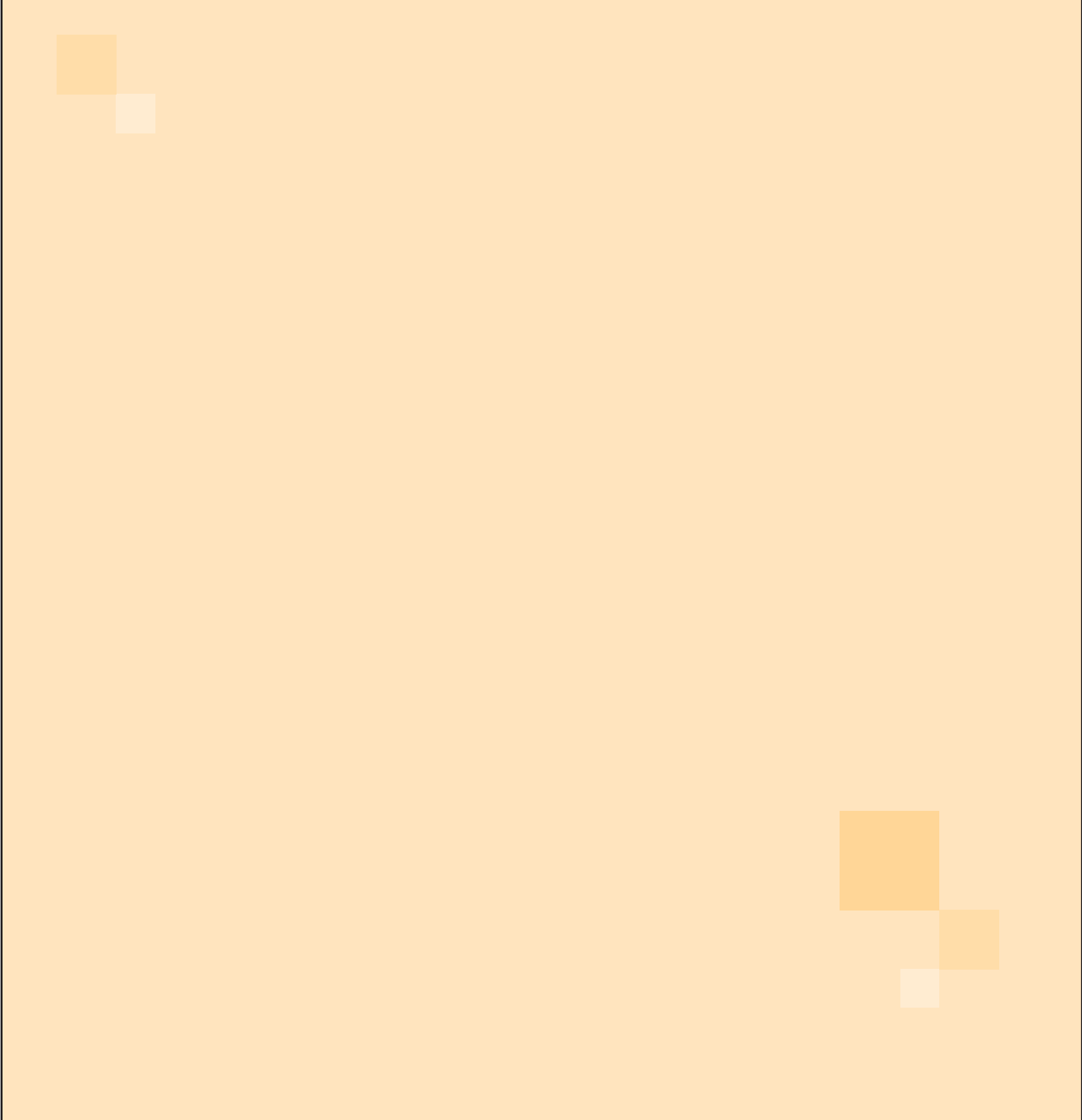


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FEBRUARY 28, 2005





FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

FEBRUARY 28

<i>(thousands, except per share amounts)</i>	2005	2004	% change
■ AS AT FEBRUARY 28			
Fee-earning assets	69,596,322	62,000,701	12
Managed retail assets	49,185,275	44,575,704	10
Redemption value of managed retail funds	798,487	825,782	(3)
Common shares outstanding	292,476	295,192	(1)
■ FOR THE NINE MONTH PERIOD			
Average managed retail assets	45,152,132	34,914,017	29
Gross sales of CI/Assante funds	5,659,618	4,228,158	34
Redemptions of CI/Assante funds	4,903,484	4,136,679	19
Net sales of CI/Assante funds	756,134	91,479	727
Net sales of Skylon funds	89,519	325,970	(73)
Net income	203,914	145,645	40
Earnings per share	0.69	0.56	23
EBITDA*	377,684	309,000	22
EBITDA* per share	1.28	1.19	8
Dividends per share	0.525	0.275	91
Average common shares outstanding	294,997	259,008	14
■ FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD			
Average managed retail assets	47,061,577	42,539,008	11
Gross sales of CI/Assante funds	2,420,516	2,123,659	14
Redemptions of CI/Assante funds	1,942,087	1,687,029	15
Net sales of CI/Assante funds	478,429	436,630	10
Net sales of Skylon funds	(36,248)	325,970	(111)
Net income	81,184	86,979	(7)
Earnings per share	0.28	0.29	(3)
EBITDA*	145,323	146,215	(1)
EBITDA* per share	0.49	0.49	–
Dividends per share	0.25	0.10	150
Average common shares outstanding	294,581	295,553	–

*EBITDA (Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) is a non-GAAP earnings measure; however, management believes that most of its shareholders, creditors, other stakeholders and investment analysts prefer to include the use of this performance measure in analyzing CI's results. A reconciliation of EBITDA to net income is provided on pages 11 and 17.



DEAR SHAREHOLDERS,

■ MARKET REVIEW

Global stock markets posted strong gains in the third quarter of fiscal 2005, following the good performance of the preceding quarter. In addition, after rising over 10% in the prior quarter, the Canadian dollar weakened by almost 4% to US \$0.81, enhancing global index returns in Canadian dollar terms. The S&P 500 Index rose 7.0% for the quarter in Canadian dollars and 3.0% in U.S. dollar terms. The Dow Jones Industrial Average rose 7.8% in Canadian dollars and 3.8% in U.S. dollars; the Nasdaq Composite Index rose 1.8% in Canadian dollars, but fell 2.0% in U.S. dollars; and the MSCI World Index rose 8.8% in Canadian dollars and 4.8% in U.S. dollars. The S&P/TSX Composite Index, however, gained 7.5% for the quarter after being up 8.3% over the second quarter of fiscal 2005. The positive performance of equity markets over the last two quarters has had a significant impact on the market value of CI's funds, which increased for the second consecutive quarter, as discussed below.

Industry net sales, as reported by the Investment Funds Institute of Canada ("IFIC"), were \$7.1 billion for the quarter ended February 28, 2005, down from net sales of \$8.0 billion for the quarter ended February 29, 2004. The higher industry net sales of the prior year



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were followed by a significant slowdown, which culminated in the industry experiencing net redemptions during the mid-year. The recent trend, however, has improved, with the industry experiencing positive sales starting in November 2004 and continuing through to March 2005.

