

FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST, INC.
FORM 10-Q
FOR THE SIX AND THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1998

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION
ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST, INC.
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)
(UNAUDITED)

	June 30, 1998	December 31, 1997
ASSETS	-----	-----
Assets:		
Investment in Real Estate:		
Land.....	\$ 373,483	\$ 299,020
Buildings and Improvements.....	2,023,697	1,663,731
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment.....	1,482	1,437
Construction in Progress.....	65,928	30,158
Less: Accumulated Depreciation.....	(146,464)	(121,030)
Net Investment in Real Estate.....	2,318,126	1,873,316
Cash and Cash Equivalents.....	13,139	13,222
Restricted Cash.....	2,895	313,060
Tenant Accounts Receivable, Net.....	9,106	6,280
Deferred Rent Receivable.....	11,909	10,144
Deferred Financing Costs, Net.....	9,649	8,594
Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets, Net.....	59,035	47,547
Total Assets.....	\$ 2,423,859	\$ 2,272,163
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LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Liabilities:		
Mortgage Loans Payable.....	\$ 102,785	\$ 101,198
Defeased Mortgage Loan Payable.....	---	300,000
Senior Unsecured Debt, Net.....	748,785	648,994
Acquisition Facility Payable.....	230,100	129,400
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses.....	45,183	50,373
Rents Received in Advance and Security Deposits.....	16,277	14,104
Dividends/Distributions Payable.....	23,553	22,010
Total Liabilities.....	1,166,683	1,266,079
Minority Interest.....	179,624	151,494
Commitments and Contingencies.....	---	---
Stockholders' Equity:		
Preferred Stock (\$.01 par value, 10,000,000 shares authorized, 1,650,000, 40,000, 20,000, 50,000 and 30,000 shares of Series A, B, C, D and E Cumulative Preferred Stock, respectively, issued and outstanding at June 30, 1998 having a liquidating preference of \$25 per share (\$41,250), \$2,500 per share (\$100,000), \$2,500 per share (\$50,000), \$2,500 per share (\$125,000) and \$2,500 per share (\$75,000), respectively, and 1,650,000, 40,000 and 20,000 shares of Series A, B and C Cumulative Preferred Stock, respectively, issued and outstanding at December 31, 1997 having a liquidation preference of \$25 per share (\$41,250), \$2,500 per share (\$100,000) and \$2,500 per share (\$50,000), respectively).....	18	17
Common Stock (\$.01 par value, 100,000,000 shares authorized, 37,850,407 and 36,433,859 shares issued and outstanding at June 30, 1998 and December 31, 1997, respectively).....	378	364
Additional Paid-in-Capital.....	1,169,850	934,622
Distributions in Excess of Accumulated Earnings.....	(87,809)	(76,996)
Unamortized Value of Restricted Stock Grants.....	(4,885)	(3,417)
Total Stockholders' Equity.....	1,077,552	854,590
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity.....	\$ 2,423,859	\$ 2,272,163
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST, INC.
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)
(UNAUDITED)

	Six Months Ended June 30, 1998	Six Months Ended June 30, 1997
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Revenues:		
Rental Income.....	\$ 132,127	\$ 74,709
Tenant Recoveries and Other Income.....	31,392	19,925
Interest Income on U.S. Government Securities.....	---	4,157
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Total Revenues.....	163,519	98,791
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Expenses:		
Real Estate Taxes.....	25,921	15,647
Repairs and Maintenance.....	7,221	4,286
Property Management.....	6,424	3,519
Utilities.....	4,483	2,825
Insurance.....	452	276
Other.....	2,698	854
General and Administrative.....	6,299	2,690
Interest.....	32,013	21,321
Amortization of Interest Rate Protection Agreements and Deferred Financing Costs.....	401	1,380
Depreciation and Other Amortization.....	30,328	17,712
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Total Expenses.....	116,240	70,510
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Income from Operations Before Income Allocated to Minority		
Interest and Disposition of Interest Rate Protection Agreements.....	47,279	28,281
Income Allocated to Minority Interest.....	(4,843)	(1,950)
Disposition of Interest Rate Protection Agreements.....	---	1,430
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Income from Operations.....	42,436	27,761
Gain on Sales of Real Estate, Net.....	2,376	3,999
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Income Before Extraordinary Loss and Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle.....	44,812	31,760
Extraordinary Loss.....	---	(12,563)
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle.....	(1,976)	---
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Net Income.....	42,836	19,197
Less: Preferred Stock Dividends.....	(14,188)	(3,365)
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Net Income Available to Common Stockholders.....	\$ 28,648	\$ 15,832
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Net Income Available to Common Stockholders Before Extraordinary Loss and Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle per Weighted Average Common Share Outstanding:		
Basic.....	\$.83	\$.94
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Diluted.....	\$.82	\$.94
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Net Income Available to Common Stockholders Per Weighted Average Common Share Outstanding:		
Basic.....	\$.77	\$.53
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Diluted.....	\$.77	\$.52
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	Three Months Ended June 30, 1998	Three Months Ended June 30, 1997
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Revenues:		
Rental Income.....	\$ 70,246	\$ 39,291
Tenant Recoveries and Other Income.....	17,059	9,200
Interest Income on U.S. Government Securities.....	---	4,157
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Total Revenues.....	87,305	52,648
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Expenses:		
Real Estate Taxes.....	13,532	8,100
Repairs and Maintenance.....	3,829	1,624
Property Management.....	3,515	1,841
Utilities.....	2,220	1,215
Insurance.....	240	137
Other.....	1,768	345
General and Administrative.....	3,665	1,426
Interest.....	17,252	12,990
Amortization of Interest Rate Protection Agreements and Deferred Financing Costs.....	224	784
Depreciation and Other Amortization.....	16,609	9,095
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Total Expenses.....	62,854	37,557
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Income from Operations Before Income Allocated to Minority		
Interest and Disposition of Interest Rate Protection Agreements.....	24,451	15,091
Income Allocated to Minority Interest.....	(2,186)	(594)
Disposition of Interest Rate Protection Agreements.....	---	1,430
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Income from Operations.....	22,265	15,927
Gain on Sales of Real Estate, Net.....	16	3,999
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Income Before Extraordinary Loss and Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle.....	22,281	19,926
Extraordinary Loss.....	---	(12,563)
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle.....	(1,976)	---
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Net Income.....	20,305	7,363
Less: Preferred Stock Dividends.....	(8,210)	(2,385)
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Net Income Available to Common Stockholders.....	\$ 12,095	\$ 4,978
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Net Income Available to Common Stockholders Before Extraordinary Loss and Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle per Weighted Average Common Share Outstanding:		
Basic.....	\$.38	\$.58
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Diluted.....	\$.37	\$.58
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Net Income Available to Common Stockholders Per Weighted Average Common Share Outstanding:		
Basic.....	\$.32	\$.17
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Diluted.....	\$.32	\$.16
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FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST, INC.
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)
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	Six Months Ended June 30, 1998	Six Months Ended June 30, 1997
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CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Net Income.....	\$ 42,836	\$ 19,197
Income Allocated to Minority Interest.....	4,843	1,950
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Income Before Minority Interest.....	47,679	21,147
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:		
Depreciation.....	27,134	15,828
Amortization of Interest Rate Protection Agreements and Deferred Financing Costs.....	401	1,380
Other Amortization.....	3,568	1,922
Disposition of Interest Rate Protection Agreements.....	---	(1,430)
Gain on Sales of Properties, Net.....	(2,376)	(3,999)
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle.....	1,976	---
Extraordinary Loss.....	---	12,563
Provision for Bad Debts.....	300	150
Increase in Tenant Accounts Receivable and Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets.....	(16,728)	(16,166)
Increase in Deferred Rent Receivable.....	(1,956)	(1,122)
(Decrease) Increase in Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses and Rents Received in Advance and Security Deposits.....	(855)	4,092
Increase in Organization Costs.....	(396)	(62)
Decrease in Restricted Cash.....	3,898	4,443
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Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities.....	62,645	38,746
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CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Purchases and Additions to Investment in Real Estate and Closing Costs of Sales of Real Estate.....	(460,575)	(216,882)
Proceeds from Sales of Investment in Real Estate.....	29,256	21,879
Repayment of Mortgage Loans Receivable.....	1,017	---
Funding of Mortgage Loans Receivable.....	---	(17,667)
Decrease (Increase) in Restricted Cash.....	267	(19,763)
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Net Cash Used in Investing Activities.....	(430,035)	(232,433)
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CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Proceeds from Sale of Common Stock.....	36,300	---
Common Stock Underwriting Discounts/Offering Costs.....	(2,934)	---
Proceeds from Exercise of Employee Stock Options.....	1,968	1,214
Proceeds from Sale of Preferred Stock.....	200,000	150,000
Preferred Stock Offering Costs.....	(7,300)	(4,734)
Proceeds from Mortgage Loans Payable.....	---	---
Repayments on Mortgage Loans Payable.....	(300,939)	(525)
Repayment of Promissory Notes Payable.....	---	(9,919)
Proceeds from Acquisition Facilities Payable.....	411,200	220,200
Repayments on Acquisition Facilities Payable.....	(310,500)	(169,600)
Proceeds from Senior Unsecured Debt.....	99,753	349,150
Proceeds from Defeasance Loans.....	---	309,800
Repayment of Defeasance Loan.....	---	(309,800)
Other Proceeds from Senior Unsecured Debt.....	2,760	2,246
Other Costs of Senior Unsecured Debt.....	(2,565)	---
Purchase of Interest Rate Protection Agreements.....	---	(150)
Proceeds from Sale of Interest Rate Protection Agreements.....	---	9,950
Purchase of U.S. Government Securities.....	---	(300,000)
Decrease (Increase) in Restricted Cash.....	306,000	(6,000)
Dividends/Distributions.....	(44,502)	(33,185)
Preferred Stock Dividends.....	(14,188)	(3,077)
Debt Issuance Costs and Prepayment Fees.....	(7,746)	(7,070)
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Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities.....	367,307	198,500
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Net (Decrease) Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents.....	(83)	4,813
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Period.....	13,222	7,646
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Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period.....	\$ 13,139	\$ 12,459
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FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST, INC.
 NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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1. ORGANIZATION AND FORMATION OF COMPANY

First Industrial Realty Trust, Inc. (the "Company") was organized in the state of Maryland on August 10, 1993. The Company is a real estate investment trust ("REIT") as defined in the Internal Revenue Code. The Company's operations are conducted primarily through First Industrial, L.P. (the "Operating Partnership") of which the Company is the sole general partner with an approximate 84.9% ownership interest at June 30, 1998. As of June 30, 1998, the Company owned 953 in-service properties located in 24 states, containing an aggregate of approximately 67.7 million square feet of gross leasable area ("GLA"). Of the 953 properties owned by the Company, 812 are held by the Operating Partnership, 23 are held by First Industrial Financing Partnership, L.P., 19 are held by First Industrial Securities, L.P., 23 are held by First Industrial Mortgage Partnership, L.P., 21 are held by First Industrial Pennsylvania, L.P., five are held by First Industrial Harrisburg, L.P., four are held by First Industrial Indianapolis, L.P., 45 are held by limited liability corporations of which the Operating Partnership is the sole member, and one is held by First Industrial Development Services, L.P. Minority interest in the Company at June 30, 1998 represents the approximate 15.1% aggregate partnership interest in the Operating Partnership held by the limited partners thereof.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies described in the financial statements and related notes included in the Company's 1997 Form 10-K and should be read in conjunction with such financial statements and related notes. The following notes to these interim financial statements highlight significant changes to the notes included in the December 31, 1997 audited financial statements included in the Company's 1997 Form 10-K and present interim disclosures as required by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

In order to conform with generally accepted accounting principles, management, in preparation of the Company's financial statements, is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

In the opinion of management, all adjustments consist of normal recurring adjustments necessary to present fairly the financial position of the Company as of June 30, 1998 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for each of the six months and three months ended June 30, 1998 and 1997.

