil are significant and, along with operations in certain other countries, have been subject to, and may continue to be subject to, significant political and economic uncertainties. In Brazil, net sales, operating income and income (loss) before taxes were \$30.2, \$1.8 and (\$0.3), respectively, for the third quarter of 1997 compared to $\$ 31.9, \$ 6.0$ and $\$ 4.6$, respectively, for the third quarter of 1996 and were \$95.9, \$10.9 and $\$ 4.6$, respectively, for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 compared to \$96.7, \$19.7 and \$15.9, respectively, for the nine months ended September 30, 1996. Results of operations in Brazil for the 1997 periods were adversely impacted by competitive activity affecting the Company's toiletries business. In Mexico, operating results for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996 were adversely affected by the continued weakness of the Mexican economy.

## Cost of sales

As a percentage of net sales, cost of sales was $34.8 \%$ for the third quarter of 1997 compared to $33.8 \%$ for the third quarter of 1996, and $34.7 \%$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 compared to $33.3 \%$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1996, respectively. The increase in cost of sales as a percentage of net sales is due primarily to factors which enhanced overall operating income including increased sales of the Company's higher cost enhanced-performance technology-based products, increased export sales and increased sales of lower margin products (such as those products sold by Cosmetic Center), and other factors including the effect of weaker local currencies on the cost of imported purchases and competitive pressures on the Company's toiletries business in certain International markets. These factors were partially offset by the benefits of improved overhead absorption against higher production volumes and more efficient global production and purchasing. Excluding the results of Cosmetic Center, as a percentage of net sales, cost of sales would have been $32.8 \%$ for the third quarter of 1997 compared to $33.3 \%$ for the third quarter of 1996, and $33.2 \%$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 compared to $32.7 \%$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1996, respectively.

## S,G\&A expenses

As a percentage of net sales, S,G\&A expenses were $53.9 \%$ for the third quarter of 1997, an improvement from $54.8 \%$ for the third quarter of 1996, and $57.0 \%$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997, an improvement from $58.8 \%$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1996. S,G\&A expenses other than advertising expense, as a percentage of net sales, improved to $37.2 \%$ for the third quarter of 1997 compared with $37.9 \%$ for the third quarter of 1996 and improved to $40.7 \%$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 compared with $42.5 \%$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1996, primarily as a result of reduced general and administrative expenses, improved productivity and lower distribution costs for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 compared with the nine months ended September 30, 1996. In accordance with its business strategy, the Company increased advertising and consumer-directed promotions in the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 1997 compared with the comparable 1996 periods to support growth in existing product lines, new product launches and increased distribution in the self-select distribution channel in many of the Company's markets in the International operation. Advertising expense increased by $8.1 \%$ to $\$ 104.5$, or $16.8 \%$ of net sales, for the third quarter of 1997 from $\$ 96.7$, or $16.9 \%$ of net sales, for the third quarter of 1996 and increased by $8.8 \%$ to $\$ 275.9$, or $16.3 \%$ of net sales, for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 from $\$ 253.5$, or $16.3 \%$ of net sales, for the nine months ended September 30, 1996.

Business consolidation costs and other, net
In the third quarter of 1997, the Company recognized a net gain of approximately $\$ 1.0$ on the sale of a factory in one of its International operations. Costs incurred in connection with the rationalization of this facility were recorded in the first quarter of 1997 when the building was determined to be held for sale. In the second quarter of 1997, Cosmetic Center incurred business consolidation costs, including severance and other costs in connection with the Merger and the consolidation of certain warehouse, distribution and headquarter operations. In addition, in the first and second quarters of 1997, the Company incurred business consolidation costs in connection with the implementation of its business strategy to rationalize factory operations, primarily including severance and other related costs in certain International operations. These business consolidation costs were partially offset by an approximately $\$ 12.7$ settlement of a claim in the second quarter of 1997. These business consolidations are intended to lower the Company's operating costs and increase efficiency in the future. A facility relating to the International operation is held for sale, and the Company believes it may realize a gain upon any such sale based upon current estimated market values.

## Operating income

As a result of the foregoing, operating income increased by $\$ 6.3$, or $9.7 \%$, to $\$ 71.2$ for the third quarter of 1997 from $\$ 64.9$ for the third quarter of 1996 and increased by $\$ 8.3$, or $6.7 \%$, to $\$ 132.2$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 from $\$ 123.9$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1996.

## Other expenses/income

Interest expense was $\$ 33.8$ for the third quarter of 1997 compared to $\$ 34.0$ for the third quarter of 1996 and $\$ 100.7$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 compared to $\$ 100.0$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1996. For the nine months ended September 30, 1997 the slight increase in interest expense is due to higher average outstanding borrowings partially offset by lower interest rates.