■ OPERATING REVIEW

Operating and financial results for the quarter and nine months ended February 28, 2005 include the results of Synergy Asset Management Inc. (“Synergy”), Skylon Advisors Inc. (“Skylon”), IQON Financial Management Inc. (“IQON”) and Assante Corporation (“Assante”) for the entire period, but do not include their results in the comparative information for the entire nine-month period ending February 29, 2004, as Synergy, Skylon and Assante were acquired during the quarter ending November 30, 2003, and IQON was acquired at the beginning of this fiscal year.

CI’s total fee-earning assets at February 28, 2005 were \$69.6 billion, up 12% from \$62.0 billion at February 29, 2004 and up 5% from November 30, 2004. As shown in the chart “CI Fee-Earning Asset Profile,” these assets were comprised of managed assets of \$49.2 billion, assets under administration of

\$15.4 billion at Assante and IQON (net of \$8.6 billion of assets included in managed assets), and administered and other assets of \$5.0 billion, of which \$4.2 billion were institutional assets at BPI Global Asset Management LLP (“BGAM”) and the remainder were primarily labour-sponsored funds.

CI’s total managed assets at February 28, 2005 were \$49.2 billion, down slightly from \$49.6 billion at February 29, 2004. However, the total managed assets at February 29, 2004 include \$5.0 billion of institutional assets managed by BGAM, which are now reported as administered/other funds as a result of CI’s sale of its 66% interest in BGAM effective February 1, 2005, in return for a revenue participation in those assets. Excluding the institutional assets, total managed assets at February 28, 2005 of \$49.2 billion were up 10% from \$44.6 billion at February 29, 2004 and up 8% from \$45.6 billion at November 30, 2004. The increase of \$4.6 billion from February 29, 2004 was attributed to market appreciation of approximately \$3.3 billion and \$1.3 billion of net sales of CI’s funds.

CI’s total managed assets of \$49.2 billion were comprised of \$39.2 billion in mutual and segregated funds at CI (\$35.3 billion at February 29, 2004), \$8.6 billion

CI FEE-EARNING ASSET PROFILE


AS AT FEBRUARY 28

<i>(billions of dollars)</i>	2005	2004	% change
Mutual/segregated funds	39.2	35.3	11
Assante funds	8.6	8.0	8
Managed labour-sponsored funds	0.2	0.2	–
Structured products	1.2	1.1	9
Total managed retail assets	49.2	44.6	10
Managed institutional assets	–	5.0	(100)
Total managed assets	49.2	49.6	(1)
Administered/other funds	5.0	0.7	614
Assante/IQON assets under administration (net of Assante funds)	15.4	11.7	32
Total fee-earning assets	69.6	62.0	12

of assets under management in proprietary funds at Assante (\$8.0 billion at February 29, 2004), \$0.2 billion of managed labour-sponsored fund assets (\$0.2 billion at February 29, 2004) and \$1.2 billion in structured products (\$1.1 billion at February 29, 2004). The \$39.2 billion in mutual and segregated funds included \$2.6 billion in Class I funds (\$1.8 billion at February 29, 2004) for which CI negotiates the management fees with large clients who pool retail assets together and invest in CI's funds on a consolidated basis.

The average level of assets is the key determinant of revenues for the quarter and is more appropriate than ending assets for comparisons with actual financial

results. Average managed assets for the quarter were approximately \$50.0 billion, up from \$47.3 billion for the quarter ended February 29, 2004. Average managed assets were comprised of average mutual and segregated fund assets of \$37.4 billion (\$34.0 billion for the quarter ended February 29, 2004); average Assante proprietary funds of \$8.3 billion (\$7.5 billion in the prior year), average managed labour-sponsored fund assets of \$0.2 billion (\$0.2 billion in the prior year), and average structured product assets of \$1.1 billion (\$0.9 billion in the prior year). Average institutional assets of \$3.0 billion were down 36% from \$4.7 billion in the quarter ended February 29, 2004, reflecting the change in categorization of



institutional assets from managed assets to administered/other assets effective February 1, 2005.

CI's assets as reported by IFIC were \$45.3 billion at February 28, 2005. This figure is \$3.9 billion below CI's actual \$49.2 billion in managed assets because IFIC uses a narrow definition of assets under management that does not include \$0.7 billion of Assante Artisan funds and separately managed client accounts, \$1.8 billion of segregated funds and hedge funds, \$0.2 billion of managed labour-sponsored funds and \$1.2 billion of structured products. As such, CI's assets as reported by IFIC should not be used when determining overall assets under management and product sales or conducting financial analysis of CI.

During the quarter, CI had net sales in the CI and Assante funds of \$478 million, an increase of 10% from \$437 million in the prior year. Sales of CI's funds, which comprised the majority of the net sales, benefited from CI's industry-leading lineup of Morningstar Canada five-star rated funds.

CI continued to be the industry's leader for performance as measured by Morningstar fund ratings. At February 28, 2005, CI was ranked first with 63 funds with the top five-star rating, while its nearest competitor had 20 five-star funds. This maintained CI's position of being ranked as one of the top two companies in the industry for 37 consecutive months based on total five-star funds.

During the quarter, Skylon's structured products and labour-sponsored funds experienced net redemptions of

\$36 million compared to net sales of \$326 million in the prior year. In addition, certain structured products are offered on an adhoc basis determined by potential investor demand for those specialized products. Sales are recorded on the date the transaction closes. In fiscal 2005, CI offered fewer structured products than in the prior year. Structured products are subject to annual redemption options that resulted in a number of Skylon's funds experiencing redemptions during the period.

■ FINANCIAL REVIEW

CI's business has two key segments: Asset Management and Asset Administration. The Asset Management segment earns the majority of CI's income and involves offering funds through brokers, independent financial planners, insurance advisors, Assante financial advisors, IQON financial advisors and Clarica financial advisors and through other financial institutions as underlying funds to their own proprietary fund products. The Asset Administration segment involves the dealership operations of Assante and IQON. The revenues and expenses of these segments are summarized in Note 3 to the third quarter financial statements and are described in the detailed discussion of "Revenues" and "Expenses" below.

Three months ended February 28, 2005

Revenues

CI's total revenues for the quarter ended February 28, 2005 were \$278.7 million, compared with \$255.0 million in the prior year – an increase of 9%. The increase resulted from the higher level of fee-earning assets produced by market appreciation and net sales, and the acquisition of IQON in the first quarter of fiscal 2005.

The most significant component of revenues for the quarter was management fees, which increased by 8% from \$205.8 million in the quarter ended February 29, 2004, to \$221.9 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2005. As a percentage of retail managed assets, management fees were 1.91% for the quarter, compared with 1.95% in the prior year. The decrease was a result of reductions in management fees of certain Clarica and Assante funds as well as an increased proportion of Class I funds and income funds that carry lower management fees than equity mutual funds.

