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FORM 10-Q SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Quarterly Report Under Section 13 or 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For Quarter Ended March 31, 1994

Commission File Number 1-8351

incorporation or organization)

2600 Chemed Center, 255 E. Fifth Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

(513) 762-6900 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

Class Amount Date

Capital Stock 9,844,553 Shares April 29, 1994 \$1 Par Value

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION Item 1. Financial Statements CHEMED CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET (in thousands except share and per share data) UNAUDITED

M. 	March 31, 1994	December 31, 1993
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents \$	12,833	\$ 14,615
Marketable securities	1,095	1,200
Accounts receivable, less allowances of \$2,512 (1993 - \$2,391)	73 , 389	58 , 350
Current portion of note receivable	6,000	5,627
Inventories		
Raw materials	5,364	6 , 977
Finished goods and general merchandise	48,441	47,768
Other current assets	12,585	10,677
Total current assets	159,707	145,214
Investment in affiliate	29,913	30,656
Other Investments	50,940	37 , 657
Note receivable	10,413	10,413
Properties and equipment, at cost less accumulated depreciation		
depreciation of \$35,331 (1993 - \$33,952)	73,429	70,758
Identifiable intangible assets less accumulated amortization		
of \$1,145 (1993 - \$884)	21,905	22,166
Goodwill less accumulated amortization of \$14,870 (1993 - \$14,073)	109,975	94,867

Other assets		19,037		18,522
Total Assets	\$	475,319	\$	430,253
LIABILITIES	==		==	======
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	26,188	\$	24,124
Bank notes and loans payable				25,000
Current portion of long-term debt				5,688
Income taxes		23,513		20,448
Deferred contract revenue		23,547		23,783
Other current liabilities		35,760		28,606
Total current liabilities		139,864		
Deferred income taxes		3,195		
Long-term debt		110,255		98,059
Other liabilities and deferred income		38,068		35,009
Minority interest		33,260		
Total Liabilities		324,642		293,102
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Capital stock-authorized 15,000,000 shares \$1 par;				
issued 12,189,499 (1993 - 12,087,894) shares		12,190		12,088
Paid-in capital		135,708		132,095
Retained earnings		100,510		
Unrealized appreciation on investments		9,824		_
Treasury stock - 2,343,840 (1993 - 2,289,120) shares, at cost		(65,703)		(63,914)
Unearned compensation - ESOPs		(41,852)		(42,969)
Total Stockholders' Equity		150,677		•
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$	475,319	\$	430,253
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See accompanying notes to unaudited financial statements.

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Three Months Ended

CHEMED CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME UNAUDITED

(in thousands except per share data)

	March 31,	
	1994	1993
Sales Service revenues	\$ 97,585 54,484	\$ 94,932 25,587
Total sales and service revenues	152,069	120,519
Cost of goods sold Cost of services provided Selling and marketing expenses General and administrative expenses Depreciation	67,120 34,038 23,307 19,280	65,031 14,479 21,616 13,451 2,050
Total costs and expenses	146,399	116,627
Income from operations Interest expense Other income - net		3,892 (2,273) 4,670
<pre>Income before income taxes, equity earnings and minority interest Income taxes Equity in earnings of affiliate Minority interest in earnings of subsidiaries</pre>	(4,047) 621	6,289 (1,964) 479 (726)
Income before cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle Cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle	5,677 - 	4,078 1,651

Net Income	\$	5,677	\$	5,729
	==	======	==	======
Earnings Per Common Share Income before cumulative effect of a				
change in accounting principle	\$.58	\$.42
	==	======	==	
Net income	\$.58	\$.59
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Average number of shares outstanding		9,824		9,766
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Cash Dividends Paid Per Share	\$.51	\$.50
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See accompanying notes to unaudited financial statements.