Tenant Accounts Receivable, net:

The Company provides an allowance for doubtful accounts against the portion of tenants accounts receivable which is estimated to be uncollectible. Tenant accounts receivable in the consolidated balance sheets are shown net of an allowance for doubtful accounts of \$1,750 and \$1,450 as of June 30, 1998 and December 31, 1997, respectively.

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, CONTINUED

Recent Accounting Pronouncements:

In June 1997, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (the "FASB") issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 130, "Reporting Comprehensive Income". This statement, effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 1997, requires the Company to report components of comprehensive income in a financial statement that is displayed with the same prominence as other financial statements. Comprehensive income is defined by Concepts Statement No. 6, "Elements of Financial Statements" as the change in the equity of a business enterprise during a period from transactions and other events and circumstances from non-owner sources. It includes all changes in equity during a period except those resulting from investments by owners and distributions to owners. The Company's net income available to common stockholders approximates its comprehensive income as defined in Concepts Statement No. 6, "Elements of Financial Statements".

In June 1997, the FASB issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 131, "Disclosures about Segments of an Enterprise and Related Information". This statement, effective for financial statements for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 1997, requires that a public business enterprise report financial and descriptive information about its reportable operating segments. Generally, financial information is required to be reported on the basis that it is used internally for evaluating segment performance and deciding how to allocate resources to segments. The Company has not yet determined the impact of this statement on its financial statements.

In March 1998, the FASB's Emerging Issues Task Force (the "Task Force") issued Emerging Issues Task Force Issue No. 97-11, "Accounting for Internal Costs Relating to Real Estate Property Acquisitions" ("EITF 97-11"). EITF 97-11, effective March 19, 1998, requires that internal costs of preacquisition activities incurred in connection with the acquisition of an operating property should be expensed as incurred. The Task Force concluded that a property is considered operating if, at the date of acquisition, major construction activity is substantially completed on the property and (a) it is held available for occupancy upon completion of tenant improvements by the acquirer or (b) it is already income producing. The Company adopted EITF 97-11 as of March 19, 1998. Prior to March 19, 1998, the Company capitalized internal costs of preacquisition activities incurred in connection with the acquisition of operating properties. The Company estimates that the adoption of EITF 97-11 will result in a cumulative increase of approximately \$2,500 to \$3,000 in the amount of general and administrative expense reflected in the Company's consolidated statement of operations in 1998.

In April 1998, the Accounting Standards Executive Committee of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants issued Statement of Position 98-5, "Reporting on the Costs of Start-Up Activities" ("SOP 98-5"). SOP 98-5 requires that the net unamortized balance of all start-up costs and organizational costs be written off as a cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle and all future start-up costs and organizational costs be expensed. In the second quarter of 1998, the Company reported a cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle of approximately \$1,976 to reflect the write-off of the unamortized balance of organizational costs on the Company's balance sheet.

During the second quarter of 1998, the FASB issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 133, "Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities". This statement, effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 1999, establishes accounting and reporting standards requiring that every derivative instrument, including certain derivative instruments imbedded in other contracts, be recorded in the balance sheet as either an asset or liability measured at its fair value. The statement also requires that the changes in the derivative's fair value be recognized in earnings unless specific hedge accounting

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, CONTINUED

criteria are met. The Company is currently assessing the impact of this new statement on its consolidated financial position, liquidity, and results of operations.

3. MORTGAGE LOANS, SENIOR UNSECURED DEBT AND ACQUISITION FACILITY PAYABLE

On March 31, 1998, the Company, through the Operating Partnership, issued \$100,000 of Dealer remarketable securities which mature on April 5, 2011 and bear a coupon interest rate of 6.50% (the "2011 Drs."). The issue price of the 2011 Drs. was 99.753%. Interest is paid semi-annually in arrears on April 5 and October 5. The 2011 Drs. are callable (the "Call Option"), at the option of J.P. Morgan Securities, Inc., as Remarketing Dealer (the "Remarketing Dealer"), on April 5, 2001 (the "Remarketing Date"). The Company received approximately \$2,760 of proceeds from the Remarketing Dealer as consideration for the Call Option. The Company will amortize these proceeds over the life of the Call Option as an adjustment to interest expense. If the holder of the Call Option calls the 2011 Drs. and elects to remarket the 2011 Drs., then after the Remarketing Date, the interest rate on the 2011 Drs. will be reset at a fixed rate until April 5, 2011 based upon a predetermined formula as disclosed in the related Prospectus Supplement. If the Remarketing Dealer elects not to remarket the 2011 Drs., then the Operating Partnership will be required to repurchase, on the Remarketing Date, any 2011 Drs. that have not been purchased by the Remarketing Dealer at 100% of the principal amount thereof, plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any. The Company also settled an interest rate protection agreement which was used to fix the interest rate on the 2011 Drs. prior to issuance. The debt issue discount and the settlement amount of the interest rate protection agreement are being amortized over the life of the 2011 Drs. as an adjustment to interest expense. The 2011 Drs. contain certain covenants including limitations on incurrence of debt and debt service coverage.

On April 16, 1998, the Company, through the Operating Partnership, assumed a mortgage loan in the amount of \$2,525 (the "Acquisition Mortgage Loan IV"). The Acquisition Mortgage Loan IV is collateralized by one property in Baltimore, Maryland, bears interest at a fixed rate of 8.95% and provides for monthly principal and interest payments based on a 20-year amortization schedule. The Acquisition Mortgage Loan IV matures on October 1, 2006. The Acquisition Mortgage Loan IV may be prepaid only after October 1, 2001 in exchange for the greater of a 1% prepayment fee or a yield maintenance premium.

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3. MORTGAGE LOANS, SENIOR UNSECURED DEBT AND ACQUISITION FACILITY PAYABLE,
 CONTINUED

The following table discloses certain information regarding the Company's mortgage loans, senior unsecured debt and acquisition facility payable:

	OUTSTANDING	BALANCE AT	ACCRUED INTEREST PAYABLE AT		INTEREST RATE AT	
	JUNE 30, 1998	DECEMBER 31, 1997	JUNE 30, 1998	DECEMBER 31, 1997	JUNE 30, 1998	MATURITY DATE
MORTGAGE LOANS PAYABLE						
		C>				
1995 Mortgage Loan.....	\$ 39,784	\$ 40,000	\$ 160	\$ 168	7.220%	1/11/26
CIGNA Loan.....	35,522	35,813	---	---	7.500%	4/01/03
Assumed Loans.....	8,809	8,950	---	---	9.250%	1/01/13
LB Mortgage Loan II.....	705	705	---	---	8.000%	(1)
Acquisition Mortgage Loan I....	3,993	4,135	---	29	8.500%	8/01/08
Acquisition Mortgage Loan II....	7,913	7,997	51	52	7.750%	4/01/06
Acquisition Mortgage Loan III...	3,543	3,598	26	27	8.875%	6/01/03
Acquisition Mortgage Loan IV....	2,516	---	19	---	8.950%	10/01/06
Total.....	\$ 102,785	\$ 101,198	\$ 256	\$ 276		
DEFEASED MORTGAGE LOAN						
1994 Mortgage Loan.....	\$ ---	\$ 300,000	\$ ---	\$ 1,831	(2)	(2)
SENIOR UNSECURED DEBT						
2005 Notes.....	\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000	\$ 383	\$ 393	6.900%	11/21/05
2006 Notes.....	150,000	150,000	875	671	7.000%	12/01/06
2007 Notes.....	149,953 (3)	149,951	1,457	1,457	7.600%	5/15/07
2011 Notes.....	99,400 (3)	99,377	942	942	7.375%	5/15/11 (4)
2017 Notes.....	99,814 (3)	99,809	625	479	7.500%	12/01/17 (5)
2027 Notes.....	99,859 (3)	99,857	914	914	7.150%	5/15/27 (6)
2011 Drs.....	99,759 (3)	---	1,625	---	6.500% (8)	4/05/11 (7)
Total.....	\$ 748,785	\$ 648,994	\$ 6,821	\$ 4,856		
ACQUISITION FACILITY PAYABLE						
1997 Unsecured Acquisition Facility.....	\$ 230,100	\$ 129,400	\$ 695	\$ 297	6.510%	4/30/01

- (1) The maturity date of the LB Mortgage Loan II is based on a contingent event relating to the environmental status of the property collateralizing the loan.
- (2) The 1994 Defeased Mortgage Loan was paid off and retired on January 2, 1998.
- (3) The 2007 Notes, 2011 Notes, 2017 Notes, 2027 Notes and the 2011 Drs. are net of unamortized discounts of \$47, \$600, \$186, \$141 and \$241, respectively.
- (4) The 2011 Notes are redeemable at the option of the holder thereof, on May 15, 2004.
- (5) The 2017 Notes are redeemable at the option of the Company at any time based upon a predetermined formula.
- (6) The 2027 Notes are redeemable at the option of the holders thereof, on May 15, 2002.
- (7) The 2011 Drs. are required to be redeemed by the Operating Partnership on April 5, 2001 if the Remarketing Dealer elects not to remarket the 2011 Drs.
- (8) The 2011 Drs. bear interest at an annual rate of 6.50% to the Remarketing Date. If the holder of the Call Option calls the 2011 Drs. and elects to remarket the 2011 Drs., then after the Remarketing Date, the interest rate on the 2011 Drs. will be reset at a fixed rate until April 5, 2011 based on a predetermined formula as disclosed in the related Prospectus Supplement.

The following is a schedule of the stated maturities of the mortgage loans, senior unsecured debt and acquisition facility payable for the next five years ending December 31, and thereafter:

Amount

1998	\$	919
1999		2,080
2000		2,252
2001		232,538
2002		2,640
Thereafter		841,751

Total		\$1,082,180
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The maturity date of the LB Mortgage Loan II is based on a contingent event. As a result, this loan is not included in the above table.

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3. MORTGAGE LOANS, SENIOR UNSECURED DEBT AND ACQUISITION FACILITY PAYABLE,
 CONTINUED

The Company, from time to time, enters into interest rate protection agreements which are used to lock into a fixed interest rate on anticipated offerings of senior unsecured debt. At June 30, 1998, the following interest rate protection agreements were outstanding:

Notional Amount	Origination Date	Interest Rate	Valuation Basis	Settlement Date
\$ 50,000	January 2, 1998	5.937%	30-Year Treasury	October 1, 1998
\$ 100,000	October 28, 1997	6.317%	30-Year Treasury	July 1, 1998
\$ 100,000	December 19, 1997	5.994%	30-Year Treasury	January 4, 1999

4. STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

Common Stock

On April 23, 1998, the Company issued, in a private placement, 1,112,644 shares of \$.01 par value Common Stock (the "April 1998 Equity Offering"). The price per share in the April 1998 Equity Offering was \$32.625, resulting in gross offering proceeds of \$36,300. Proceeds to the Company, net of purchaser's discount and total offering expenses, were approximately \$34,100.