Administration fees are fees earned predominantly on assets under administration in the Assante and IQON businesses, net of fees earned on Assante proprietary funds and CI funds (which are eliminated on consolidation), as well as fees earned from certain labour-sponsored funds and the administration of third-party assets. Administration fees rose from \$26.5 million in the prior year to \$28.9 million and were primarily attributable to revenues earned by the Assante and IQON dealerships. Administration fee revenue from the dealer business should be considered in conjunction with investment dealer fee expenses of \$20.9 million, which represent commission payments to Assante and IQON investment advisors on assets under administration under a specified formula or payout and which are described below under "Expenses". Details of revenues and expenses related to the Asset Administration segment before intersegment eliminations are on page 12 under "Segmented Reporting."

Redemption fees for the quarter increased from \$11.5 million in fiscal 2004 to \$12.2 million in fiscal 2005,

due to a slightly higher level of redemptions on funds for which investors were subject to redemption fees.

There was a realized gain on sale of marketable securities of \$7.4 million during the period, compared with a realized gain of \$0.1 million in the prior year.

Other income was \$8.3 million for the quarter ended February 28, 2005, down 25% from the \$11.1 million in the prior year. The decrease was primarily attributable to performance fee income earned by CI, which declined to \$0.1 million from \$2.6 million in the prior year, as the relevant funds did not exceed threshold returns required to generate performance fees. (Performance fees were disclosed separately from other income prior to the quarter ended November 30, 2004.) As well, revenue from BGAM was \$3.5 million, down from \$4.9 million in the prior year, due to CI's change in ownership interest.

Expenses

Total selling, general and administrative ("SG&A") expenses rose 28% from \$45.3 million to \$58.2 million as a result of option-related expense (as discussed in more detail below) which were \$9.7 million in fiscal 2005, compared to a \$5.7 million option expense reversal in fiscal 2004. Net of this expense, total SG&A declined from \$51.0 million to \$48.5 million.

Expenses incurred in the operation of the retail managed funds – which include the CI and Assante funds and which are recovered from the funds generally as incurred – decreased 11% from \$30.6 million to \$27.2 million. The drop in the cost of fund operations

reflected the benefits of economies of scale created by consolidating the fund operations of the Assante, Synergy and Skylon assets onto the CI administrative platform. This resulted in fund operating expenses as a percentage of retail managed assets declining 19% to 23.5 basis points for the quarter ended February 28, 2005, from 28.9 basis points in the quarter ended February 29, 2004. Fund operating expenses for the CI group of funds were 19.4 basis points, down 30% from 27.6 basis points for the same quarter last year. This permitted CI to reduce the management expense ratios (MERs) for the CI funds effective September 30, 2004 and again effective January 1, 2005 and for the Assante funds effective January 1, 2005.

Net SG&A expenses (net of expenses recovered from the funds) rose from \$14.7 million in fiscal 2004 to \$30.9 million in fiscal 2005. Net SG&A expenses included the effect of a \$9.0 million option expense, reflecting the impact of a \$0.90 increase in the price of CI common shares from \$16.30 at November 30, 2004 to \$17.20 at February 28, 2005, net of actual cash settlements. In fiscal 2004, net SG&A included the effect of an option expense reversal of \$7.1 million. Therefore, on a year-over-year basis, the option expense accounted for \$16.1 million of the increase in net SG&A expenses. Net SG&A expenses for the quarter excluding this expense were \$21.9 million, versus \$21.8 million in the prior year, essentially unchanged despite the 11% increase in average retail managed assets.

Net SG&A expenses attributable to the Asset Management segment for the quarter were \$19.6 million

versus \$5.6 million in the prior year and \$11.3 million was attributable to the Asset Administration segment for the quarter compared to \$9.1 million in the prior year. Net SG&A expenses of the Asset Management segment, adjusted for the option expense were \$10.6 million compared to \$12.7 million in the prior year and as a percentage of retail managed assets were 0.09% for the quarter, compared with 0.12% in the prior fiscal year. The decrease on a percentage basis reflected reduced spending during the quarter as well as asset growth over the year. Expenses of the Asset Administration segment rose from the quarter ended February 28, 2005, due to additional expenditures on the dealer back office systems as part of an overall program to improve the Asset Administration business and consolidate operations. Net SG&A expenses of the Asset Administration segment as a percentage of total assets under administration remained unchanged from the prior period at 0.19%.

Portfolio management expenses paid to CI's investment managers were \$17.0 million for the quarter, up 4% from \$16.4 million in the prior year, but below the 11% increase in average assets. As a percentage of retail assets under management, portfolio management expenses declined from 0.16% in the prior fiscal year to 0.15% for the quarter ended February 28, 2005. This reduction was achieved through cost-efficiencies realized by rationalizing investment management activities, efficiencies gained from market appreciation of the managed assets and changes to existing contracts.

Investment dealer fees are the direct costs attributable to the operation of the Assante and IQON dealerships and are primarily commission payments to financial

advisors based on the revenues generated from assets under administration, net of fees paid on Assante proprietary funds and CI funds (which are eliminated on consolidation). These fees were \$20.9 million for the quarter (\$18.8 million for the quarter ended February 29, 2004).

Trailer fees rose from \$55.8 million in fiscal 2004 to \$63.9 million in fiscal 2005, an increase of 15%. This increase, which was above the 11% increase in average assets, reflected the change in mix of CI's business towards front-end funds.

Amortization of deferred sales commissions increased from \$7.5 million to \$14.2 million. The increase reflects the higher sales commissions paid in recent quarters relative to the quarter ending February 29, 2004.

Interest expense decreased from \$2.9 million in fiscal 2004 to \$2.0 million in fiscal 2005 because of lower interest rates.

Other expenses remained flat at \$4.4 million in fiscal 2005 compared to the prior year. These include expenses related to the management of institutional assets at BGAM for the period up to January 31, 2005, which decreased to \$1.6 million from \$2.5 million in the prior year. Effective February 1, 2005, CI sold its interest to the investment managers at BGAM in return for revenue participation on BGAM's institutional assets. For the period commencing February 1, 2005, CI no longer includes BGAM expenses in its consolidated financial reporting. Other expenses

also includes distribution fees paid to limited partnerships, which decreased to \$1.1 million from \$1.4 million in the prior year. Prior to the quarter ended November 30, 2004, distribution fees to limited partnerships were separately disclosed. They have been included in other expenses because they are no longer considered material.

Minority interest for the quarter ended February 28, 2005 was \$0.7 million, down from \$1.5 million in the prior year. Minority interest reflects the 34% of BGAM owned by the investment managers of that firm prior to CI's sale effective February 1, 2005. Subsequent to this date, CI no longer has a minority interest expense related to BGAM.

Income before taxes was \$124.0 million for the quarter ended February 28, 2005, a decrease of 6% from \$132.3 million in the prior year.

The income tax provision decreased from \$45.3 million for the quarter ended February 29, 2004 to \$42.8 million in the current year. The effective tax rate was 34.5% in the third quarter of fiscal 2005, compared with 34.2% in the third quarter of the prior fiscal year.