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CHEMED CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS UNAUDITED (in thousands)

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	1994	1993*
Cash Flows From Operating Activities		
Net income	\$ 5,677	\$ 5,729
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Gain on sale of investments	(4,827)	(2,637)
Depreciation and amortization	3,909	2,976
Proceeds from sale of trading securities	1,041	-
Purchase of trading securities	(1,000)	-
Minority interest in earnings of subsidiaries	833	726
Provision for uncollectible accounts receivable	418	446
Provision for deferred income taxes	(212)	1,223
Cumulative effect of a change in		
accounting principle	-	(1,651)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities,		
excluding amounts acquired in business combinat		
(Increase)/decrease in accounts receivable Decrease in inventories and other	(2,686)	1,262
current assets	64	2,374
(Increase)/decrease in accounts payable, deferred contract revenue and other		
current liabilities	2,019	(387)
(Increase)/decrease in income taxes	3,265	(1,636)
Other - net	(1,395)	(1,598)
Net cash provided by operating activities	7,106	6 , 827
Cash Flows From Investing Activities		
Business combinations, net of cash acquired	(14,822)	(958)
Proceeds from sale of investments	8,464	2,637
Capital expenditures	(5,025)	(3,065)
Proceeds from sale of marketable securities	_	48,690
Purchase of marketable securities	_	(35,810)
Other - net	(302)	(187)
Net cash provided/(used) by investing activities	(11,685)	11,307
Cash Flows From Financing Activities		_
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt	10,000	_
Dividends paid	(5,018)	(4,885)
Repayment of long-term debt	(3,526)	(231)
Issuance of capital stock	2,389	1,121
Purchase of treasury stock	(1,789)	
Other - net	741	61

Net cash used by financing activities	2,797	(4,942)
Increase/(Decrease) In Cash And Cash Equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	(1,782) 14,615	13,192 14,527
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 12,833 =======	\$ 27,719

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See accompanying notes to unaudited financial statements.

* Reclassified to conform to 1994 presentation.

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Notes to Unaudited Financial Statements

- 1. The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Rule 10-01 of SEC Regulation S-X. Consequently, they do not include all the disclosures required under generally accepted accounting principles for complete financial statements. However, in the opinion of the management of Chemed Corporation (the "Company"), the financial statements presented herein contain all adjustments (consisting only of normal recurring adjustments) necessary to present fairly the financial position, results of operations and cash flows of the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries ("Chemed"). For further information regarding Chemed's accounting policies, refer to the consolidated financial statements and notes included in Chemed's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1993.
- Primary earnings per common share are computed using the weighted average number of shares of capital stock outstanding and exclude the dilutive effect of outstanding stock options as it is not material.
- 3. Equity in earnings of affiliate represents Chemed's aftertax share of the net income of Omnicare, Inc. ("Omnicare"), a public company operating in the health care industry whose stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange. At March 31, 1994, the Company's investment in Omnicare of \$29,913,000 was \$3,239,000 in excess of its 26% equity interest (\$3,451,000 at December 31, 1993). The market value of the Company's investment at March 31, 1994, based on that day's closing market price of \$29 3/4, was \$71,117,000. Chemed received cash dividends totaling \$114,000 during the first quarter of 1994 (1993 \$102,000).

During the first quarter of 1994, Chemed sold 149,900 shares of its investment in Omnicare, realizing a pretax gain of \$3,184,000 (\$1,817,000 aftertax).

4. Effective January 1, 1994, Chemed acquired all of the capital stock of Patient Care Inc. ("Patient Care") for cash payments aggregating \$20,582,000, including deferred payments with a present value of \$6,271,000, plus 17,500 shares of Chemed Capital Stock. Additional cash payments of up to \$10,400,000 may be made, the amount being contingent upon the earnings of Patient Care during the three-year period ended

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December 31, 1995. Patient Care emphasizes personal care in the home, with services including skilled nursing; medical and social work; nutrition; and other specialized services. The aggregate purchase price of Patient Care and other purchase business combinations completed in the first three months of 1994 has been allocated as follows (in thousands):

Working capital Goodwill Long-term debt Other assets and liabilities - net	\$ 9,669 15,990 (7,000) 3,116
Total net assets Less: cash and cash	21,775
equivalents acquired Less: deferred payments Less: capital stock issued	(182) (6,271) (500)
Net cash used	\$ 14,822 ========

