Computation of Ratios of Earnings to Fixed Charges

		FOR THE THREE Months ended				FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED	
Earnings from continuing operations	\$	52,335	\$	123,584	\$	145,974	
Income taxes		26,568		58,299		59,564	
Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes	\$	78,903	\$	181,883	\$	205,538	
Fixed charges:							
Interest, long-term debt	\$	18,144	\$	54,505	\$	71,638	
Interest, other (including interest on short-term debt) ⁽¹⁾		(2,338)		4,939		12,945	
Amortization of debt expense, premium, net		574		1,714		1,867	
Portion of rentals representative of an interest factor		110		328		431	
Interest of capitalized lease		481		1,469		1,976	
Total fixed charges	\$	16,971	\$	62,955	\$	88,857	
Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes	\$	78,903	\$	181,883	\$	205,538	
Plus: total fixed charges from above		16,971		62,955		88,857	
Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes and fixed charges	\$	95,874	\$	244,838	\$	294,395	
Ratio of earnings to fixed charges		5.65	Х	3.89 ×		3.31 >	

(1) Includes interest recognized for uncertain tax positions