Net income for the period was \$81.2 million (\$0.28 per share), compared with net income of \$87.0 million (\$0.29 per share) in the prior year. The decline was attributable to the effect of the option expense (as discussed above) which reduced net income for the period ended February 28, 2005 relative to the prior fiscal year by \$10.0 million and the increase in amortization of deferred sales commissions which reduced

net income by \$4.3 million. Though net income is the only measure of profitability that should be used, CI's option expense accrual, which changes based on the level of CI's share price, may cause shorter-term volatility in CI's net income. As a result, the effect of this expense is discussed for comparability purposes only. Adjusted for option expense, net income was \$87.0 million or \$0.30 per share, compared with \$82.8 million or \$0.28 in the prior year. The higher earnings reflected an increase in the overall profitability of CI as a result of market appreciation of the funds, the realization of cost synergies subsequent to the acquisitions in the prior fiscal year, and gains on the sale of marketable securities offset in part by the increase in amortized deferred sales commissions, as previously discussed.

Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA), free cash flow and operating margin, which are discussed below, are non-GAAP (generally accepted accounting principles) earnings measures; however, management believes that most shareholders, creditors, other stakeholders and investment analysts prefer to include the use of these performance measures in analyzing CI's results.

As shown in the following chart, EBITDA was \$145.3 million (\$0.49 per share) for the quarter, a slight decrease from \$146.2 million (\$0.49 per share) in fiscal 2004. Net of the effect of the option expense, EBITDA was up 11% to \$154.4 million (\$0.52 per share) for the quarter ended February 28, 2005, compared with \$139.1 million (\$0.47 per share) for the quarter ended February 29, 2004.

EBITDA CALCULATION

FOR THE THREE MONTHS
ENDED FEBRUARY 28

<i>(millions of dollars)</i>	2005	2004
Net Income	81.2	87.0
Add:		
Interest	2.0	2.9
Income taxes	42.8	45.3
Amortization	19.3	11.0
	64.1	59.2
EBITDA	145.3	146.2
per share	0.49	0.49
EBITDA		
adjusted for option expense	154.4	139.1
per share	0.52	0.47

As shown in the following chart, free cash flow (operating cash flow less sales commissions and minority interest) for the quarter was \$81.2 million, down from \$86.1 million in the prior fiscal year. There are two main contributors to the decrease in free cash flow. The first was the decrease in operating cash flow resulting from a higher level of current taxes (\$20.3 million compared to \$9.2 million in the prior year) and the \$10.0 million decrease in net income for the period due to option-related expenses. The second was the \$4.8 million increase in sales commissions paid during the quarter (\$43.5 million versus \$38.7 million in the prior year) as a result of higher sales of CI's funds.

CASH FLOW CALCULATION

FOR THE THREE MONTHS
ENDED FEBRUARY 28

<i>(millions of dollars)</i>	2005	2004
Cash flow from operations	125.4	126.3
Less:		
Minority interest	0.7	1.5
Sales commissions	43.5	38.7
	44.2	40.2
Free Cash Flow	81.2	86.1

Free cash flow exceeded the \$73.8 million CI paid in dividends during the quarter, however, the December 2004 dividend was a quarterly dividend of \$0.15 per share and the new monthly dividend of \$0.05 per share commenced in January 2005. Free cash flow significantly exceeded the total \$44.1 million in monthly dividends (\$0.05 per share per month) paid on January 15, February 15 and March 15, 2005.

CI's operating margin (management fees less trailer fees, portfolio management expenses and net SG&A expenses as a percentage of average retail managed assets, but excluding the effect of the option expense on its asset management business) is a measure of the contribution from CI's existing assets under management. However, because it excludes revenue and expense items such as redemption fees, amortization of deferred sales commissions, amortization of fund contracts and distribution fees to limited partnerships, it should not be used as a proxy for calculating profit. It is useful for understanding

the relative contribution and costs related to CI's assets under management for the quarter ended February 28, 2005. CI's operating margin was 1.12% for the quarter, down from 1.14% in the prior year. The decrease from the prior year was attributable to lower management fees, which decreased from 1.95% to 1.91%, and higher trailer fees, which rose from 0.53% to 0.55%, offset in part by lower net SG&A expenses, which fell from 0.12% to 0.09%; and lower portfolio management expenses, which declined from 0.16% to 0.15%.

Segmented Reporting

CI has two reportable segments: Asset Management and Asset Administration, which are described in Note 3 to the third quarter financial statements.

The Asset Management segment had total revenues of \$247.7 million, comprised mainly of management fees of \$221.9 million, up from total revenues of \$227.3 million and management fees of \$205.8 million in the prior year. Expenses related to the Asset Management segment totalled \$123.2 million, which included net selling, general and administrative expenses of \$19.6 million, portfolio management expenses of \$17.0 million, trailer fees of \$67.4 million (\$63.9 million net of intersegment eliminations), amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts of \$14.8 million, and other expenses of \$4.3 million. As a result, income before taxes and non-segmented items was \$124.5 million in the Asset Management business.

The Asset Administration segment had total revenues of \$59.8 million, of which \$57.6 million were administration fees (\$28.9 million net of intersegment

SEGMENTED HIGHLIGHTS

FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28

<i>(millions of dollars)</i>	Asset Management		Asset Administration	
	2005	2004	2005	2004
Management fees	221.9	205.8	–	–
Administration fees	–	–	57.6	48.8
Other revenue	25.8	21.5	2.2	1.3
Total revenue	247.7	227.3	59.8	50.1
Net selling, general and administrative	19.7	5.6	11.3	9.1
Portfolio management	17.0	16.4	–	–
Investment dealer fees	–	–	43.9	36.7
Trailer fees	67.4	59.2	–	–
Amortization of deferred sales				
commissions and fund contracts	14.8	7.9	0.4	0.3
Other expenses	4.3	4.3	–	0.1
Total expenses	123.2	93.4	55.6	46.2
Income before income taxes and non-segmented items (interest and minority interest)	124.5	133.9	4.2	3.9


eliminations). In the prior year, total revenues were \$50.1 million, including administration fees of \$48.8 million (\$26.5 million net of intersegment eliminations). Total expenses were \$55.6 million, which includes net selling, general and administrative expenses of \$11.3 million, investment dealer fees of \$43.9 million (\$20.9 million net of intersegment eliminations), and amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts of \$0.4 million. Income before taxes and non-segmented items was \$4.2 million for the Asset Administration business, consisting mainly of \$3.2 million at the Assante and IQON dealerships. Total assets under administration (including assets invested in CI and Assante funds as

well as BGAM institutional assets), at February 28, 2005 were \$29.0 billion, versus \$20.4 billion at the end of the third quarter of fiscal 2004.

Intersegment eliminations reduce income before income taxes and non-segmented items by \$1.9 million, (\$1.0 million in the quarter last year).

■ FINANCIAL POSITION

In the third quarter of fiscal 2005, CI financed \$43.5 million in sales commissions with cash, up from \$38.7 million in the prior year. The increase reflects a higher level of sales on a deferred load basis.



In the third quarter of fiscal 2005, CI repurchased 2,734,100 shares at a total cost of \$47.1 million or \$17.24 per share. No share repurchases were made in the first two quarters of fiscal 2005.

CI sold \$45.4 million in marketable securities during the quarter for a gain of \$7.4 million. At February 28, 2005, marketable securities, which consisted of seed capital investments and other portfolio investments, had a book value of \$53.5 million and had an unrealized gain of \$5.7 million. As these investments may increase or decrease in value, CI's future net income could be affected. A 10% increase or decrease in the market value of these securities relative to their current book value of \$53.5 million would affect income before tax by approximately \$5.4 million, which equates to an increase or decrease of approximately 4% of income before tax, based on the quarter ended February 28, 2005.