Unaudited pro forma sales and service revenues, which assume that the acquisitions of Patient Care and Encore Service Systems Inc. (acquired in July 1993) were completed on January 1, 1993 are as follows (in thousands):

	For the three months ended March 31,	
	1994	1993
Total sales and service		
revenues	\$152 , 069	\$137,904
	=======	=======

These acquisitions did not materially impact income before cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle for 1993 or 1994. In conjunction with the purchase of Patient Care, an application for the transfer of ownership of one region of Patient Care has been made with a state regulatory agency and is expected to be approved during 1994.

5. Effective January 1, 1994, Chemed adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 115 ("SFAS 115"), "Accounting for Certain Investments in Debt and Equity Securities." Accordingly, the Company has classified its cash equivalents and marketable securities as "trading securities" under SFAS 115 and its investments included in

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other investments as "available for sale." The resultant cumulative effect of adopting SFAS 115 on the Company's statement of income in 1994 was immaterial. The cumulative effect of adopting SFAS 115 on the Company's balance sheet as of January 1, 1994 was to increase stockholders' equity by \$12,975,000.

As a result of adopting SFAS 115, investments in debt and marketable equity instruments are recorded at their fair value at March 31, 1994 and nonmarketable equity investments are recorded at cost. Such investments at December 31, 1993 were recorded at amortized cost, which approximated their fair value.

In computing realized gains or losses on the sale of investments, the Company uses the "specific identification" method to determine the cost of investments sold.

6. On March 4, 1994, the Company entered into a \$10,000,000 term loan agreement ("Agreement") with Fifth Third Bank. The interest rate is variable and is based on current market conditions, or that the option of the Company, the rate may be fixed based on a stipulated formula. The loan matures on March 4, 1999 and may be prepaid without penalty. The current variable interest rate is 4.9%

7. On April 15, 1994, the Company's 89%-owned subsidiary, National Sanitary Supply company ("National Sanitary"), finalized the purchase of two southern California facilities at a total cost of \$3,282,000 in cash. These facilities had been previously leased from the former owners of National Sanitary since 1983. The lease had included an option to purchase these facilities at their fair market value as of November 1983.

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Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

Financial Condition

Increases in accounts receivable, goodwill and accounts payable from recorded amounts at December 31, 1993 to balances as of March 31, 1994 are primarily attributable to the Company's acquisition of Patient Care Inc. ("Patient Care") effective January 1, 1994. The increase in other investments from \$37,657,000 at December 31, 1993 to \$50,940,000 at March 31, 1994 is primarily attributable to the Company's adoption of Statement of Financial Standards No. 115 ("SFAS 115") effective January 1, 1994. Such investments are classified as "available for sale" and include \$14,885,000 of unrealized appreciation on debt and marketable equity investments at March 31, 1994. The aftertax impact of this unrealized gain is included in stockholders' equity and amounts to \$9,824,000 at March 31, 1994.

The increase in income taxes from \$20,448,000 at December 31, 1993 to \$23,513,000 at March 31, 1994 is primarily attributable to the recognition of gains (\$4,827,000 before income taxes) from the sales of investments in the first quarter of 1994. The taxes on these gains will not be paid until the second quarter of 1994.

Increases in other current liabilities and other liabilities and deferred income as of March 31, 1994 versus balances at December 31, 1993 are primarily attributable to the recording of deferred payments for the purchase of Patient Care in January 1994. The current portion of these payments included in other current liabilities amounts to \$2,938,000 at March 31, 1994 and the non-current portion amounts to \$3,386,000. In addition, to assist with financing the purchase of Patient Care, the Company entered into a credit agreement with the Fifth Third Bank of Cincinnati, Ohio in March 1994 to borrow \$10,000,000 for a period of five years.

At March 31, 1994 Chemed had approximately \$34,250,000 of unused lines of credit with various banks.