Preferred Stock:

On February 4, 1998, the Company issued 5,000,000 Depositary Shares, each representing 1/100th of a share of the Company's 7.95%, \$.01 par value, Series D Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series D Preferred Stock"), at an initial offering price of \$25 per Depositary Share. Dividends on the Series D Preferred Stock represented by the Depositary Shares are cumulative from the date of initial issuance and are payable quarterly in arrears. With respect to the dividends and amounts upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up, the Series D Preferred Stock ranks senior to payments on the Company's \$.01 par value common stock ("Common Stock") and pari passu with the Company's 9 1/2%, \$.01 par value, Series A Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series A Preferred Stock"), 8 3/4%, \$.01 par value, Series B Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series B Preferred Stock"), 8 5/8%, \$.01 par value, Series C Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series C Preferred Stock") and Series E Preferred Stock (defined below); however, the Series A Preferred Stock has the benefit of a guarantee by First Industrial Securities, L.P. The Series D Preferred Stock is not redeemable prior to February 4, 2003. On and after February 4, 2003, the Series D Preferred Stock is redeemable for cash at the option of the Company, in whole or part, at a redemption price equivalent to \$25 per Depositary Share, or \$125,000 in the aggregate, plus dividends accrued and unpaid to the redemption date. The Series D Preferred Stock has no stated maturity and is not convertible into any other securities of the Company.

On March 18, 1998, the Company issued 3,000,000 Depositary Shares, each representing 1/100th of a share of the Company's 7.90%, \$.01 par value, Series E Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series E Preferred Stock"), at an initial offering price of \$25 per Depositary Share. Dividends on the Series E Preferred Stock represented by the Depositary Shares are cumulative from the date of initial issuance and are payable quarterly in arrears. With respect to the payment of dividends and amounts upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up, the Series E Preferred Stock ranks senior to payments on the Company's Common Stock and pari passu with the Company's Series A Preferred Stock, Series B Preferred Stock, Series C Preferred Stock and Series D Preferred Stock; however, the Series A Preferred Stock has the benefit of a guarantee by First Industrial Securities, L.P. The Series E Preferred Stock is not redeemable prior to March 18, 2003. On and after March 18, 2003, the Series E Preferred Stock is redeemable for cash at the option of the Company, in whole or in part, at a redemption price equivalent to \$25 per Depositary Share, or \$75,000 in the aggregate, plus dividends accrued and unpaid to the redemption date. The Series E Preferred Stock has no stated maturity and is not convertible into any other securities of the Company.

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4. STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY, CONTINUED

Restricted Stock:

During the six months ended June 30, 1998, the Company awarded 51,850 shares of restricted Common Stock to certain employees and 1,179 shares of restricted Common Stock to certain Directors. Another employee of the Company converted certain employee stock options to 6,123 shares of restricted Common Stock. These shares of restricted Common Stock had a fair value of \$2,095 on the date of grant. The restricted Common Stock vests over a period from five to ten years. Compensation expense will be charged to earnings over the respective vesting period.

Non-Qualified Employee Stock Options:

On January 2, 1998, the Company granted 4,370,000 non-qualified employee stock options. These stock options vest over three years based upon certain performance measures. The stock options have a strike price of \$35.8125 per share and expire ten years from the date of grant.

On May 14, 1998, the Company granted 899,000 non-qualified employee stock options. These stock-options vest over one year and have a strike price of \$31.13 per share. These stock options expire between seven and ten years from the date of grant.

Dividends/Distributions:

The following table summarizes dividends/distributions for the six months ended June 30, 1998:

COMMON STOCK/OPERATING PARTNERSHIP UNITS

	Record Date	Payable Date	Dividend/Distribution per Share/Unit	Total Dividend/Distribution
Fourth Quarter 1997	December 31, 1997	January 20, 1998	\$.53000	\$ 22,010
First Quarter 1998	March 31, 1998	April 20, 1998	\$.53000	\$ 22,492
Second Quarter 1998	June 30, 1998	July 20, 1998	\$.53000	\$ 23,553

SERIES A PREFERRED STOCK

	Record Date	Payable Date	Dividend per Share	Total Dividend
First Quarter 1998	March 13, 1998	March 31, 1998	\$.59375	\$ 980
Second Quarter 1998	June 15, 1998	June 30, 1998	\$.59375	\$ 980

SERIES B PREFERRED STOCK

	Record Date	Payable Date	Dividend per Share	Total Dividend
First Quarter 1998	March 13, 1998	March 31, 1998	\$ 54.68750	\$ 2,188
Second Quarter 1998	June 15, 1998	June 30, 1998	\$ 54.68750	\$ 2,188

SERIES C PREFERRED STOCK

	Record Date	Payable Date	Dividend per Share	Total Dividend
First Quarter 1998	March 13, 1998	March 31, 1998	\$ 53.90600	\$ 1,078
Second Quarter 1998	June 15, 1998	June 30, 1998	\$ 53.90600	\$ 1,078

SERIES D PREFERRED STOCK

	Record Date	Payable Date	Dividend per Share	Total Dividend
First Quarter 1998	March 13, 1998	March 31, 1998	\$ 30.36500	\$ 1,518
Second Quarter 1998	June 15, 1998	June 30, 1998	\$ 49.68700	\$ 2,484

SERIES E PREFERRED STOCK

	Record Date	Payable Date	Dividend per Share	Total Dividend
First Quarter 1998	June 15, 1998	June 30, 1998	\$ 7.13194	\$ 214
Second Quarter 1998	June 15, 1998	June 30, 1998	\$ 49.37500	\$ 1,480

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5. ACQUISITION OF REAL ESTATE

During the six months ended June 30, 1998, the Company acquired 186 existing industrial properties and several land parcels. The aggregate purchase price for these acquisitions totaled approximately \$418,399, excluding costs incurred in conjunction with the acquisition of the properties.

Of the 186 existing industrial properties and several land parcels purchased by the Company during the six months ended June 30, 1998, four existing industrial properties were purchased from Western Suburban Industrial Investments Limited Partnership ("Western") in which the sole general partner, having a 5% interest, was Tomasz/Shidler Investment Corporation, of which the sole shareholders were a Director and Director/Officer of the Company who also had a 53% and 32% limited partnership interest in Western, respectively. Further, an additional Director/Officer of the Company was a limited partner in Western having an interest of 2%. The aggregate purchase price for this acquisition totaled approximately \$7,900, excluding costs incurred in conjunction with the acquisition of the properties.

During the second quarter of 1998, the Company, through the Operating Partnership, completed an acquisition of a real estate firm for which an officer and an employee of the Company owned a 77.5% interest. Gross proceeds to the real estate firm totaled approximately \$2,349.

6. SALES OF REAL ESTATE

During the six months ended June 30, 1998, the Company sold seven existing industrial properties and three land parcels. Gross proceeds from these sales were approximately \$29,256. The gain on sales of real state was approximately \$2,376, net of federal income taxes.

7. SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION TO STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:

	Six Months Ended	
	June 30, 1998	June 30, 1997
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Interest paid, net of capitalized interest.....	\$ 31,501	\$ 18,048
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Interest capitalized.....	\$ 1,907	\$ 294
	=====	=====
 SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE OF NONCASH INVESTING AND FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Dividend/Distribution payable on Common Stock/Units	\$ 23,553	\$ 17,510
IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE PROPERTY ACQUISITIONS, THE FOLLOWING ASSETS AND LIABILITIES WERE ASSUMED AND OPERATING PARTNERSHIP UNITS EXCHANGED:		
Purchase of real estate.....	\$ 418,399	\$ 253,484
Accrued real estate taxes and security deposits.....	(4,137)	(2,473)
Mortgage loans.....	(2,525)	(4,505)
Operating Partnership Units.....	(33,802)	(53,471)
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	\$ 377,935	\$ 193,035
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8. EARNINGS PER SHARE

Earnings per share amounts are based on the weighted average amount of Common Stock and Common Stock equivalents (employee stock options) outstanding. The outstanding units in the Operating Partnership (the "Units") have been excluded from the diluted earnings per share calculation as there would be no effect on the earnings per share amounts since the minority interests' share of income would also be added back to net income. The computation of basic and diluted EPS is presented below:

	Six Months Ended June 30, 1998	Six Months Ended June 30, 1997	Three Months Ended June 30, 1998	Three Months Ended June 30, 1997
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Numerator:				

Income Before Extraordinary Loss and Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle.....	\$ 44,812	\$ 31,760	\$ 22,281	\$ 19,926
Less: Preferred Dividends.....	(14,188)	(3,365)	(8,210)	(2,385)
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Net Income Available to Common Stockholders Before Extraordinary Loss and Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle - For Basic and Diluted EPS.	30,624	28,395	14,071	17,541
Extraordinary Loss.....	---	(12,563)	---	(12,563)
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle...	(1,976)	---	(1,976)	---
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Net Income Available to Common Stockholders- For Basic and Diluted EPS.....	\$ 28,648	\$ 15,832	\$ 12,095	\$ 4,978
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Denominator:				

Weighted Average Shares - Basic.....	36,982	30,080	37,433	30,132
Effect of Dilutive Securities:				
Employee and Director Common Stock Options.....	338	283	264	271
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Weighted Average Shares- Diluted.....	37,320	30,363	37,697	30,403
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Basic EPS:				

Net Income Available to Common Stockholders Before Extraordinary Loss and Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle.....	\$.83	\$.94	\$.38	\$.58
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Extraordinary Loss.....	\$ ---	\$ (.41)	\$ ---	\$ (.41)
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle...	\$ (.05)	\$ ---	\$ (.05)	\$ ---
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Net Income Available to Common Stockholders.....	\$.77	\$.53	\$.32	\$.17
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Diluted EPS:				

Net Income Available to Common Stockholders Before Extraordinary Loss and Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle.....	\$.82	\$.94	\$.37	\$.58
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Extraordinary Loss.....	\$ ---	\$ (.41)	\$ ---	\$ (.41)
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle...	\$ (.05)	\$ ---	\$ (.05)	\$ ---
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Net Income Available to Common Stockholders.....	\$.77	\$.52	\$.32	\$.16
	=====	=====	=====	=====

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9. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

In the normal course of business, the Company is involved in legal actions arising from the operation of its business. In management's opinion, the liabilities, if any, that may ultimately result from such legal actions are not expected to have a materially adverse effect on the consolidated financial position, operations or liquidity of the Company.

The Company has committed to the construction of 17 development projects totaling approximately 2.1 million square feet of GLA. The estimated total construction costs are approximately \$75,486. These developments are expected to be funded with cash flow from operations as well as borrowings under the Company's \$300,000 unsecured revolving credit facility (the "1997 Unsecured Acquisition Facility").

In the second quarter of 1998, the Company, through the Operating Partnership, entered into a non-binding letter of intent with an institutional investor to create a joint venture that would invest in industrial properties. The venture is subject, among other contingencies, to due diligence and the negotiation of definitive documentation. There can be no assurance that such venture will be created, or if created, will be successful.

10. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

From July 1, 1998 to August 5, 1998, the Company acquired five industrial properties. The aggregate purchase price for these acquisitions totaled approximately \$22,362, excluding costs incurred in conjunction with the acquisition of the properties.

On July 20, 1998, the Company and the Operating Partnership paid a second quarter 1998 dividend/distribution of \$.53 per common share/Unit, totaling approximately \$23,553.

On July 14, 1998, the Company, through the Operating Partnership, issued \$200,000 of senior unsecured debt which matures on July 15, 2028 and bears a coupon interest rate of 7.60% (the "2028 Notes"). The issue price of the 2028 Notes was 99.882%. Interest is paid semi-annually in arrears on January 15 and July 15. The Company also settled interest rate protection agreements, in the notional amount of \$150,000, which were used to fix the interest rate on the 2028 Notes prior to issuance. The debt issue discount and the settlement amount of the interest rate protection agreements are being amortized over the life of the 2028 Notes as an adjustment to the interest expense. The 2028 Notes contain certain covenants including limitation on incurrence of debt and debt service coverage.

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

The following discussion and analysis of First Industrial Realty Trust, Inc.'s (the "Company") financial condition and results of operations should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and notes thereto appearing elsewhere in this Form 10-Q.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

At June 30, 1998, the Company owned 953 in-service properties with approximately 67.7 million square feet of gross leasable area ("GLA"), compared to 454 in-service properties with approximately 39.1 million square feet of GLA at June 30, 1997. The addition of 511 properties acquired or developed between July 1, 1997 and June 30, 1998 included the acquisitions of 502 properties totaling approximately 26.9 million square feet of GLA and the completed development of nine properties totaling approximately 2.2 million square feet of GLA. The Company also completed the expansion of two properties totaling approximately .1 million square feet of GLA and the sale of 12 in-service properties totaling approximately .6 million square feet of GLA, one property held for redevelopment and several land parcels.

COMPARISON OF SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1998 TO SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30,
1997

Rental income and tenant recoveries and other income increased by approximately \$68.9 million or 72.8% due primarily to the properties acquired or developed after June 30, 1997. Rental income and tenant recoveries and other income from properties owned prior to January 1, 1997, decreased by approximately \$.2 million or .3% due primarily to general rent increases offset by a decrease in tenant recovery income charges related to the decrease in operating expenses as discussed below.

Interest income on U.S. Government securities in 1997 represents interest income earned on U.S. Government securities that were pledged as collateral to legally defease the Company's \$300 million mortgage loan (the "1994 Mortgage Loan").

Property expenses, which include real estate taxes, repairs and maintenance, property management, utilities, insurance and other expenses, increased by approximately \$19.8 million or 72.2% due primarily to the properties acquired or developed after June 30, 1997. Expenses from properties owned prior to January 1, 1997, decreased by approximately \$.7 million or 3.1% due primarily to a decrease in snow removal and related expenses incurred for properties located in certain of the Company's metropolitan areas during the six months ended June 30, 1998 as compared to the six months ended June 30, 1997.

General and administrative expense increased by approximately \$3.6 million, of which, approximately \$2.5 million is due primarily to the additional expenses associated with managing the Company's growing operations including additional professional fees relating to additional properties owned and additional personnel to manage and expand the Company's business. Approximately \$1.1 million of the increase is the result of the adoption of Emerging Issues Task Force Issue No. 97-11, "Accounting for Internal Costs Relating to Real Estate Property Acquisitions" ("EITF 97-11"), which requires that internal costs of preacquisition activities incurred in connection with the acquisition of an operating property should be expensed as incurred. The Company adopted EITF 97-11 on March 19, 1998.

Interest expense increased by approximately \$10.7 million for the six months ended June 30, 1998 compared to the six months ended June 30, 1997 due primarily to a higher average debt balance outstanding resulting from the issuance of unsecured debt to fund the acquisition and development of additional properties.

Amortization of interest rate protection agreements and deferred financing costs decreased by approximately \$1.0 million due primarily to the full amortization of the deferred financing costs relating to the Company's 1994 Mortgage Loan which was paid off and retired on January 2, 1998.

Depreciation and other amortization increased by approximately \$12.6 million due primarily to the additional depreciation and amortization related to the properties acquired or developed after June 30, 1997.

The \$2.4 million gain on sales of properties, net of federal income tax, resulted from the sale of seven existing industrial properties and three land parcels. Gross proceeds from these sales were approximately \$29.3 million.

The \$2.0 million cumulative effect of change in accounting principle is the result of the write-off of the unamortized balance of organizational costs on the Company's balance sheet due to the early adoption of Statement of Position 98-5, "Reporting on the Costs of Start-Up Activities" ("SOP 98-5"), as further discussed later in this Management's Discussion and Analysis.

COMPARISON OF THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1998 TO THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1997

Rental income and tenant recoveries and other income increased by approximately \$38.8 million or 80.0%, due primarily to the properties acquired or developed after June 30, 1997. Rental income and tenant recoveries and other income from properties owned prior to April 1, 1997, increased by approximately \$1.2 million or 2.7% due to general rent increases and an increase in tenant recovery income charges due to an increase in property operating expenses as discussed below.

Interest income on U.S. government securities for 1997 represents interest income earned on U.S. Government securities that were pledged as collateral to legally defease the 1994 Mortgage Loan.

Property expenses, which include real estate taxes, repairs and maintenance, property management, utilities, insurance and other expenses, increased by approximately \$11.8 million or 89.3% due primarily to the properties acquired or developed after June 30, 1997. Expenses from properties owned prior to April 1, 1997, increased by approximately \$.4 million or 3.5% due to an increase in real estate tax expense, utilities and other expense in the majority of the Company's geographical markets.

General and administrative expense increased by approximately \$2.2 million, of which, approximately \$1.4 million is due primarily to the additional expenses associated with managing the Company's growing operations including additional professional fees relating to additional properties owned and additional personnel to manage and expand the Company's business. Approximately \$.8 million of the increase is the result of the adoption of EITF 97-11.

Interest expense increased by approximately \$4.3 million for the three months ended June 30, 1998 compared to the three months ended June 30, 1997 due primarily to a higher average debt balance outstanding resulting from the issuance of unsecured debt to fund the acquisition and development of additional properties.

Amortization of interest rate protection agreements and deferred financing costs decreased by approximately \$.6 million due primarily to the full amortization of the deferred financing costs relating to the Company's 1994 Mortgage Loan which was paid off and retired on January 2, 1998.

Depreciation and other amortization increased by approximately \$7.5 million due primarily to the additional depreciation and amortization related to the properties acquired or developed after June 30, 1997.

The \$2.0 million cumulative effect of change in accounting principle is the result of the write-off of the unamortized balance of organizational costs on the Company's balance sheet due to the early adoption of SOP 98-5, as further discussed later in this Management's Discussion and Analysis.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

At June 30, 1998, the Company's unrestricted cash and cash equivalents was approximately \$13.1 million and restricted cash was approximately \$2.9 million. The restricted cash reserves are required to be set aside under the Company's \$40.0 million mortgage loan (the "1995 Mortgage Loan") for payments of security deposit refunds, tenant improvements, capital expenditures, interest, real estate taxes, and insurance. The portion of the cash reserve relating to payments for capital expenditures, interest, real estate taxes, and insurance for properties collateralizing the 1995 Mortgage Loan is established monthly, distributed to the Company as such expenditures are made and is replenished to a level adequate to make the next periodic payment of such expenditures. The portion of the cash reserve relating to security deposit refunds for the tenants occupying the properties collateralizing the 1995 Mortgage Loan is adjusted as tenants turn over.

Net cash provided by operating activities was approximately \$62.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 1998 compared to approximately \$38.7 million for the six months ended June 30, 1997. This increase is due primarily to an increase in net operating income (which is defined as total revenues less property related expenses) which is partially offset by an increase in interest expense and general and administrative expense as discussed in "Results of Operations" above.

Net cash used in investing activities increased to approximately \$430.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 1998 from approximately \$232.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 1997. This increase is due primarily to an increase in the acquisition of properties, a decrease in the net sales of real estate and a decrease in the funding of mortgage loans receivable.

Net cash provided by financing activities increased to approximately \$367.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 1998 from approximately \$198.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 1997 due to the issuance of common stock, preferred stock and senior unsecured borrowings during the six months ended June 30, 1998. These proceeds were partially offset by an increase in dividends and distributions for the six months ended June 30, 1998 due to the issuance of additional common and preferred shares of the Company and First Industrial, L.P. partnership units (the "Units") after June 30, 1997 and an increase in per common share/Unit distributions.

Funds from operations for the six months ended June 30, 1998 were \$63.0 million, as compared to \$42.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 1997, as a result of the factors discussed in the analysis of operating results above. Management considers funds from operations to be one measure of the financial performance of an equity REIT that provides a relevant basis for comparison among REITs, and it is presented to assist investors in analyzing the performance of the Company. In accordance with the National Association of Real Estate Investment Trusts' definition of funds from operations, the Company calculates funds from operations to be equal to net income, excluding gains (or losses) from debt restructuring and sales of property, plus depreciation and amortization, excluding amortization of deferred financing costs and interest rate protection agreements, and after adjustments for unconsolidated partnerships and joint ventures. Funds from operations do not represent cash generated from operating activities in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and is not necessarily indicative of cash available to fund cash needs, including the payment of dividends and distributions. Funds from operations should not be considered as a substitute for net income as a measure of results of operations or for cash flow from operating activities calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles as a measure of liquidity. Funds from operations as calculated by the Company may not be comparable to similarly titled, but differently calculated, measures of other REITs.

The following is a reconciliation of net income to funds from operations:

	Six Months Ended June 30, 1998	Six Months Ended June 30, 1997
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Net Income Available to Common Stockholders.....	\$ 28,648	\$ 15,832
Adjustments:		
Depreciation and Other		
Amortization.....	29,958	17,613
Extraordinary Items.....	---	12,563
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle.....	1,976	---
Minority Interest.....	4,843	1,950
Gain on Sales of Properties.....	(2,376)	(3,999)
Gain on disposition of IRPA.....	---	(1,430)
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Funds From Operations.....	\$ 63,049	\$ 42,529
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The ratio of earnings to fixed charges and preferred stock dividends was 1.64 for the six months ended June 30, 1998 compared to 1.93 for the six months ended June 30, 1997. The decrease is primarily due to additional interest expense and preferred stock dividends incurred during the six months ended June 30, 1998 from additional debt and preferred stock issued to fund property acquisitions and developments, which is partially offset by higher net operating income from property acquisitions as discussed in the "Results of Operations" above.

Between January 1, 1998 and June 30, 1998, the Company purchased 186 industrial properties and several land parcels, for an aggregate purchase price of approximately \$418.4 million, excluding costs incurred in conjunction with the acquisition of the properties.

Of the 186 existing industrial properties and several land parcels purchased by the Company during the six months ended June 30, 1998, four existing industrial properties were purchased from Western Suburban Industrial Investments Limited Partnership ("Western") in which the sole general partner, having a 5% interest, was Tomasz/Shidler Investment Corporation, of which the sole shareholders were a Director and Director/Officer of the Company who also had a 53% and 32% limited partnership interest in Western, respectively. Further, an additional Director/Officer of the Company was a limited partner in Western having an interest of 2%. The aggregate purchase price for this acquisition totaled approximately \$7.9 million, excluding costs incurred in conjunction with the acquisition of the properties.