CI spent \$1.2 million on capital assets in the quarter ended February 28, 2005, primarily on computer hardware and software related to the CI fund administration operations and Assante dealership business.

CI paid total dividends to holders of common shares during the quarter of \$73.8 million. Dividends included the last quarterly dividend of \$0.15 per share paid on December 15, 2004 and the new monthly dividend of \$0.05 per share, which commenced in January 2005 and was paid in January and February 2005. These payments were made out of cash provided by operating activities of \$81.1 million for the quarter.

At February 28, 2005, CI's total debt was \$307.2 million, of which \$12.8 million is classified as current. The debt is part of CI's \$500 million revolving bank loan facility, which is renewed annually, most recently in December 2004. At February 28, 2005, there was \$192.8 million in available unused borrowing capacity. Total debt, net of cash and marketable securities, was \$213.8 million at February 28, 2005, compared with \$191.3 million at May 31, 2004.

At February 28, 2005, CI's mutual fund assets had a terminal redemption value of \$798 million, down from \$817 million at May 31, 2004. The decline is a result of an increase in the average age of deferred load funds under management.

The increase in fund administration contracts (\$35.8 million versus \$31.9 million at year-end) and increase in goodwill (\$951.0 million versus \$919.2 million at year-end) are related to the acquisitions of IQON and Synera as described in Note 2 to the third quarter financial statements.

Nine months ended February 28, 2005

Revenues

CI's total revenues for the nine months ended February 28, 2005, were \$801.2 million, compared with \$580.7 million in the prior year – an increase of 38%. The increase resulted from the higher level of fee-earning assets produced by market appreciation and net sales, the acquisitions of Synergy, Skylon and Assante in the year ended May 31, 2004, and the acquisition of IQON at the beginning of the current fiscal year. The most

significant component of revenues for the nine months was management fees, which increased by 32% from \$493.7 million in the quarter ended February 29, 2004, to \$649.7 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2005.

Administration fees are fees earned predominantly on assets under administration in the Assante and IQON businesses net of fees earned on Assante proprietary funds and CI funds (which are eliminated on consolidation), as well as fees earned from certain labour-sponsored funds and the administration of third-party assets. Administration fees rose from \$32.6 million in the prior year to \$83.6 million and were primarily attributable to revenues earned by the Assante and IQON dealerships. Administration fee revenue from the dealer business should be considered in conjunction with net investment dealer fee expenses of \$59.7 million, which represent payments to Assante and IQON investment advisors on assets under administration under a specified formula or payout and which are described below under “Expenses.” Details of revenues and expenses related to the Asset Administration segment before intersegment eliminations for the nine months ended February 28, 2005 are on page 18 under “Segmented Reporting”.

Redemption fees for the nine months increased from \$31.4 million in fiscal 2004 to \$35.4 million in fiscal 2005, due to the addition of the Synergy and Assante funds and their related redemption fees.

There was a realized gain on the sale of marketable securities of \$6.7 million during the period, compared with a realized gain of \$0.4 million in the prior year.

Other income was \$25.8 million for the nine months ended February 28, 2005, up 14% from the prior year. The increase was primarily from non-administrative fee income earned by Assante of \$9.4 million (\$3.8 million in the prior year). As well, income from BGAM was \$13.0 million, down from \$13.9 million in the prior year reflecting lower institutional assets. Other income also includes performance fees of \$0.1 million (\$2.8 million for the nine months ended February 29, 2004) that were earned during the period.

Expenses

Total selling, general and administrative (“SG&A”) expenses rose 58% from \$133.1 million to \$210.8 million, reflecting the significant growth in the overall business, including the asset administration business, as well as the \$53 million compensation payment to unitholders in certain funds that was set up in the quarter ended November 30, 2004.

Expenses incurred in the operation of the retail managed funds – which include the CI and Assante funds and which are recovered from the funds generally as incurred – rose from \$79.0 million to \$83.4 million. The increase in the cost of fund operations reflected the additional cost of the Synergy, Skylon and Assante assets acquired in fiscal 2004. Due to the achievement of cost synergies on the acquired assets, combined with the benefits of economies of scale created by the market appreciation of the CI funds, the 6% cost increase was significantly below the 29% increase in average retail managed assets for the same period. This resulted in fund operating expenses as a percentage of managed retail assets declining 18% to

24.7 basis points for the nine months ended February 28, 2005, from 30.2 basis points in the nine months ended February 29, 2004.

SG&A expenses, net of expenses recovered from the funds, rose from \$54.1 million in fiscal 2004 to \$127.4 million in fiscal 2005.

Net SG&A expenses attributable to the Asset Management segment were \$96.5 million and \$30.9 million was attributable to the Asset Administration segment. Net SG&A expenses, excluding the effect of the option expense and the cost of compensation to CI's unitholders, of the Asset Management segment as a percentage of retail managed assets were 0.10% for the period, compared with 0.09% in the prior fiscal year. Net SG&A expenses of the Asset Administration segment as a percentage of total assets under administration were 0.17% for the nine months (0.21% in the prior year).

Portfolio management expenses were \$49.3 million for the nine months, up 20% from \$41.1 million, but below the 29% increase in average assets. As a percentage of retail assets under management, portfolio management expenses declined from 16 basis points in the prior fiscal year to 15 basis points for the nine months ended February 28, 2005. This reduction was achieved through cost-efficiencies realized by rationalizing investment management activities, efficiencies gained from market appreciation of the managed assets, and changes to existing contracts.

Investment dealer fees are the direct costs attributable to the operation of the Assante and IQON dealerships,

including commission payments to financial advisors based on the revenues generated from assets under administration net of fees paid on Assante proprietary funds and CI funds (which are eliminated on consolidation). These fees were \$59.7 million for the nine months (\$21.6 million for the nine months ended February 29, 2004).

Trailer fees rose from \$140.4 million in fiscal 2004 to \$182.0 million in fiscal 2005, an increase of 30%. This increase is comparable to the increase in average assets, reflecting the trailer fees on the Skylon, Synergy and Assante assets, as well as the market appreciation of CI's funds.

Amortization of deferred sales commissions increased from \$23.0 million to \$39.1 million. The increase reflects the higher sales commissions paid in the past four quarters (\$145.7 million), largely due to the acquisitions in the third quarter of fiscal 2004, versus those of the four quarters ending February 29, 2004 (\$106.3 million).

Interest expense decreased slightly from \$6.4 million in fiscal 2004 to \$6.1 million in fiscal 2005 because of lower interest rates paid on CI's outstanding debt.

Other expenses declined to \$13.6 million from \$14.4 million in the prior year. These include expenses related to the management of institutional assets BGAM which dropped to \$6.8 million from \$7.5 million in the prior year. Other expenses also include distribution fees to limited partnerships of \$3.4 million, down from \$4.3 million in the prior year.

Minority interest for the nine months ended February 28, 2005, was \$3.2 million, down from \$4.0 million in the prior year. Minority interest reflects the 34% of BGAM owned by the investment managers of that firm during the period prior to February 1, 2005.