Results of Operations

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	Three Months Ended March 31,		
	1994	1993	
Sales and Service Revenues			
National Sanitary Supply Roto-Rooter Veratex Patient Care Total	41,536 23,966 15,107	\$ 69,347 27,568 23,604 \$120,519	
Operating Profit			
National Sanitary Supply Roto-Rooter Veratex Patient Care	\$ 1,487 3,526 1,621 496	\$ 1,402 2,755 1,412	
Total	\$ 7,130 ======	\$ 5,569	

Data relating to (a) growth in sales and service revenues and (b) operating profit as a percent of sales and service revenues for each segment for the first three months of 1994 and 1993 are set forth on the next page:

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	Sales and Service Revenues % Increase	Operating Profit as a % of Sales (Operating Margin)		
	1994 vs. 1993	1994	1993	
National Sanitary Supply	3%	2.1%	2.0%	
Roto-Rooter	51	8.5	10.0	
Veratex	2	6.8	6.0	
Patient Care	n.a.	3.3	n.a.	
Total	26	4.7	4.6	

Sales of the National Sanitary Supply segment for the first quarter of 1994 increased by 3% over sales for the first quarter of 1993, despite the business disruptions caused by the earthquake in National Sanitary's large Southern California market. The operating margin of this segment improved slightly from 2.0% during 1993 to 2.1% during 1994.

Sales and service revenues of the Roto-Rooter segment for the first quarter of 1994 totaled \$41,536,000, an increase of 51% over the \$27,568,000 recorded for the first quarter of 1993. Excluding the revenues of Encore Service Systems Inc. ("Encore"), acquired jointly by the Company and Roto-Rooter in July 1993, Roto-Rooter's total revenues for 1994 increased 16% versus revenues for 1993. Revenues from plumbing repair and maintenance services for 1994, which comprise approximately 21% of Roto-Rooter's total revenues, increased by 29% when compared with amounts recorded for 1993. Roto-Rooter's operating margin declined from 10.0% during 1993 to 8.5% during 1994 primarily as a result of the acquisition of Encore. The economies achieved as Encore is integrated into the existing service contract business should enable Encore to reach the margin achieved in Roto-Rooter's other businesses. Partially offsetting the lower margins of the Encore business was a favorable decline in insurance costs as a percent of sales from 5.0% in the first three months of 1993 to 3.1% in the first three months of 1994 as a result of continuing improvements in Roto-Rooter's safety record.

Sales of the Veratex segment, for the first three months of 1994 increased by 2% over amounts recorded during the first three months of 1993, reflecting the impact of severe winter weather which made it impossible for a large number of Veratex's customers to see their normal number of patients. The

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operating margin of this segment increased from 6.0% during 1993 to 6.8% during 1994. This increase was largely due to an increase in the gross profit margin during the 1994 period as a result of improved pricing and lower manufacturing costs.

Patient Care, acquired at the beginning of 1994, contributed \$15,107,000 and \$496,000 to sales and operating profit, respectively, during the first quarter of 1994. Compared with its 1993 first quarter results, revenues of Patient Care increased by 26% in 1994.

On a consolidated basis, Chemed's sales and service revenues for the first quarter of 1994 increased 26% over amounts recorded during the first quarter of 1993. Excluding the sales of Encore and Patient Care, sales for 1994 increased by 6% over amounts recorded during 1993. The total operating margin of Chemed improved slightly from 4.6% during 1993 to 4.7% during 1994.

Income from operations increased from \$3,892,000 during the first quarter of 1993 to \$5,670,000 during the first quarter of 1994, primarily as a result of the acquisitions of Encore in July 1993 and of Patient Care in January 1994.

Interest expense for the first quarter of 1994 totaled \$2,047,000 as compared with \$2,273,000 during the first quarter of 1993. This decline was primarily due to the maturity of the Company's Series A Senior Notes in November 1993, which carried an interest rate of approximately 10%. This debt has been replaced with short-term and long-term borrowings carrying interest rates of approximately 5%.