During the second quarter of 1998, the Company, through the Operating Partnership, completed an acquisition of a real estate firm for which an officer and an employee of the Company owned a 77.5% interest. Gross proceeds to the real estate firm totaled approximately \$2.3 million.

During the six months ended June 30, 1998, the Company sold seven existing industrial properties and three land parcels. Gross proceeds from these sales were approximately \$29.3 million. The gain on sales of real estate was approximately \$2.4 million, net of federal income taxes.

The Company has committed to the construction of 17 development projects totaling approximately 2.1 million square feet of GLA. The estimated total construction costs are approximately \$75.5 million. These developments are expected to be funded with cash flow from operations as well as borrowings under the Company's \$300 million unsecured revolving credit facility (the "1997 Unsecured Acquisition Facility").

From July 1, 1998 to August 5, 1998, the Company acquired five industrial properties. The aggregate purchase price for these acquisitions totaled approximately \$22.4 million, excluding costs incurred in conjunction with the acquisition of the properties.

On March 31, 1998, the Company, through the Operating Partnership, issued \$100 million of Dealer remarketable securities which mature on April 5, 2011 and bear a coupon interest rate of 6.50% (the "2011 Drs."). The issue price of the 2011 Drs. was 99.753%. Interest is paid semi-annually in arrears on April 5 and October 5. The 2011 Drs. are callable (the "Call Option"), at the option of J.P. Morgan Securities, Inc., as Remarketing Dealer (the "Remarketing Dealer"), on April 5, 2001 (the "Remarketing Date"). The Company received approximately \$2.8 million of proceeds from the Remarketing Dealer as consideration for the Call Option. The Company will amortize these proceeds over the life of the Call Option as an adjustment to interest expense. If the holder of the Call Option calls the 2011 Drs. and elects to remarket the 2011 Drs., then after the Remarketing Date, the interest rate on the 2011 Drs. will be reset at a fixed rate until April 5, 2011 based upon a predetermined formula as disclosed in the related Prospectus Supplement. If the Remarketing Dealer elects not to remarket the 2011 Drs., then the Operating Partnership will be required to repurchase, on the Remarketing Date, any 2011 Drs. that have not been purchased by the Remarketing Dealer at 100% of the principal amount thereof, plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any. The Company also settled an interest rate protection agreement which was used to fix the interest rate on the 2011 Drs. prior to issuance. The debt issue discount and the settlement amount of the interest rate protection agreement are being amortized over the life of the 2011 Drs. as an adjustment to interest expense. The 2011 Drs. contain certain covenants including limitations on incurrence of debt and debt service coverage.

On April 16, 1998, the Company, through the Operating Partnership, assumed a mortgage loan in the amount of \$2.5 million (the "Acquisition Mortgage Loan IV"). The Acquisition Mortgage Loan IV is collateralized by one property in Baltimore, Maryland, bears interest at a fixed rate of 8.95% and provides for monthly principle and interest payments based on a 20-year amortization schedule. The Acquisition Mortgage Loan IV matures October 1, 2006. The Acquisition Mortgage Loan IV may be prepaid only after October 1, 2001 in exchange for the greater of a 1% prepayment fee or a yield maintenance premium.

On July 14, 1998, the Company through the Operating Partnership, issued \$200 million of senior unsecured debt which matures on July 15, 2028 and bears a coupon interest rate of 7.60% (the "2028 Notes"). The issue price of the 2028 Notes was 99.882%. Interest is paid semi-annually in arrears on January 15 and July 15. The Company also settled interest rate protection agreements, in the notional amount of \$150 million, which were used to fix the interest rate on the 2028 Notes prior to issuance. The debt issue discount and the settlement amount of the interest rate protection agreements are being amortized over the life of the 2028 Notes as an adjustment to the interest expense. The 2028 Notes contain certain covenants including limitation on incurrence of debt and debt service coverage.

On February 4, 1998, the Company issued 5,000,000 Depositary Shares, each representing 1/100th of a share of the Company's 7.95%, \$.01 par value, Series D Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series D Preferred Stock"), at an initial offering price of \$25 per Depositary Share. Dividends on the Series D Preferred Stock represented by the Depositary Shares are cumulative from the date of initial issuance and are payable quarterly in arrears. With respect to the dividends and amounts upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up, the Series D Preferred Stock ranks senior to payments on the Company's \$.01 par value common stock ("Common Stock") and pari passu with the Company's 9 1/2%, \$.01 par value, Series A Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series A Preferred Stock"), 8 3/4%, \$.01 par value, Series B Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series B Preferred Stock"), 8 5/8%, \$.01 par value, Series C Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series C Preferred Stock") and Series E Preferred Stock (defined below); however, the Series A Preferred Stock has the benefit of a guarantee by First Industrial Securities, L.P. The Series D Preferred Stock is not redeemable prior to February 4, 2003. On and after February 4, 2003, the Series D Preferred Stock is redeemable for cash at the option of the Company, in whole or part, at a redemption

price equivalent to \$25 per Depositary Share, or \$125.0 million in the aggregate, plus dividends accrued and unpaid to the redemption date. The Series D Preferred Stock has no stated maturity and is not convertible into any other securities of the Company.

On March 18, 1998, the Company issued 3,000,000 Depositary Shares, each representing 1/100th of a share of the Company's 7.90%, \$.01 par value, Series E Cumulative Preferred Stock (the "Series E Preferred Stock"), at an initial offering price of \$25 per Depositary Share. Dividends on the Series E Preferred Stock represented by the Depositary Shares are cumulative from the date of initial issuance and are payable quarterly in arrears. With respect to the payment of dividends and amounts upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up, the Series E Preferred Stock ranks senior to payments on the Company's Common Stock and pari passu with the Company's Series A Preferred Stock, Series B Preferred Stock, Series C Preferred Stock and Series D Preferred Stock; however, the Series A Preferred Stock has the benefit of a guarantee by First Industrial Securities, L.P. The Series E Preferred Stock is not redeemable prior to March 18, 2003. On and after March 18, 2003, the Series E Preferred Stock is redeemable for cash at the option of the Company, in whole or in part, at a redemption price equivalent to \$25 per Depositary Share, or \$75.0 million in the aggregate, plus dividends accrued and unpaid to the redemption date. The Series E Preferred Stock has no stated maturity and is not convertible into any other securities of the Company.

On April 23, 1998, the Company issued, in a private placement, 1,112,644 shares of \$.01 par value Common Stock (the "April 1998 Equity Offering"). The price per share in the April 1998 Equity Offering was \$32.625, resulting in gross offering proceeds of \$36.3 million. Proceeds to the Company, net of purchaser's discount and total offering expenses, were approximately \$34.1 million.

During the six months ended June 30, 1998, the Company awarded 51,850 shares of restricted Common Stock to certain employees and 1,179 shares of restricted Common Stock to certain Directors. Another employee of the Company converted certain employee stock options to 6,123 shares of restricted Common Stock. These shares of restricted Common Stock had a fair value of \$2.1 million on the date of grant. The restricted Common Stock vests over a period from five to ten years. Compensation expense will be charged to earnings over the respective vesting period.

On January 2, 1998, the Company granted 4,370,000 non-qualified employee stock options. These stock options vest over three years based upon certain performance measures. The stock options have a strike price of \$35.8125 per share and expire ten years from the date of grant.

On May 14, 1998, the Company granted 899,000 non-qualified employee stock options. These stock-options vest over one year and have a strike price of \$31.13 per share. These stock options expire between seven and ten years from the date of grant.

On January 20, 1998, the Company and the Operating Partnership paid a fourth quarter 1997 distribution of \$.53 per common share/Unit, totaling approximately \$22.0 million. On April 20, 1998, the Company and Operating Partnership paid a first quarter 1998 distribution of \$.53 per common share/Unit, totaling approximately \$22.5 million. On July 20, 1998, the Company and the Operating Partnership paid a second quarter 1998 distribution of \$.53 per common share/Unit, totaling approximately \$23.6 million.

On March 31, 1998, the Company paid first quarter preferred stock dividends of \$.59375 per share on its 9.5% Series A Cumulative Preferred Stock, \$54.688 per share (equivalent to \$.54688 per Depositary Share) on its 8.75% Series B Cumulative Preferred Stock, \$53.906 per share (equivalent to \$.53906 per Depositary Share) on its 8.63% Series C Cumulative Preferred Stock and a period prorated first quarter preferred stock dividend of \$30.365 per share (equivalent to \$.30365 per Depositary Share) on its 7.95% Series D Cumulative Preferred Stock. The preferred stock dividends paid on March 31, 1998 totaled, in the aggregate, approximately \$5.8 million. On March 31, 1998, the Company accrued a first quarter

period prorated preferred stock dividend of \$7.13194 per share (equivalent to \$.0713194 per Depositary Share), totaling \$.2 million, on its 7.90% Series E Cumulative Preferred Stock.

On June 30, 1998, the Company paid second quarter preferred stock dividends of \$.59375 per share on its 9.5% Series A Cumulative Preferred Stock, \$54.688 per share (equivalent to \$.54688 per Depositary Share) on its 8.75% Series B Cumulative Preferred Stock, \$53.906 per share (equivalent to \$.53906 per Depositary Share) on its 8.63% Series C Cumulative Preferred Stock and \$49.687 per share (equivalent to \$.49687 per Depositary Share) on its 7.95% Series D Cumulative Preferred Stock and a period prorated first quarter dividend and a second quarter dividend totaling \$56.5069 per share (equivalent to \$.565069 per Depositary Share) on its 7.90% Series E Cumulative Preferred Stock. The preferred stock dividends paid on June 30, 1998 totaled, in the aggregate, approximately \$8.4 million.

In the second quarter of 1998, the Company, through the Operating Partnership, entered into a non-binding letter of intent with an institutional investor to create a joint venture that would invest in industrial properties. The venture is subject, among other contingencies, to due diligence and the negotiation of definitive documentation. There can be no assurance that such venture will be created, or if created, will be successful.

The Company has considered its short-term (one year or less) liquidity needs and the adequacy of its estimated cash flow from operations and other expected liquidity sources to meet these needs. The Company believes that its principal short-term liquidity needs are to fund normal recurring expenses, debt service requirements and the minimum distribution required to maintain the Company's REIT qualification under the Internal Revenue Code. The Company anticipates that these needs will be met with cash flows provided by operating activities.

The Company expects to meet long-term (greater than one year) liquidity requirements such as property acquisitions, scheduled debt maturities, major renovations, expansions and other nonrecurring capital improvements through long-term secured and unsecured indebtedness and the issuance of additional equity securities. On June 30, 1998, the Company had registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), approximately \$589.2 million of common stock, preferred stock and depositary shares and \$300.0 million of debt securities. As of August 5, 1998, \$589.2 million of common stock, preferred stock and depositary shares and \$100.0 million of debt securities remained registered under the Securities Act and were unissued. The Company may finance the development or acquisition of additional properties through borrowings under the 1997 Unsecured Acquisition Facility. At June 30, 1998, borrowings under the 1997 Unsecured Acquisition Facility bore interest at a weighted average interest rate of 6.51%. As of August 5, 1998, the Company had approximately \$231.9 million available in additional borrowings under the 1997 Unsecured Acquisition Facility. Along with the Company's current strategy of meeting long-term liquidity requirements through the issuance, from time to time, of long-term secured and unsecured indebtedness and additional equity securities, the Company is actively considering joint ventures with various institutional partners and the disposition of select assets as additional financing strategies.