Income before taxes was \$318.5 million for the nine months ended February 28, 2005, an increase of 16% from \$275.0 million in the prior year.

The income tax provision decreased from \$129.4 million in fiscal 2004 to \$114.6 million in the current year. The effective tax rate was 36% for the nine months ended February 28, 2005, compared with 47% in the prior fiscal year. The greater effective tax rate in fiscal 2004 was due to higher future income tax rates that arose because of announced increases to Ontario's corporate tax rate.

Net income for the period was \$203.9 million (\$0.69 per share), compared with net income of \$145.6 million (\$0.56 per share) in the prior year. This reflected an increase in the overall profitability of CI as a result of market appreciation in the funds, the realization of significant synergies subsequent to the acquisitions in the prior fiscal year and the negative impact in fiscal 2004 of higher tax provisions and higher option-related expenses, offset partly by the accrual for expenses related to unitholder compensation and the accrual for option-related expenses.

As shown in the following chart, EBITDA was \$377.7 million (\$1.28 per share) for the nine months, an increase of 22% from \$309.0 million (\$1.19 per share) in fiscal 2004.

EBITDA CALCULATION

FOR THE NINE MONTHS
ENDED FEBRUARY 28

<i>(millions of dollars)</i>	2005	2004
Net Income	203.9	145.6
Add:		
Interest	6.1	6.4
Income taxes	114.6	129.4
Amortization	53.1	27.6
	173.8	163.4
EBITDA	377.7	309.0
per share	1.28	1.19

CASH FLOW CALCULATION

FOR THE NINE MONTHS
ENDED FEBRUARY 28

<i>(millions of dollars)</i>	2005	2004
Cash flow from operations	303.1	259.6
Less:		
Minority interest	3.2	4.0
Sales commissions	102.0	82.1
	105.2	86.1
Free Cash Flow	197.9	173.5

As shown in the following chart, free cash flow (operating cash flow less sales commissions and minority interest) for the nine months was \$197.9 million, an increase of 14% from \$173.5 million in the prior fiscal year. The increase in profitability was offset partly by an increase in sales commissions paid during the period.

Segmented Reporting

CI has two reportable segments: Asset Management and Asset Administration, which are described in Note 3 to the third quarter financial statements.

The Asset Management segment had total revenues of \$712.7 million (\$546.6 million in the prior year),

comprised mainly of management fees of \$649.7 million (\$493.7 million last year). The increase is due to the acquisition of Assante during the second quarter last year, while this year includes a full nine months of Assante's results. Expenses related to the Asset Management segment totalled \$392.6 million, which included net selling, general and administrative expenses of \$96.5 million, portfolio management expenses of \$49.3 million, trailer fees of \$192.5 million, amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts of \$41.0 million and other expenses of \$13.3 million. Income before taxes and non-segmented items was \$320.1 million in the Asset Management business.

SEGMENTED HIGHLIGHTS

FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28

<i>(millions of dollars)</i>	Asset Management		Asset Administration	
	2005	2004	2005	2004
Management fees	649.7	493.7	–	–
Administration fees	–	–	160.8	58.2
Other revenue	63.0	52.9	4.8	1.6
Total revenue	712.7	546.6	165.6	59.8
Net selling, general and administrative	96.5	42.4	30.9	11.6
Portfolio management	49.3	41.1	–	–
Investment dealer fees	–	–	121.5	42.2
Trailer fees	192.5	143.8	–	–
Amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts	41.0	23.4	1.1	0.3
Other expenses	13.3	14.2	0.2	0.3
Total expenses	392.6	264.9	153.7	54.4
Income before income taxes and non-segmented items (interest and minority interest)	320.1	281.7	11.9	5.4

The Asset Administration segment had total revenues of \$165.6 million, of which \$160.8 million (\$83.6 million net of intersegment eliminations) were from administration fees. Total expenses were \$153.7 million, which includes net selling, general and administrative expenses of \$30.9 million, investment dealer fees of \$121.5 million (\$59.7 million net of intersegment eliminations) and amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts of \$1.1 million. Income before taxes and non-segmented items was \$11.9 million for the Asset Administration business and \$8.8 million for the Assante and IQON dealerships.

Intersegment eliminations reduce income before income taxes and non-segmented items by \$4.2 million. Non-segmented items are interest expense (\$6.1 million), minority interest (\$3.2 million) and provision for income taxes (\$114.6 million).

■ **OUTLOOK**

Global markets have made significant gains over the past four months, which have been reflected in CI's assets under management.

Overall performance of CI's funds continues to be very good, as shown by CI having the industry's most five-star rated funds, with 63. This leading performance contributed to strong sales, with CI generating over \$1.0 billion in net sales of CI and Assante funds during the 2005 RSP season – making it the leader of the non-bank owned mutual fund companies.

In addition, CI continues to focus on reducing fund operating expenses to allow CI to continue to reduce the management expense ratios of its funds. CI believes its ability to operate its funds cost effectively in conjunction with good performance gives it a competitive advantage over higher cost competitors.

Changes announced by the federal government to eliminate foreign content limits will allow CI to further simplify its fund lineup and reduce expenses to fund unitholders.

CI reported net sales of CI and Assante funds of \$598 million for March 2005. This represents an increase from \$209 million in net sales in March 2004 making it CI's best sales month since March 2000 and according to IFIC, the best in sales amongst all mutual fund companies in March 2005.

The Board of Directors declared a monthly dividend of \$0.05 per common share payable on each of May 13, June 15, and July 15, 2005 to shareholders of record on May 1, June 1 and July 1, 2005, respectively.



WILLIAM T. HOLLAND
President and Chief Executive Officer

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND DEFICIT

FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28 (UNAUDITED)

<i>(thousands of dollars, except per share amounts)</i>	2005	2004
REVENUE		
Management fees	221,898	205,807
Administration fees	28,866	26,460
Redemption fees	12,221	11,536
Gain on sale of marketable securities	7,449	126
Other income	8,279	11,119
	278,713	255,048
EXPENSES		
Selling, general and administrative	58,170	45,283
Less: expenses recovered from funds	27,240	30,603
Net selling, general and administrative	30,930	14,680
Portfolio management	17,026	16,429
Investment dealer fees	20,865	18,826
Trailer fees	63,860	55,810
Amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts	14,902	8,178
Interest	2,009	2,948
Other	4,402	4,424
	153,994	121,295
Minority interest	722	1,484
Income before income taxes	123,997	132,269
Provision for income taxes		
Current	20,251	9,181
Future	22,562	36,109
	42,813	45,290
Net income for the period	81,184	86,979
Deficit, beginning of period	(165,565)	(297,334)
Cost of shares repurchased in excess of stated value	(31,002)	(5,681)
Dividends declared	(73,793)	(29,578)
Deficit, end of period	(189,176)	(245,614)
Earnings per share <i>[note 4(c)]</i>	0.28	0.29

(see accompanying notes)

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND DEFICIT

FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28 (UNAUDITED)