Other income for 1994 totaled \$6,313,000 as compared with \$4,670,000 for the first quarter 1993. This increase was attributable to larger gains on the sales of investments

(\$4,827,000 in 1994 versus \$2,637,000 in 1993) partially offset by lower interest income in 1994 (due primarily to lower interest rates on cash equivalents and marketable securities).

During the first quarter of 1994 the Company's effective income tax rate was 40.7% as compared with 31.2% during the comparable period of 1993. The higher rate in 1994 was attributable to: a) a lower domestic dividend deduction and lower ESOP tax credit (as a percent of pretax income) in the 1994 quarter; b) a higher effective state and local tax rate for the 1994 period; c) a lower tax basis (versus book basis) on investments sold in 1994; and, d) lower favorable tax adjustments in the 1994 period versus those recorded in the first quarter of 1993.

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Chemed's share of the earnings of Omnicare, a 26%-owned affiliate engaged in the pharmacy services business, increased by 30% from \$479,000 in the first quarter of 1993 to \$621,000 in the first quarter of 1994. The increase in Omnicare's income is largely attributable to continuing advances in its acquisition program.

Chemed's income before cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle increased from \$4,078,000 (\$.42 per share) during the first quarter of 1993 to \$5,677,000 (\$.58 per share) during the first quarter of 1994. Earnings for 1994 included an aftertax gain of \$2,688,000 (\$.28 per share) from the sales of investments during 1994. Similarly, during 1993 the Company recognized an aftertax gain of \$1,741,000 (\$.18 per share) from the sale of a portion of the Company's investment in EXEL Ltd.

Net income for 1994's first quarter totaled \$5,677,000 (\$.58 per share) as compared with \$5,729,000 (\$.59 per share) for the first quarter of 1993. Effective January 1, 1993, the Company recorded an aftertax gain of \$1,651,000 (\$.17 per share) from the adoption of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes."

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(a) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	SK 601 Ref. No.	Description	Page No.
1	(11)	Statement re: Computation of Per Share Earnings	E-1

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Chemed	Corporation
(Regi	istrant)

Dated:	May 11, 1994	Ву	Kevin J. McNamara
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			Kevin J. McNamara, Executive
			Vice President, Secretary,
			and General Counsel

Dated:	May 11, 1994	By Arthur V. Tucker	Arthur V. Tucker	
		Arthur V. Tucker	Arthur V. Tucker	
		Vice President and	Vice President ar	
		Controller (Principal	Controller (Princ	_
		Accounting Officer)	Accounting Office	

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CHEMED CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES COMPUTATION OF PER SHARE EARNINGS (in thousands except per thousands)

Income Before

EXHIBIT 11

Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle Net Income ._____ Three Months Ended Three Months Ended March 31, March 31, 1994 1993 1994 1993 _____ Computation of Earnings Per Common and Common Equivalent Share (a): \$ 5,677 \$ 4,078 \$ 5,677 \$ 5,729 Reported Income Average number of shares used to compute earnings per common share 9,824 9,766 9,824 9,766 Effect of unexercised stock options 59 37 59 Average number of shares used to compute earnings per common and common equivalent share 9,883 9,803 9,883 9,803 ======= ====== ====== Earnings per common and \$.57 \$.42 \$.57 \$.58 common equivalent share ====== Computation of Earnings Per Common Share Assuming Full Dilution (a): - - -----Reported Income \$ 5,677 \$ 4,078 \$ 5,677 \$ 5,729 Average number of shares used to compute earnings per common share 9,824 9,766 9,824 9,766

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Earnings per common share assuming full dilution

Effect of unexercised stock options 61

Average number of shares used to compute earnings per common share

assuming full dilution

9,885 9,809

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\$.57 \$.42 \$.57 \$.58

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9,885 9,809

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⁽a) This calculation is submitted in accordance with Regulation S-K Item 601 (b) (11) although

it is not required by APB Opinion No. 15 because it results in dilution of less than 3%.

<ARTICLE> 5

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THIS SCHEDULE CONTAINS SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM FORM 10Q FOR THE QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31, 1994 FOR CHEMED CORPORATION AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCE TO SUCH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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