Gain on sale of subsidiary stock of $\$ 6.0$ was recognized in the second quarter of 1997 as a result of the Merger.

Foreign currency losses, net, were $\$ 2.4$ for the third quarter of 1997 compared to $\$ 1.9$ for the third quarter of 1996 and $\$ 5.2$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 compared to $\$ 5.7$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1996. The increase in foreign currency losses in the third quarter of 1997 as compared to the third quarter of 1996 resulted primarily from the strengthening of the U.S. dollar versus certain currencies in the Far East. The reduction for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 as compared to the corresponding 1996 period resulted primarily from the stabilization of the Venezuelan bolivar versus the devaluation which occurred during the nine months ended September 30, 1996 partially offset by the strengthening of the U.S. dollar versus certain currencies in the Far East and most European currencies.

## Provision for income taxes

The provision for income taxes was $\$ 0.2$ and $\$ 5.8$ for the third quarter of 1997 and 1996, respectively, and $\$ 9.2$ and $\$ 18.7$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, respectively. The decrease was primarily attributable to the implementation of tax planning involving the utilization of net operating loss carryforwards in certain International operations and benefits from net operating loss carryforwards domestically.

## Extraordinary item

The extraordinary item in the nine months ended September 30, 1997 resulted from the write-off in the second quarter of 1997 of deferred financing costs associated with the extinguishment of borrowings under the 1996 Credit Agreement prior to maturity with proceeds from the Credit Agreement, and costs of approximately $\$ 6.3$ in connection with the redemption of Products Corporation's Sinking Fund Debentures. The extraordinary item in the nine months ended September 30, 1996 resulted from the write-off in the first quarter of 1996 of deferred financing costs associated with the extinguishment of borrowings under the 1995 Credit Agreement prior to maturity with the net proceeds from the Offering and proceeds from the 1996 Credit Agreement.

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## FINANCIAL CONDITION, LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

Net cash used for operating activities was $\$ 113.8$ and $\$ 148.0$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, respectively. The decrease in net cash used for operating activities for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 compared with the nine months ended September 30, 1996 resulted primarily from higher operating income and improved working capital management, partially offset by increased spending on merchandise display units in connection with the Company's continued expansion into the self-select distribution channel.

Net cash used for investing activities was $\$ 82.1$ and $\$ 39.8$ for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, respectively. Net cash used for investing activities for both periods consisted primarily of capital expenditures and in the 1997 period included cash paid in connection with the cash election pursuant to the Cosmetic Center Merger and the acquisition in the third quarter of a South American hair care manufacturer and its distributor.

Net cash provided by financing activities was \$198.3 and \$173.1 for he nine months ended September 30, 1997 and 1996, respectively. Net cash provided by financing activities for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 included cash drawn under the 1996 Credit Agreement, the Credit Agreement and Cosmetic Center's Facility, partially offset by the repayment of borrowings under the 1996 Credit Agreement, the payment of fees and expenses related to the Credit Agreement, the repayment of borrowings under the Yen Credit Agreement, the repayment of borrowings under CCI's former credit agreement and the redemption of the Sinking Fund Debentures. Net cash provided by financing activities for the nine months ended September 30, 1996 included the net proceeds from the Offering, cash drawn under the 1995 Credit Agreement and under the 1996 Credit Agreement, partially offset by the repayment of borrowings under the 1995 Credit Agreement, the payment of fees and expenses related to the 1996 Credit Agreement and the repayment of borrowings under the Yen Credit Agreement.

In May 1997, Products Corporation entered into the Credit Agreement with a syndicate of lenders, whose individual members change from time to time. The proceeds of loans made under the Credit Agreement were used for the purpose of repaying the loans outstanding under the 1996 Credit Agreement and to redeem the Sinking Fund Debentures and will be used for general corporate purposes or, in the case of the Acquisition Facility (as defined herein), the financing of acquisitions.

A subsidiary of Products Corporation is the borrower under the Yen Credit Agreement, which had a principal balance of approximately [Yen]4.3 billion as of September 30, 1997 (approximately $\$ 35.8$ U.S. dollar equivalent as of September 30, 1997). In accordance with the terms of the Yen Credit Agreement, approximately [Yen]539 million (approximately \$5.2 U.S. dollar equivalent) was paid in January 1996 and approximately [Yen]539 million (approximately $\$ 4.6$ U.S. dollar equivalent) was paid in January 1997. In June 1997, Products Corporation amended and restated the Yen Credit Agreement to extend the term to December 31, 2000 subject to earlier termination under certain circumstances. In accordance with the terms of the Yen Credit Agreement, as amended and restated, approximately [Yen]539 million (approximately $\$ 4.5$ U.S. dollar equivalent as of September 30, 1997) is due in each of March 1998, 1999 and 2000 and [Yen]2.7 billion (approximately $\$ 22.3$ U.S. dollar equivalent as of September 30, 1997) is due on December 31, 2000.