<i>(thousands of dollars, except per share amounts)</i>	2005	2004
REVENUE		
Management fees	649,670	493,655
Administration fees	83,595	32,566
Redemption fees	35,430	31,428
Gain on sale of marketable securities	6,656	385
Other income	25,828	22,696
	801,179	580,730
EXPENSES		
Selling, general and administrative <i>[note 5]</i>	210,767	133,081
Less: expenses recovered from funds	83,360	79,028
Net selling, general and administrative	127,407	54,053
Portfolio management	49,305	41,126
Investment dealer fees	59,725	21,642
Trailer fees	181,997	140,404
Amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts	41,392	23,655
Interest	6,050	6,391
Other	13,584	14,440
	479,460	301,711
Minority interest	3,188	3,974
Income before income taxes	318,531	275,045
Provision for income taxes		
Current	73,661	59,181
Future	40,956	70,219
	114,617	129,400
Net income for the period	203,914	145,645
Deficit, beginning of period	(207,115)	(305,932)
Cost of shares repurchased in excess of stated value	(31,002)	(13,457)
Dividends declared	(154,973)	(71,870)
Deficit, end of period	(189,176)	(245,614)
Earnings per share <i>[note 4(c)]</i>	0.69	0.56

(see accompanying notes)

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28 (UNAUDITED)

<i>(thousands of dollars)</i>	2005	2004
■ OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net income for the period	81,184	86,979
Add (deduct) items not involving cash		
Gain on sale of marketable securities	(7,449)	(126)
Amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts	14,902	8,178
Amortization of other	4,414	2,820
Stock-based compensation	9,038	(9,100)
Minority interest	722	1,484
Future income taxes	22,562	36,109
	125,372	126,344
Net change in non-cash working capital balances related to operations	(44,273)	(39,728)
Cash provided by operating activities	81,099	86,616
■ INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Additions to capital assets	(1,246)	(2,129)
Purchase of marketable securities	(31,263)	(6,615)
Proceeds on sale of marketable securities	45,430	9,109
Sales commissions	(43,523)	(38,669)
Cash used in investing activities	(30,602)	(38,304)
■ FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Long-term debt	79,261	1,925
Repurchase of share capital	(47,128)	(9,513)
Issuance of share capital	128	989
Distributions to minority interest	61	(1,311)
Dividends paid to shareholders	(73,792)	(29,578)
Cash used in financing activities	(41,470)	(37,488)
Net increase in cash during the period	9,027	10,824
Cash, beginning of period	30,871	27,507
Cash, end of period	39,898	38,331
■ SUPPLEMENTAL CASH FLOW INFORMATION		
Interest paid	1,756	2,349
Income taxes paid	43,388	23,558

(see accompanying notes)

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28 (UNAUDITED)

<i>(thousands of dollars)</i>	2005	2004
■ OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net income for the period	203,914	145,645
Add (deduct) items not involving cash		
Gain on sale of marketable securities	(6,656)	(385)
Amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts	41,392	23,655
Amortization of other	11,710	3,908
Stock-based compensation	8,601	12,632
Minority interest	3,188	3,974
Future income taxes	40,956	70,219
	303,105	259,648
Net change in non-cash working capital balances related to operations	17,083	(16,882)
Cash provided by operating activities	320,188	242,766
■ INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Additions to capital assets	(5,877)	(3,303)
Purchase of marketable securities	(83,286)	(31,532)
Proceeds on sale of marketable securities	65,293	14,824
Sales commissions	(101,990)	(82,141)
Cash paid on acquisitions, including transaction costs, net of cash acquired <i>[note 2]</i>	(37,259)	(411,937)
Cash used in investing activities	(163,119)	(514,089)
■ FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Long-term debt	62,020	137,373
Repurchase of share capital	(47,128)	(21,392)
Issuance of share capital	188	267,370
Distributions to minority interest	(2,395)	(3,600)
Dividends paid to shareholders	(154,973)	(71,870)
Cash (used in) provided by financing activities	(142,288)	307,881
Net increase in cash during the period	14,781	36,558
Cash, beginning of period	25,117	1,773
Cash, end of period	39,898	38,331
■ SUPPLEMENTAL CASH FLOW INFORMATION		
Interest paid	6,160	5,390
Income taxes paid	81,417	68,362

(see accompanying notes)

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(UNAUDITED)

<i>(thousands of dollars)</i>	As at February 28, 2005	As at May 31, 2004
ASSETS		
Current		
Cash	39,898	25,117
Client and trust funds on deposit	161,234	89,966
Marketable securities	53,481	28,829
Accounts receivable and prepaid expenses	106,115	96,438
Income taxes recoverable	2,606	6,881
Future income taxes <i>[note 5]</i>	20,323	27,865
Total current assets	383,657	275,096
Capital assets	21,630	26,085
Deferred sales commissions, net of accumulated amortization of \$305,405 (May 31, 2004 - \$266,265)	316,681	253,867
Fund contracts	1,013,529	1,010,682
Goodwill	951,026	919,203
Other assets	7,177	8,829
	2,693,700	2,493,762
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities <i>[note 5]</i>	168,510	116,068
Client and trust funds payable	161,234	89,966
Income taxes payable	6,914	11,396
Stock-based compensation	30,426	46,127
Deferred revenue	4,093	4,272
Current portion of long-term debt	12,799	25,538
Total current liabilities	383,976	293,367
Deferred lease inducements	2,337	2,712
Long-term debt	294,386	219,627
Future income taxes	477,132	442,765
Total liabilities	1,157,831	958,471
Minority interest	-	1,422
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital <i>[note 4]</i>	1,725,045	1,740,983
Deficit	(189,176)	(207,114)
Total shareholders' equity	1,535,869	1,533,869
	2,693,700	2,493,762

(see accompanying notes)

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FEBRUARY 28, 2005 AND 2004 (UNAUDITED)

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The unaudited interim consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"), except that certain disclosures required for annual financial statements have not been included. Accordingly, the unaudited interim consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended May 31, 2004. The unaudited interim financial statements have been prepared on a basis consistent with the accounting policies set out in the audited annual consolidated financial statements.

2. BUSINESS ACQUISITIONS

On June 3, 2004, CI completed its acquisition of all of the outstanding shares of IQON Financial Management Inc. and Synera Financial Services Inc., from Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, a related party, which have networks of financial and insurance advisors. As consideration, CI paid \$38.5 million in cash.

The above acquisitions were accounted for using the purchase method and the results of operations have been consolidated from the date of acquisition.

Details of the net assets acquired, at fair value, are as follows:

	(\$ thousands)
Cash	1,241
Trust funds on deposit	92
Accounts receivable and prepaid expenses	1,996
Capital assets	717
Marketable securities	1,053
Fund administration contracts	5,100
Other assets	335
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(2,175)
Trust funds payable	(92)
Future income taxes	(954)
Other liabilities	(636)
Goodwill on acquisition	31,823
	38,500

The goodwill on acquisitions is not deductible for income tax purposes and is included in the Asset Administration segment.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FEBRUARY 28, 2005 AND 2004 (UNAUDITED)

3. SEGMENTED INFORMATION

CI has two reportable segments: Asset Management and Asset Administration. These segments reflect CI's internal financial reporting and performance measurement. CI has realigned its internal financial reporting with the result that the former segment called Other is now combined with the Asset Management segment.

The Asset Management segment includes the operating results and net assets of CI Mutual Funds Inc. and Assante Asset Management Ltd., which derive their revenues principally from the fees earned on the management of several families of mutual and segregated funds.

