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FORM 10-Q

x Quarterly Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 For the quarterly period ended: July 2, 2016

" Transition Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 For the transition period from ______ to _____

Commission File Number: 001-31410

COTT CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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CANADA (State or Other Jurisdiction	98-0154711 (IRS Employer
of Incorporation or Organization)	Identification No.)
6525 VISCOUNT ROAD	L4V 1H6
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5519 WEST IDLEWILD AVENUE	
TAMPA, FLORIDA, UNITED STATES	33634
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip 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 "

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (905) 672-1900 and (813) 313-1800

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes x No "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

 Large accelerated filer x
 Accelerated filer "

 Non-accelerated filer "
 (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)
 Smaller reporting company "

 Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes "
 No x

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

Class Common Shares, no par value per share Outstanding at August 2, 2016 137,860,725 shares

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PART I FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements (unaudited)

Cott Corporation

Consolidated Statements of Operations

(in millions of U.S. dollars, except share and per share amounts)

Unaudited

	For the Three Months Ended For the Six Months Endec					ns Ended		
	July 2,		July 4,		July 2,		July 4,	
Revenue, net	\$	2016 765.0	\$	2015 779.8	\$	2016 1,463.4		2015 1,489.6
Cost of sales		512.4	φ	539.2	φ	1,403.4 996.8	Φ	1,489.0
cost of sales		312.4		559.2		770.0		1,047.7
Gross profit		252.6		240.6		466.6		441.9
Selling, general and administrative expenses		202.1		190.2		399.1		378.7
Loss on disposal of property, plant & equipment, net		2.2		0.2		3.1		1.6
Acquisition and integration expenses		11.7		4.1		13.1		8.8
Operating income		36.6		46.1		51.3		52.8
Other expense (income), net		3.0		40.1		0.8		(9.4)
Interest expense, net		27.0		27.9		54.8		(9.4)
interest expense, net		27.0		21.9		54.0		55.0
Income (loss) before income taxes		6.6		17.2		(4.3)		6.6
Income tax benefit		2.3		1.1		11.3		10.5
Net income	\$	8.9	\$	18.3	\$	7.0	\$	17.1
Less: Net income attributable to non-controlling interests		1.5		1.7		2.9		3.0
Less: Accumulated dividends on convertible preferred								
shares				1.8				4.5
Less: Accumulated dividends on non-convertible								
preferred shares				0.6				1.4
Less: Foreign exchange impact on redemption of								
preferred shares				12.0				12.0
Net income (loss) attributed to Cott Corporation	\$	7.4	\$	2.2	\$	4.1	\$	(3.8)
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Net income (loss) per common share attributed to								
Cott Corporation								
Basic	\$	0.06	\$	0.02	\$	0.03	\$	(0.04)
Diluted	\$	0.06	\$	0.02	\$	0.03	\$	(0.04)
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Weighted average common shares outstanding (in							
thousands)							
Basic	123,239		99,573		118,253		96,384
Diluted	124,180		100,165		119,038		96,384
Dividends declared per share \$	0.06	\$	0.06	\$	0.12	\$	0.12
The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.							

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Cott Corporation

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive (Loss) Income

(in millions of U.S. dollars)

Unaudited

	For	the Three N	Months Ended	For the Six M	onths Ended	
		July 2, 2016	July 4, 2015	July 2, 2016	July 4, 2015	
Net income	\$	8.9	\$ 18.3	\$ 7.0	\$ 17.1	
Other comprehensive (loss) income:						
Currency translation adjustment		(14.7)	24.6	(17.9)	(1.3)	
Pension benefit plan, net of tax	1	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.5	
Unrealized gain (loss) on derivative						
instruments, net of tax	2	2.6	(2.8)	3.1	(2.8)	
Total other comprehensive (loss) income		(12.0)	22.2	(14.6)	(3.6)	
Comprehensive (loss) income	\$	(3.1)	\$ 40.5	\$ (7.6)	\$ 13.5	
Less: Comprehensive income attributable						
to non-controlling interests		1.5	1.7	2.9	3.0	
Less: Accumulated dividends on						
convertible preferred shares			1.8		4.5	
Less: Accumulated dividends on						
non-convertible preferred shares			0.6		1.4	
Less: Foreign exchange impact on						
redemption of preferred shares			12.0		12.0	
Comprehensive (loss) income attributed to Cott Corporation	\$	(4.6)	\$ 24.4	\$ (10.5)	\$ (7.4)	

^{1.} Net of the effect of \$0.1 million and \$0.2 million tax benefit for the three and six months ended July 2, 2016, respectively, and net of the effect of \$0.1 million and \$0.2 million tax expense for the three and six months ended July 4, 2015, respectively.