Products Corporation made an optional sinking fund payment of $\$ 13.5$ and redeemed all of the outstanding $\$ 85.0$ principal amount Sinking Fund Debentures on July 15, 1997 with the proceeds of borrowings under the Credit Agreement. \$9.0 aggregate principal amount of previously purchased Sinking Fund Debentures were used for the mandatory sinking fund payment due July 15, 1997.

Products Corporation borrows funds from its affiliates from time to time to supplement its working capital borrowings at interest rates more favorable to Products Corporation than interest rates under the Credit Agreement. No such borrowings were outstanding as of September 30, 1997.

The Company's principal sources of funds are expected to be cash flow generated from operations and borrowings under the Credit Agreement and other existing working capital lines. Various debt instruments and agreements contain certain provisions that by their terms limit the Company's and/or its subsidiaries'ability to, among other

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things, incur additional debt. The Company's principal uses of funds are expected to be the payment of operating expenses, working capital and capital expenditure requirements and debt service payments.

The Company estimates that capital expenditures for 1997 will be approximately $\$ 55$, including approximately $\$ 10$ for upgrades to the Company's management information systems. Pursuant to a tax sharing agreement, Revlon, Inc. may be required to make tax sharing payments to Mafco Holdings Inc. as if Revlon, Inc. were filing separate income tax returns, except that no payments are required by Revlon, Inc. if and to the extent that Products Corporation is prohibited under the Credit Agreement from making tax sharing payments to Revlon, Inc. The Credit Agreement prohibits Products Corporation from making any cash tax sharing payments other than in respect of state and local income taxes. Revlon, Inc. anticipates that, as a result of net operating tax losses and prohibitions under the Credit Agreement, no federal tax payments or payments in lieu of taxes pursuant to the tax sharing agreement will be made for 1997.

As of September 30, 1997, Products Corporation was party to a series of interest rate swap agreements (which expire at various dates through December 2001) totaling a notional amount of $\$ 225.0$ in which Products Corporation agreed to pay on such notional amount a variable interest rate equal to the six month $\operatorname{LIBOR}$ ( $5.781 \%$ per annum at October 28, 1997) to its counterparties and the counterparties agreed to pay on such notional amounts fixed interest rates averaging approximately $6.03 \%$ per annum. Products Corporation entered into these agreements in 1993 and 1994 (and in the first quarter of 1996 extended a portion equal to a notional amount of $\$ 125.0$ through December 2001) to convert the interest rate on $\$ 225.0$ of fixed-rate indebtedness to a variable rate. If Products Corporation had terminated these agreements, which Products Corporation considers to be held for other than trading purposes, on September 30, 1997, a loss of approximately $\$ 1.8$ would have been realized. Certain other swap agreements were terminated in 1993 for a gain of $\$ 14.0$. The amortization of the realized gain on these agreements for the nine months ended September 30, 1997 was approximately $\$ 2.4$. The remaining unamortized gain, which is being amortized over the original lives of the agreements, is $\$ 0.7$ as of September 30, 1997. Although cash flow from the presently outstanding agreements was slightly positive for the nine months ended September 30, 1997, future positive or negative cash flows from these agreements will depend upon the trend of short-term interest rates during the remaining lives of such agreements. Based on current interest rate levels, Products Corporation expects to have break even cash flow from these agreements in 1997, although no assurances can be given that short-term interest rates will not rise above current levels. In the event of nonperformance by the counterparties at any time during the remaining lives of the agreements, Products Corporation could lose some or all of any possible future positive cash flows from these agreements. However, Products Corporation does not anticipate nonperformance by such counterparties, although no assurances can be given.

Products Corporation enters into forward foreign exchange contracts from time to time to hedge certain cash flows denominated in foreign currencies. At September 30, 1997, Products Corporation had forward foreign exchange contracts denominated in various currencies of approximately $\$ 9.8$ (U.S. dollar equivalent as of September 30, 1997). If Products Corporation had terminated these contracts on September 30, 1997, no material gain or loss would have been realized.