OTHER

In June 1997, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (the "FASB") issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 130, "Reporting Comprehensive Income". This statement, effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 1997, requires the Company to report components of comprehensive income in a financial statement that is displayed with the same prominence as other financial statements. Comprehensive income is defined by Concepts Statement No. 6, "Elements of Financial Statements" as the change in the equity of a business enterprise during a period from transactions and other events and circumstances from non-owner sources. It includes all changes in equity during a period except those

resulting from investments by owners and distributions to owners. The Company's net income available to common stockholders approximates its comprehensive income as defined in Concepts Statement No. 6, "Elements of Financial Statements".

In June 1997, the FASB issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 131, "Disclosures about Segments of an Enterprise and Related Information". This statement, effective for financial statements for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 1997, requires that a public business enterprise report financial and descriptive information about its reportable operating segments. Generally, financial information is required to be reported on the basis that it is used internally for evaluating segment performance and deciding how to allocate resources to segments. The Company has not yet determined the impact of this statement on its financial statements.

In March 1998, the FASB's Emerging Issues Task Force (the "Task Force") issued Emerging Issues Task Force Issue No. 97-11, "Accounting for Internal Costs Relating to Real Estate Property Acquisitions" ("EITF 97-11"). EITF 97-11, effective March 19, 1998, requires that internal costs of preacquisition activities incurred in connection with the acquisition of an operating property should be expensed as incurred. The Task Force concluded that a property is considered operating if, at the date of acquisition, major construction activity is substantially completed on the property and (a) it is held available for occupancy upon completion of tenant improvements by the acquirer or (b) it is already income producing. The Company adopted EITF 97-11 as of March 19, 1998. Prior to March 19, 1998, the Company capitalized internal costs of preacquisition activities incurred in connection with the acquisition of operating properties. The Company estimates that the adoption of EITF 97-11 will result in a cumulative increase of approximately \$2.5 million to \$3.0 million in the amount of general and administrative expense reflected in the Company's consolidated statement of operations in 1998.

In April 1998, the Accounting Standards Executive Committee of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants issued Statement of Position 98-5, "Reporting on the Costs of Start-Up Activities" ("SOP 98-5"). SOP 98-5 requires that the net unamortized balance of all start up costs and organizational costs be written off as a cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle and all future start-up costs and organizational costs be expensed. In the second quarter of 1998, the Company reported a cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle in the amount of approximately \$2.0 million to reflect the write-off of the unamortized balance of organizational costs on the Company's balance sheet.

During the second quarter of 1998, the FASB issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 133, "Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities". This statement, effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 1999, establishes accounting and reporting standards requiring that every derivative instrument, including certain derivative instruments imbedded in other contracts, be recorded in the balance sheet as either an asset or liability measured at its fair value. The statement also requires that the changes in the derivative's fair value be recognized in earnings unless specific hedge accounting criteria are met. The Company is currently assessing the impact of this new statement on its consolidated financial position, liquidity, and results of operations.

PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

None.

ITEM 2. CHANGES IN SECURITIES

On April 23, 1998, the Company issued, in a private placement, 1,112,644 shares of \$.01 par value Common Stock (the "April 1998 Equity Offering") to Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated. The price per share in the April 1998 Equity Offering was \$32.625, resulting in gross offering proceeds of \$36.3 million. Proceeds to the Company, net of purchaser's discount and total offering expenses, were approximately \$34.1 million.

All of the shares issued in the April 1998 Equity Offering were issued in reliance on Section 4 (2) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, including Regulation D promulgated thereunder. No underwriter was used in connection with such issuance.

ITEM 3. DEFAULTS UPON SENIOR SECURITIES

None.

ITEM 4. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS

None.

ITEM 5. OTHER INFORMATION

Not applicable.

ITEM 6. EXHIBITS AND REPORTS ON FORM 8-K AND FORM 8-K/A

Exhibit No. Description

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| * | Filed herewith. |

Reports on Form 8-K and Form 8-K/A:

Report on Form 8-K dated April 6, 1998, filed April 20, 1998, as amended by the report on Form 8-K/A No. 1 filed June 16, 1998, relating to the acquisition of 167 properties and seven land parcels for future development. The reports include Combined Historical Statements of

Revenues and Certain Expenses for the acquired and to be acquired properties and Pro Forma Balance Sheet and Pro Forma Statements of Operations for the Company.

Report on Form 8-K dated April 24, 1998, filed April 27, 1998, and the report on Form 8-K filed May 5, 1998, each relating to the Company's offering of 1,112,644 shares of common stock, par value \$.01 per share.

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The Company has prepared supplemental financial and operating information which is available without charge upon request to the Company. Please direct requests as follows:

First Industrial Realty Trust, Inc.
311 S. Wacker, Suite 4000
Chicago, IL 60606
Attention: Investor Relations

SIGNATURE

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.

FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST, INC.

Date: August 13, 1998

By: /s/ Michael J. Havala

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Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial and Accounting
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FOURTH AMENDMENT TO
SIXTH AMENDED AND RESTATED
LIMITED PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT OF
FIRST INDUSTRIAL, L.P.

As of June 24, 1998, the undersigned, being the sole general partner of First Industrial, L.P. (the "PARTNERSHIP"), a limited partnership formed under the Delaware Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act and pursuant to the terms of that certain Sixth Amended and Restated Limited Partnership Agreement, dated March 18, 1998 (as amended by the first amendment thereto dated April 1, 1998, the second amendment thereto dated April 3, 1998 and the third amendment thereto dated April 16, 1998 (collectively, the "PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT"), does hereby amend the Partnership Agreement as follows:

Capitalized terms used but not defined in this Fourth Amendment (this "AMENDMENT") shall have the same meanings that are ascribed to them in the Partnership Agreement.

1. ADDITIONAL LIMITED PARTNERS. The Persons identified on SCHEDULE 1A hereto are hereby admitted to the Partnership as Substituted Limited Partners or Additional Limited Partners, as the case may be, owning the number of Units and having made the Capital Contributions set forth on such SCHEDULE 1A or, for such Persons as who are already Limited Partners, such Persons are issued the number of additional Units and have made the Capital Contribution set forth on SCHEDULE 1A. Such persons hereby adopt the Partnership Agreement. The undersigned acknowledges that those of the Persons identified on SCHEDULE 1A hereto that are Substituted Limited Partners have received their Partnership Interests from various Additional Limited Partners, and the undersigned hereby consents to such transfers.

2. SCHEDULE OF PARTNERS. EXHIBIT 1B to the Partnership Agreement is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced by EXHIBIT 1B hereto which identifies the Partners following consummation of the transactions referred to in Section 1 hereof.

3. RATIFICATION. Except as expressly modified by this Amendment, all of the provisions of the Partnership Agreement are affirmed and ratified and remain in full force and effect.

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SIGNATURE PAGE IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Amendment as of the date first written above.

FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST, INC.,
as sole general partner of the Partnership

By: /s/ Michael J. Havala

Name: Michael J. Havala

Title: Chief Financial Officer

SCHEDULE 1A

Additional Limited Partners -----	Number of Units -----	Capital Contribution -----
Apollo/Pacifica Bryant, LLC	42,935	\$1,326,691.50
Collins Family Trust	24,836	\$767,432.40
Kelly Collins	7,979	\$246,551.10
Michael Collins	7,979	\$246,551.10
Timothy Gudim	15,959	\$493,133.10
Edwin & Cathleen Hession	7,979	\$246,551.10
Steve Leonard	1,321	\$40,818.90
Pacifica Holding Company	23,119	\$714,377.10

EXHIBIT 1B
SCHEDULE OF PARTNERS

GENERAL PARTNER -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
First Industrial Realty Trust, Inc.	30,892,739
LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Aimee Freyer Lifetime Trust dated 11/1/65	2,384
Daniel R. Andrew, TR of the Daniel R. Andrew Trust UA Dec 29 92	137,489
Charles T. Andrews	754
Gordon E. Atkins	6,767
William J. Atkins	22,381
E. Donald Bafford	3,374
William Baloh	8,582
Edward N. Barad	2,283
UA dated April 11, 1996 Blurton 1996 Revocable Family Trust	598
James Bolt	5,587
Harriett Bonn	28,804
Michael W. Brennan	7,702
Robert Brown	2,123
Henry D. Bullock & Terri D. Bullock & Shawn Stevenson TR of the Bullock Childrens Education Trust UA Dec 20 94, FBO Benjamin Dure Bullock	1,970

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Henry D. Bullock & Terri D. Bullock & Shawn Stevenson TR of the Bullock Childrens Education Trust UA Dec 20 94, FBO Christine Laurel Bullock	1,970
Henry D. Bullock & Terri D. Bullock TR of the Henry D. & Terri D. Bullock Trust UA Aug 28 92	9,151
Edward Burger	9,151
Calamer Inc.	1,233
Perry C. Caplan	1,388
Irwin Carasso	17,192
Carol P. Freyer Lifetime Trust dated 11/1/72	2,384
The Carthage Partners LLC	34,939
Cliffwood Development Company	64,823
Collins Family Trust dated 5/6/69	137,833
Kelly Collins	11,124
Michael Collins	17,377
Charles S. Cook and Shelby H. Cook, tenants in the entirety	634
Caroline Atkins Coutret	7,327
David Cleborne Crow	5,159
Gretchen Smith Crow	2,602
Michael G. Damone, TR of the Michael G. Damone Trust UA Nov 4 69	144,296
Myrna R. Debilak	5,447

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Robert L. Denton	6,286
C G Property Development	27,975
Greg and Christina Downs, joint tenants	474
Gregory Downs	48
Draizin Family Partnership, LP	357,896
Joseph S. Dresner	149,531
Ethel Road Associates	29,511
Fitz & Smith Partnership	3,410
Fourbur Family Co., L.P.	620,273
Gamma Three Associates Limited Partnership	3,338
Dennis G. Goodwin and Jeannie L. Goodwin, tenants in the entirety	6,166
Clay Hamlin & Lynn Hamlin, joint tenants with rights of survivorship	15,159
Henry E. Dietz Trust UA Jan 16 81	36,476
Highland Associates Limited Partnership	69,039
Robert W. Holman Jr.	150,146
Holman/Shidler Investment Corporation	22,079
Steven B. Hoyt	175,000
Internal Investment Company	3,016
Frederick K. Ito	3,880
The Jack Friedman Revocable Living Trust UA March 23, 1978	26,005
Jayeff Associates Limited Partnership	16,249