^{2.} Net of the effect of \$1.2 million and \$1.4 million tax benefit for the three and six months ended July 2, 2016, respectively, and net of the effect of \$1.0 million tax benefit for the three and six months ended July 4, 2015. The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Cott Corporation

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(in millions of U.S. dollars, except share amounts)

Unaudited

	July 2, 2016		January 2, 2016		
ASSETS					
Current assets					
Cash & cash equivalents	\$	249.5	\$	77.1	
Restricted cash		503.1			
Accounts receivable, net of allowance of \$7.9 (\$9.2 as of January 2, 2016)		339.5		293.3	
Income taxes recoverable		0.9		1.6	
Inventories		247.1		249.4	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		24.1		17.2	
Total current assets		1,364.2		638.6	
Property, plant & equipment, net		770.2		769.8	
Goodwill		777.4		759.6	
Intangibles and other assets, net		690.4		711.7	
Deferred tax assets		12.8		7.6	
Total assets	\$	3,615.0	\$	2,887.3	
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY					
Current liabilities					
Short-term borrowings	\$		\$	122.0	
Current maturities of long-term debt		3.6		3.4	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		468.0		437.6	
Total current liabilities		471.6		563.0	
Long-term debt		2,013.3		1,525.4	
Deferred tax liabilities		63.7		76.5	
Other long-term liabilities		72.5		76.5	
Total liabilities		2,621.1		2,241.4	
Equity					
Common shares, no par - 137,860,725 (January 2, 2016 - 109,695,435) shares					
issued		904.9		534.7	
Additional paid-in-capital		54.6		51.2	
Retained earnings		119.0		129.6	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(90.8)		(76.2)	
Total Cott Corporation equity		987.7		639.3	

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Non-controlling interests	6.2	6.6
Total equity	993.9	645.9
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 3,615.0	\$ 2,887.3

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Cott Corporation

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(in millions of U.S. dollars)

Unaudited

	For the Three Months EndedFor the Six Months End				
	July 2, July 4, 2016 2015		July 2, 2016	July 4, 2015	
Operating Activities	2010	2010	2010	2010	
Net income	\$ 8.9	\$ 18.3	\$ 7.0	\$ 17.1	
Depreciation & amortization	53.5	58.2	106.0	115.6	
Amortization of financing fees	1.3	1.1	2.5	2.4	
Amortization of senior notes premium	(1.5)	(1.4)	(2.9)	(2.9)	
Share-based compensation expense	3.8	3.7	6.2	6.1	
Benefit for deferred income taxes	(2.1)	(5.2)	(12.9)	(16.9)	
Loss on disposal of property, plant & equipment, net	2.2	0.2	3.1	1.6	
Other non-cash items	2.6	(6.3)	0.9	(16.5)	
Change in operating assets and liabilities, net of acquisitions:					
Accounts receivable	(25.7)	(19.4)	(47.4)	(60.7)	
Inventories	4.6	6.1	1.3	(4.9)	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	(3.4)	(4.5)	(7.8)	25.8	
Other assets	(1.2)	(1.3)	1.2	(3.7)	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities, and other					
liabilities	44.6	25.2	14.6	10.0	
Income taxes recoverable		1.0	(2.9)	1.6	
Net cash provided by operating activities	87.6	75.7	68.9	74.6	
Investing Activities					
Acquisitions, net of cash received	(1.8)	(0.5)	(46.2)	(0.5)	
Additions to property, plant & equipment	(33.2)	(29.9)	(62.7)	(57.2)	
Additions to intangibles and other assets	(1.0)	(0.1)	(3.3)	(2.2)	
Proceeds from sale of property, plant & equipment and					
sale-leaseback	0.2	40.1	2.9	40.5	
Increase in restricted cash	(2.8)		(2.8		