The Asset Administration segment includes the operating results and net assets of Assante Advisory Services Ltd. and most of its subsidiaries including Assante Capital Management Ltd., Assante Financial Management Ltd. and IQON Financial Management Inc. These companies derive their revenues principally from commissions and fees earned on the sale of mutual and segregated funds and other financial products and ongoing service to clients.

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FEBRUARY 28, 2005 AND 2004 (UNAUDITED)

(\$ thousands)

<i>For the three months ended February 28</i>	Asset Management		Asset Administration		Intersegment Eliminations		Total	
	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004
Management fees	221,898	205,807	-	-	-	-	221,898	205,807
Administration fees	-	-	57,621	48,807	(28,755)	(22,347)	28,866	26,460
Other revenue	25,804	21,452	2,145	1,329	-	-	27,949	22,781
Total revenue	247,702	227,259	59,766	50,136	(28,755)	(22,347)	278,713	255,048
Net selling, general and administrative	19,643	5,585	11,287	9,095	-	-	30,930	14,680
Portfolio management	17,026	16,429	-	-	-	-	17,026	16,429
Investment dealer fees	-	-	43,869	36,704	(23,004)	(17,878)	20,865	18,826
Trailer fees	67,371	59,160	-	-	(3,511)	(3,350)	63,860	55,810
Amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts	14,836	7,925	376	325	(309)	(72)	14,902	8,178
Other expenses	4,331	4,310	70	114	-	-	4,402	4,424
Total expenses	123,207	93,409	55,602	46,238	(26,824)	(21,300)	151,985	118,347
Income before income taxes and non-segmented items	124,495	133,850	4,164	3,898	(1,931)	(1,047)	126,728	136,701
Interest expense							2,009	2,948
Minority interest							722	1,484
Provision for income taxes							42,813	45,290
Net income							81,184	86,979

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FEBRUARY 28, 2005 AND 2004 (UNAUDITED)

(\$ thousands)

<i>For the nine months ended February 28</i>	Asset Management		Asset Administration		Intersegment Eliminations		Total	
	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004
Management fees	649,670	493,655	-	-	-	-	649,670	493,655
Administration fees	-	-	160,765	58,216	(77,170)	(25,650)	83,595	32,566
Other revenue	63,077	52,895	4,837	1,614	-	-	67,914	54,509
Total revenue	712,747	546,550	165,602	59,830	(77,170)	(25,650)	801,179	580,730
Net selling, general and administrative	96,493	42,426	30,914	11,627	-	-	127,407	54,053
Portfolio management	49,305	41,126	-	-	-	-	49,305	41,126
Investment dealer fees	-	-	121,461	42,162	(61,736)	(20,520)	59,725	21,642
Trailer fees	192,498	143,754	-	-	(10,501)	(3,350)	181,997	140,404
Amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts	40,981	23,402	1,128	325	(717)	(72)	41,392	23,655
Other expenses	13,371	14,186	213	254	-	-	13,584	14,440
Total expenses	392,648	264,894	153,716	54,368	(72,954)	(23,942)	473,410	295,320
Income before income taxes and non-segmented items	320,099	281,656	11,886	5,462	(4,216)	(1,708)	327,769	285,410
Interest expense							6,050	6,391
Minority interest							3,188	3,974
Provision for income taxes							114,617	129,400
Net income							203,914	145,645
Identifiable assets	1,496,820	1,352,572	223,610	240,577	(7,706)	(1,903)	1,712,724	1,591,246
Goodwill	815,303	818,997	135,723	102,088	-	-	951,026	921,085
Total assets	2,312,123	2,177,591	359,333	342,665	(7,706)	(1,903)	2,663,750	2,518,353

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FEBRUARY 28, 2005 AND 2004 (UNAUDITED)

4. SHARE CAPITAL

a) a summary of the changes to CI's share capital is as follows:

	Common Shares (thousands)	Amount (\$ thousands)
May 31, 2004	295,199	1,740,983
Share issuance	2	30
August 31, 2004	295,201	1,741,013
Share issuance	2	30
November 30, 2004	295,203	1,741,043
Share issuance	7	128
Share repurchase	(2,734)	(16,126)
February 28, 2005	292,476	1,725,045

b) a summary of the changes to CI's incentive stock option plan is as follows:

	Number of Options (thousands)	Weighted average exercise price (\$)
May 31, 2004	9,686	10.81
Options granted	15	15.86
Options exercised	(329)	5.64
Options cancelled	(30)	15.01
August 31, 2004	9,342	10.98
Options granted	15	15.67
Options exercised	(12)	5.55
Options cancelled	(27)	13.56
November 30, 2004	9,318	10.99
Options exercised	(2,166)	6.60
February 28, 2005	7,152	12.32

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FEBRUARY 28, 2005 AND 2004 (UNAUDITED)

Options outstanding and exercisable as at February 28, 2005 are as follows:

Exercise price (\$)	Number of options outstanding (thousands)	Weighted average remaining contractual life (years)	Number of options exercisable (thousands)
4.73	228	0.6	228
4.78	23	0.1	23
10.51	1,724	3.1	516
11.00	625	1.1	345
11.27	1,115	2.1	500
12.01	1,176	2.2	745
15.59	2,231	4.1	–
15.67	15	4.4	–
15.86	15	4.6	–
4.73 to 15.86	7,152	2.9	2,357

c) The weighted average number of shares outstanding for the three month period ended February 28 were:

(thousands)	2005	2004
Basic and diluted	294,581	295,553

The weighted average number of shares outstanding for the nine month period ended February 28 were:

(thousands)	2005	2004
Basic and diluted	294,997	259,008

d) The following table presents the maximum number of shares that would be outstanding if all of the outstanding options as at March 31, 2005 were exercised:

	(thousands)
Common shares outstanding at March 31, 2005	288,928
Options to purchase common shares	7,096
	296,024

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FEBRUARY 28, 2005 AND 2004 (UNAUDITED)

5. COMMITMENTS

On December 10, 2004, CI Mutual Funds Inc. ("CIMF") reached a settlement with the Ontario Securities Commission relating to concerns raised with respect to certain trading by a small number of institutional investors in certain of CIMF's mutual funds. Under the settlement agreement, CIMF agreed to make a payment of \$49.3 million, plus interest at the rate of 5% per annum from the date of settlement, to investors in its mutual funds that were affected by this trading. This payment is secured by a letter of credit. CI recorded a \$33.9 million after-tax charge to income in the second quarter to reflect the settlement and related costs.

6. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Certain figures for fiscal 2004 have been reclassified to conform with the financial presentation in the current year.

On April 6, 2005, the Board of Directors declared a cash dividend of \$0.05 per share payable on each of May 13, June 15 and July 15, 2005 to shareholders of record on May 1, June 1 and July 1, 2005, respectively.

This Third Quarter Report contains forward-looking statements with respect to CI and its products and services, including its business operations and strategy and financial performance and condition. Although management believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, such statements involve risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ materially from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from expectations include, among other things, general economic and market factors, including interest rates, business competition, changes in government regulations or in tax laws, and other factors discussed in materials filed with applicable securities regulatory authorities from time to time.