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Michael W. Jenkins	3,917
Jernie Holdings Corp.	180,499
John E. De B Blockey Trust	8,293
Thomas J. Johnson, Jr. and Sandra L. Johnson, tenants in the entirety	2,142
Nourhan Kailian	2,183
Peter Kepic	9,261
Lambert Investment Corporation	13,606
Paul T. Lambert	39,749
Constance Lazarus	417,961
Jerome Lazarus	18,653
LGR Investment Fund Ltd	22,556
Malcolm Properties, L.L.C.	25,342
Princeton South at Lawrenceville LLC	4,692
Shidler Equities LP	254,541
Duane Lund	617
R. Craig Martin	754
J. Stanley Mattison	12
Menlo Park Presbyterian Church	230
Eileen Millar	2,922
Linda Miller	2,000
The Milton Dresner Revocable Trust UA October 22, 1976	149,531
Montrose Kennedy Associates	4,874

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Peter Murphy	56,184
Anthony Muscatello	81,654
Joseph Musti	1,508
Dean A. Nachtigall	10,076
New Land Associates Limited Partnership	1,664
North Star Associates Limited Partnership	19,333
Arden O'Connor	13,845
Peter O'Connor	66,181
Princeton South at Lawrenceville One	4,426
Eduardo Paneque	2,000
Partridge Road Associates Limited Partnership	2,751
R.C.P. Associates, a New Jersey limited partnership	3,060
Jack F. Ream	1,071
Glenn C. Rexroth and Linda A. Rexroth, as tenants in the entirety	2,142
James C. Reynolds	40,154
Andre G. Richard	1,508
RJB Ford City Limited Partnership	158,438
RJB II Limited Partnership	40,788
Edward C. Roberts and Rebecca S. Roberts, tenants in the entirety	8,308
W.F.O. Rosenmiller	634

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Edward Jon Sarama	634
Shadeland Associates Limited Partnership	42,976
Shadeland Corporation	4,442
Jay H. Shidler	66,984
Jay H. Shidler and Walette A. Shidler, tenants in the entirety	1,223
Michael B. Slade	2,829
David W. Smith, and Doris L. Smith, tenants in the entirety	754
Gary L. Smith and Joyce A. Smith, tenants in the entirety	1,508
Kevin Smith	13,571
South Broad Company	72,421
South Gold Company	82,433
SRS Partnership	2,142
UA Dated May 21, 1996 FBO Robert Stein	56,778
S. Larry Stein	56,778
Jonathan Stott	80,026
Suburban Roseland Associates, a Limited Partnership	3,002
Thelma C. Gretzinger Trust	450
Thomas K. Barad & Jill E. Barad, Co-Trustees of the Thomas K. Barad & Jill E. Barad Trust Dated 10-18-89	2,283

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Michael T. Tomasz	25,847
Barry L. Tracey	2,142
Van Brunt Associates	39,370
Worlds Fair Associates	6,134
Worlds Fair III Associates	14,094
The Worlds Fair Office Associates	3,343
Worlds Fair Partners Limited Partnership	1,664
The Worlds Fair V Associates	3,340
The Worlds Fair 25 Associates	13,677
Brothers Partnership	1,748
BSDK Enterprises	3,596
Estate of Albert Sklar	3,912
Rand H. Falbaum	17,022
William M. Fausone	16,480
Elizabeth Fitzpatrick	3,800
Fred Trust dated 6/16/77	653
Carol P. Freyer	12,173
Lee Karen Freyer	10,665
Aimee Freyer-Valls	12,173
David Fried	1,326
Ester Fried	3,177
Douglas Frye	2,216

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
J. Peter Gaffney	727
Gerlach Family Trust dated 6/28/85	874
Patricia O. Godchaux	9,387
Timothy Gudim	27,797
Timothy & Melissa Gudim, joint tenants	3,285
H/Airport GP Inc.	1,433
Vivian Hack	22,522
Martha J. Harbinson	3,329
Turner Harshaw	1,132
Cathleen Hession	3,137
Howard Trust dated 4/30/79	653
John A. and Gloria H. Sage Family Trust UDT dated 6/7/94	15,864
L. Chris Johnson	3,196
Johnson Living Trust dated 2/18/83	1,078
Charles Mark Jordan	57
JPG Investment	919
David R. Kahnweiler	5,436
Thomas Kendall	546
Kirshner Family Trust #1 dated 4/8/76	29,558
Kirshner Trust #4 FBO Todd Kirshner	20,258
Kolpack MD Pension	994
Chester A. Latcham	2,493

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Lee Karen Freyer Lifetime Trust dated 11/1/65	2,384
Georgia Leonard	664
Robert Leonard III	5,856
Steve Leonard	37,646
Leslie A. Rubin LTD	3,577
CLMM LLC	3,825
PAC-II LLC	17,356
Sealy Professional Drive LLC	2,906
Sealy Unitholder LLC	31,552
SPM Industrial LLC	5,262
Reyem Partners LP	8,489
Henry E. Mawicke	636
Richard McClintock	623
McElroy Management Inc.	5,478
MCS Properties, Inc.	5,958
Lila Atkins Mulkey	7,327
James Muslow, Jr.	4,911
Adel Nassif	4,910
Kris Nielsen	28
Catherine A. O'Brien	832
Martha E. O'Brien	832
Steve Ohren	31,828

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Pacifica Holding Company	97,893
Sybil T. Patten	1,816
Betty S. Phillips	3,912
Jeffrey Pion	2,879
Pipkin Family Trust dated 10/6/89	3,140
Robert J. Powers	37,674
Manor Properties	143,408
Elizabeth Hutton Hagen Fitzpatrick IRA dated 9/1/91	607
Robert S. Hood Living Trust dated 1/9/90 & Amended 12/16/96	3,591
James Sage	2,156
Kathleen Sage	3,350
Wilton Wade Sample	5,449
Sealy & Company, Inc.	37,119
Sealy Florida, Inc.	675
Mark P. Sealy	8,451
Sealy Real Estate Services, Inc.	148,478
Scott P. Sealy	40,902
Marilyn Rangel IRA dated 2/5/86	969
Siskel Family Partnership	11,359
Siskel Revocable Trust 1987 dated 4/17/1987	10,087
Suzanne Siskel	3,802

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Steve Smith	386
Sterling Alsip trust dated August 1, 1989	794
Sterling Family Trust dated 3/27/80	3,559
Donald C. Thompson	38,524
TUT Investments I LLC	5,274
William S. Tyrrell	2,906
Van Gilder Family Partnership	2,262
Virginia B. and Norton Sharpe Living trust UDT dated 4/26/96	12,055
Steve Walbridge	338
Richard Walker, Jr.	963
Charles Kendall Jr. Rollover IRA dated 1/21/93	656
William B. Wiener, Jr.	41,119
Patricia Wiener-Shifke	12,944
William J. Mallen Trust dated 4/29/94	8,016
Fred Wilson	35,787
World's Fair Thirty	1,442
Wolsum, Inc.	2,427
Johannson Yap	1,680
Gerald & Sharon Zuckerman	615
Stephen Mann	15,017
Stanley Gruber	30,032
Seymour Israel	15,016

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
J. O'Neil Duffy, Sr.	513
James O. Duffy, Jr.	513
Garrett E. Sheehan	513
Sam Shamie Trust Agreement dated March 16, 1978, as restated on November 16, 1993	337,753
Richard H. Zimmerman Living Trust dated October 15, 1990, as amended	47,174
Keith J. Pomeroy Revocable Trust Agreement, dated December 13, 1976, as amended and restated on June 28, 1995	128,783
Enid Braden Trust of June 28, 1995	18,464
Sam L. Yaker Revocable Trust Agreement dated February 14, 1984	30,285
Armenag Kalaydjian Revocable Trust Agreement dated February 28, 1984	21,655
RBZ LLC	124
KEP LLC	78,873
ESAA Associates Limited Partnership	19,367
Paul F. Obrecht, Jr.	5,289
Richard F. Obrecht	5,289
Thomas F. Obrecht	5,289
George F. Obrecht	5,289
Joan R. Kreiger Revocable Trust	15,184
William L. Kreiger, Jr.	3,374

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Elmer H. Wingate	1,688
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FIFTH AMENDMENT TO
SIXTH AMENDED AND RESTATED
LIMITED PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT OF
FIRST INDUSTRIAL, L.P.

As of July 16, 1998, the undersigned, being the sole general partner of First Industrial, L.P. (the "PARTNERSHIP"), a limited partnership formed under the Delaware Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act and pursuant to the terms of that certain Sixth Amended and Restated Limited Partnership Agreement, dated March 18, 1998 (as amended by the first amendment thereto dated April 1, 1998 and the second amendment thereto dated April 3, 1998, the third amendment thereto dated April 16, 1998, and the fourth amendment thereto dated May 20, 1998) (collectively, the "PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT"), does hereby amend the Partnership Agreement as follows:

Capitalized terms used but not defined in this Fifth Amendment (this "AMENDMENT") shall have the same meanings that are ascribed to them in the Partnership Agreement.

1. ADDITIONAL LIMITED PARTNERS. The Persons identified on SCHEDULE 1A hereto are hereby admitted to the Partnership as Substituted Limited Partners or Additional Limited Partners, as the case may be, owning the number of Units and having made the Capital Contributions set forth on such SCHEDULE 1A. Such persons hereby adopt the Partnership Agreement. The undersigned acknowledges that those of the Persons identified on SCHEDULE 1A hereto that are Substituted Limited Partners have received their Partnership Interests from various Additional Limited Partners, and the undersigned hereby consents to such transfers.

2. SCHEDULE OF PARTNERS. EXHIBIT 1B to the Partnership Agreement is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced by EXHIBIT 1B hereto which identifies the Partners following consummation of the transactions referred to in Section 1 hereof.

3. PROTECTED AMOUNTS. In connection with the transactions consummated pursuant to that certain Contribution Agreement dated as of December 9, 1997, by and between FR and Thompson Kirk Properties, Inc., a Florida corporation, TRAC Design Builders, Inc., a Florida corporation, Thompson Center I, Ltd., a Florida limited partnership, TR Developers, Ltd., a Florida limited partnership, Thompson and Rubin Limited, a Florida limited partnership, TRA Limited, a Florida limited partnership, Thompson Center II Joint Venture, a Florida general partnership, Thompson Center Adamo Limited Partnership, a Florida limited partnership, Thompson-Rubin Sunventure, Ltd., a Florida limited partnership, TK-SV, TK Properties, a Florida general partnership, the Principal, D.C. Thompson, Ltd., a Florida limited partnership f/k/a Thompson Rubin Associates, a Florida general partnership, and various additional individuals and entities; as amended by that certain First Amendment to Contribution Agreement (as amended, the "CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT"); and certain Protected Amounts are being established for the Additional Limited Partners admitted pursuant to this Amendment, which Protected Amounts are reflected on EXHIBIT 1D attached hereto and shall be incorporated as part of EXHIBIT 1D of the Partnership Agreement.

4. RATIFICATION. Except as expressly modified by this Amendment, all of the provisions of the Partnership Agreement are affirmed and ratified and remain in full force and effect.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Amendment as of the date first written above.

FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST, INC.,
as sole general partner of the Partnership

By: /s/ Gary H. Heigl

Name: Gary H. Heigl

Title: Sr. V.P. Capital Markets

SCHEDULE 1A

Additional Limited Partners -----	Number of Units -----	Capital Contribution -----
Donald C. Thompson	719	\$22,411.23
Leslie A. Rubin	471	\$14,681.07

EXHIBIT 1D
PROTECTED AMOUNTS

	Protected Amount -----
1. Donald C. Thompson	\$422,800
2. Leslie A. Rubin	\$277,200

EXHIBIT 1B
SCHEDULE OF PARTNERS

GENERAL PARTNER -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
First Industrial Realty Trust, Inc.	30,892,739
LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Aimee Freyer Lifetime Trust dated 11/1/65	2,384
Daniel R. Andrew, TR of the Daniel R. Andrew Trust UA Dec 29 92	137,489
Charles T. Andrews	754
Gordon E. Atkins	6,767
William J. Atkins	22,381
E. Donald Bafford	3,374
William Baloh	8,582
Edward N. Barad	2,283
UA dated April 11, 1996 Blurton 1996 Revocable Family Trust	598
James Bolt	5,587
Harriett Bonn	28,804
Michael W. Brennan	7,702
Robert Brown	2,123
Henry D. Bullock & Terri D. Bullock & Shawn Stevenson TR of the Bullock Childrens Education Trust UA Dec 20 94, FBO Benjamin Dure Bullock	1,970

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Henry D. Bullock & Terri D. Bullock & Shawn Stevenson TR of the Bullock Childrens Education Trust UA Dec 20 94, FBO Christine Laurel Bullock	1,970
Henry D. Bullock & Terri D. Bullock TR of the Henry D. & Terri D. Bullock Trust UA Aug 28 92	9,151
Edward Burger	9,151
Calamer Inc.	1,233
Perry C. Caplan	1,388
Irwin Carasso	17,192
Carol P. Freyer Lifetime Trust dated 11/1/72	2,384
The Carthage Partners LLC	34,939
Cliffwood Development Company	64,823
Collins Family Trust dated 5/6/69	137,833
Kelly Collins	11,124
Michael Collins	17,377
Charles S. Cook and Shelby H. Cook, tenants in the entirety	634
Caroline Atkins Coutret	7,327
David Cleborne Crow	5,159
Gretchen Smith Crow	2,602
Michael G. Damone, TR of the Michael G. Damone Trust UA Nov 4 69	144,296
Myrna R. Debilak	5,447
Robert L. Denton	6,286

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
C G Property Development	27,975
Greg and Christina Downs, joint tenants	474
Gregory Downs	48
Draizin Family Partnership, LP	357,896
Joseph S. Dresner	149,531
Ethel Road Associates	29,511
Fitz & Smith Partnership	3,410
Fourbur Family Co., L.P.	620,273
Gamma Three Associates Limited Partnership	3,338
Dennis G. Goodwin and Jeannie L. Goodwin, tenants in the entirety	6,166
Clay Hamlin & Lynn Hamlin, joint tenants with rights of survivorship	15,159
Henry E. Dietz Trust UA Jan 16 81	36,476
Highland Associates Limited Partnership	69,039
Robert W. Holman Jr.	150,146
Holman/Shidler Investment Corporation	22,079
Steven B. Hoyt	175,000
Internal Investment Company	3,016
Frederick K. Ito	3,880
The Jack Friedman Revocable Living Trust UA March 23, 1978	26,005
Jayeff Associates Limited Partnership	16,249
Michael W. Jenkins	3,917

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Jernie Holdings Corp.	180,499
John E. De B Blockey Trust	8,293
Thomas J. Johnson, Jr. and Sandra L. Johnson, tenants in the entirety	2,142
Nourhan Kailian	2,183
Peter Kopic	9,261
Lambert Investment Corporation	13,606
Paul T. Lambert	39,749
Constance Lazarus	417,961
Jerome Lazarus	18,653
LGR Investment Fund Ltd	22,556
Malcolm Properties, L.L.C.	25,342
Princeton South at Lawrenceville LLC	4,692
Shidler Equities LP	254,541
Duane Lund	617
R. Craig Martin	754
J. Stanley Mattison	12
Menlo Park Presbyterian Church	230
Eileen Millar	2,922
Linda Miller	2,000
The Milton Dresner Revocable Trust UA October 22, 1976	149,531
Montrose Kennedy Associates	4,874
Peter Murphy	56,184

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Anthony Muscatello	81,654
Joseph Musti	1,508
Dean A. Nachtigall	10,076
New Land Associates Limited Partnership	1,664
North Star Associates Limited Partnership	19,333
Arden O'Connor	13,845
Peter O'Connor	66,181
Princeton South at Lawrenceville One	4,426
Eduardo Paneque	2,000
Partridge Road Associates Limited Partnership	2,751
R.C.P. Associates, a New Jersey limited partnership	3,060
Jack F. Ream	1,071
Glenn C. Rexroth and Linda A. Rexroth, as tenants in the entirety	2,142
James C. Reynolds	40,154
Andre G. Richard	1,508
RJB Ford City Limited Partnership	158,438
RJB II Limited Partnership	40,788
Edward C. Roberts and Rebecca S. Roberts, tenants in the entirety	8,308
W.F.O. Rosenmiller	634
Edward Jon Sarama	634

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Shadeland Associates Limited Partnership	42,976
Shadeland Corporation	4,442
Jay H. Shidler	66,984
Jay H. Shidler and Wallette A. Shidler, tenants in the entirety	1,223
Michael B. Slade	2,829
David W. Smith, and Doris L. Smith, tenants in the entirety	754
Gary L. Smith and Joyce A. Smith, tenants in the entirety	1,508
Kevin Smith	13,571
South Broad Company	72,421
South Gold Company	82,433
SRS Partnership	2,142
UA Dated May 21, 1996 FBO Robert Stein	56,778
S. Larry Stein	56,778
Jonathan Stott	80,026
Suburban Roseland Associates, a Limited Partnership	3,002
Thelma C. Gretzinger Trust	450
Thomas K. Barad & Jill E. Barad, Co-Trustees of the Thomas K. Barad & Jill E. Barad Trust Dated 10-18-89	2,283
Michael T. Tomasz	25,847
Barry L. Tracey	2,142

LIMITED PARTNERS	NUMBER OF UNITS
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Van Brunt Associates	39,370
Worlds Fair Associates	6,134
Worlds Fair III Associates	14,094
The Worlds Fair Office Associates	3,343
Worlds Fair Partners Limited Partnership	1,664
The Worlds Fair V Associates	3,340
The Worlds Fair 25 Associates	13,677
Brothers Partnership	1,748
BSDK Enterprises	3,596
Estate of Albert Sklar	3,912
Rand H. Falbaum	17,022
William M. Fausone	16,480
Elizabeth Fitzpatrick	3,800
Fred Trust dated 6/16/77	653
Carol P. Freyer	12,173
Lee Karen Freyer	10,665
Aimee Freyer-Valls	12,173
David Fried	1,326
Ester Fried	3,177
Douglas Frye	2,216
J. Peter Gaffney	727
Gerlach Family Trust dated 6/28/85	874
Patricia O. Godchaux	9,387

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Timothy Gudim	27,797
Timothy & Melissa Gudim, joint tenants	3,285
H/Airport GP Inc.	1,433
Vivian Hack	22,522
Martha J. Harbinson	3,329
Turner Harshaw	1,132
Cathleen Hession	3,137
Howard Trust dated 4/30/79	653
John A. and Gloria H. Sage Family Trust UDT dated 6/7/94	15,864
L. Chris Johnson	3,196
Johnson Living Trust dated 2/18/83	1,078
Charles Mark Jordan	57
JPG Investment	919
David R. Kahnweiler	5,436
Thomas Kendall	546
Kirshner Family Trust #1 dated 4/8/76	29,558
Kirshner Trust #4 FBO Todd Kirshner	20,258
Kolpack MD Pension	994
Chester A. Latcham	2,493
Lee Karen Freyer Lifetime Trust dated 11/1/65	2,384
Georgia Leonard	664
Robert Leonard III	5,856

LIMITED PARTNERS	NUMBER OF UNITS
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Steve Leonard	37,646
Leslie A. Rubin LTD	3,577
CLMM LLC	3,825
PAC-II LLC	17,356
Sealy Professional Drive LLC	2,906
Sealy Unitholder LLC	31,552
SPM Industrial LLC	5,262
Reyem Partners LP	8,489
Henry E. Mawicke	636
Richard McClintock	623
McElroy Management Inc.	5,478
MCS Properties, Inc.	5,958
Lila Atkins Mulkey	7,327
James Muslow, Jr.	4,911
Adel Nassif	4,910
Kris Nielsen	28
Catherine A. O'Brien	832
Martha E. O'Brien	832
Steve Ohren	31,828
Pacifica Holding Company	97,893
Sybil T. Patten	1,816
Betty S. Phillips	3,912
Jeffrey Pion	2,879

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Pipkin Family Trust dated 10/6/89	3,140
Robert J. Powers	37,674
Manor Properties	143,408
Elizabeth Hutton Hagen Fitzpatrick IRA dated 9/1/91	607
Robert S. Hood Living Trust dated 1/9/90 & Amended 12/16/96	3,591
James Sage	2,156
Kathleen Sage	3,350
Wilton Wade Sample	5,449
Sealy & Company, Inc.	37,119
Sealy Florida, Inc.	675
Mark P. Sealy	8,451
Sealy Real Estate Services, Inc.	148,478
Scott P. Sealy	40,902
Marilyn Rangel IRA dated 2/5/86	969
Siskel Family Partnership	11,359
Siskel Revocable Trust 1987 dated 4/17/1987	10,087
Suzanne Siskel	3,802
Steve Smith	386
Sterling Alsip trust dated August 1, 1989	794
Sterling Family Trust dated 3/27/80	3,559
Donald C. Thompson	39,243

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TUT Investments I LLC	5,274
William S. Tyrrell	2,906
Van Gilder Family Partnership	2,262
Virginia B. and Norton Sharpe Living trust UDT dated 4/26/96	12,055
Steve Walbridge	338
Richard Walker, Jr.	963
Charles Kendall Jr. Rollover IRA dated 1/21/93	656
William B. Wiener, Jr.	41,119
Patricia Wiener-Shifke	12,944
William J. Mallen Trust dated 4/29/94	8,016
Fred Wilson	35,787
World's Fair Thirty	1,442
Wolsum, Inc.	2,427
Johannson Yap	1,680
Gerald & Sharon Zuckerman	615
Stephen Mann	15,017
Stanley Gruber	30,032
Seymour Israel	15,016
J. O'Neil Duffy, Sr.	513
James O. Duffy, Jr.	513
Garrett E. Sheehan	513

LIMITED PARTNERS -----	NUMBER OF UNITS -----
Sam Shamie Trust Agreement dated March 16, 1978, as restated on November 16, 1993	337,753
Richard H. Zimmerman Living Trust dated October 15, 1990, as amended	47,174
Keith J. Pomeroy Revocable Trust Agreement, dated December 13, 1976, as amended and restated on June 28, 1995	128,783
Enid Braden Trust of June 28, 1995	18,464
Sam L. Yaker Revocable Trust Agreement dated February 14, 1984	30,285
Armenag Kalaydjian Revocable Trust Agreement dated February 28, 1984	21,655
RBZ LLC	124
KEP LLC	78,873
ESAA Associates Limited Partnership	19,367
Paul F. Obrecht, Jr.	5,289
Richard F. Obrecht	5,289
Thomas F. Obrecht	5,289
George F. Obrecht	5,289
Joan R. Kreiger Revocable Trust	15,184
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U.S. DOLLARS

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	98,791		0
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	(21,321)		
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