Based upon the Company's current level of operations and anticipated growth in net sales and earnings as a result of its business strategy, the Company expects that cash flows from operations and funds from currently available credit facilities and refinancings of existing indebtedness will be sufficient to enable the Company to meet its anticipated cash requirements for the foreseeable future on a consolidated basis, including for debt service. However, there can be no assurance that cash flow from operations and funds from existing credit facilities and refinancing of existing indebtedness will be sufficient to meet the Company's cash requirements on a consolidated basis. If the Company is unable to satisfy such cash requirements, the Company could be required to adopt one or more alternatives, such as reducing or delaying capital expenditures, restructuring indebtedness, selling assets or operations, seeking capital contributions or loans from affiliates of the Company or issuing additional shares of capital stock of Revlon, Inc. Revlon, Inc., as a holding company, will be dependent on the earnings and cash flow of, and dividends and distributions from Products Corporation to pay its expenses and to pay any cash dividends or distributions on the Class A Common Stock that may be authorized by the Board of Directors of Revlon, Inc. The terms of the Credit Agreement, the Senior Subordinated Notes, the 1999 Senior Notes and the Senior Notes generally restrict Products Corporation from paying dividends or making distributions, except that Products Corporation is permitted to pay dividends and make distributions to Revlon, Inc., among other things, to enable Revlon, Inc. to pay expenses incidental to being a public holding company, including, among other things, professional fees such as legal and accounting, regulatory fees such as Commission filing fees and other miscellaneous

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expenses related to being a public holding company and to pay dividends or make distributions in certain circumstances to finance the purchase by Revlon, Inc. of its Class A Common Stock in connection with the delivery of such Class A Common Stock to grantees under the Revlon, Inc. 1996 Stock Plan provided that the aggregate amount of such dividends and distributions taken together with any purchases of Revlon, Inc. common stock on the open market to satisfy matching obligations under the excess savings plan may not exceed \$6.0 per annum.

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS
This quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 1997 as well as other public documents of the Company contain forward-looking statements which involve risks and uncertainties. The Company's actual results may differ materially from those discussed in such forward-looking statements. Such statements include, without limitation, the Company's expectation and estimates as to introduction of new products, future financial performance, including growth in net sales and earnings, cash flows from operations, improved results from business consolidations, the possibility of gains from dispositions of facilities held for sale, capital expenditures and the availability of funds from currently available credit facilities and refinancings of indebtedness, capital contributions or loans from affiliates, the sale of assets or additional shares of Revlon, Inc. Readers are urged to consider statements which use the terms "believes," "does not believe," "no reason to believe," "expects," "plans," "intends," "estimates," "anticipated" or "anticipates" to be uncertain and forward-looking. Such statements reflect the current views of the Company with respect to future events and are subject to certain risks, uncertainties and assumptions. In addition to factors that may be described in the Company's Commission filings, including this filing, the following factors, among others, could cause the Company's actual results to differ materially from those expressed in any forward-looking statements made by the Company: (i) difficulties or delays in developing and introducing new products or failure of customers to accept new product offerings; (ii) changes in consumer preferences, including reduced consumer demand for the Company's color cosmetics and other current products and reduced consumer demand for the Company's fragrances; (iii) difficulties or delays in the Company's continued expansion into the self-select distribution channel and development of new markets and difficulties or delays in introducing ULTIMA II into the self-select distribution channel; (iv) unanticipated costs or difficulties or delays in completing projects associated with the Company's strategy to improve operating efficiencies, including information system upgrades; (v) the inability to refinance indebtedness, secure capital contributions or loans from affiliates or sell assets or additional shares of Revlon, Inc.; (vi) effects of and changes in economic conditions, including inflation and monetary conditions, and in trade, monetary, fiscal and tax policies in countries outside of the U.S. in which the Company operates, including Brazil; (vii) actions by competitors, including business combinations, technological breakthroughs, new product offerings and marketing and promotional successes; (viii) difficulties or delays in realizing improved results from business consolidations and in realizing gains from the sale of certain facilities held for sale; and (ix) combinations among significant customers or the loss, insolvency or failure to pay its debts by a significant customer or customers. The Company assumes no responsibility to update forwardlooking information contained herein.

## EFFECT OF NEW ACCOUNTING STANDARD

In March 1997, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued SFAS No. 128, "Earnings Per Share," which establishes new standards for computing and presenting earnings per share. SFAS No. 128 will be effective for interim and annual financial statements issued after December 15, 1997. The Company does not believe that the adoption of SFAS No. 128 will have a material impact on the Company's reported earnings per share.

PART II - OTHER INFORMATION
(a) EXHIBITS - NONE
(b) REPORTS ON FORM 8-K - NONE

## S I G N A T U RES

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

> REVLON, INC. $--------\quad$. Registrant

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By:/s/William J. Fox By:/s/Lawrence E. Kreider
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## William J. Fox

Senior Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Lawrence E. Kreider Senior Vice President, Controller and Chief Accounting Officer

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