# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

## FORM 8-K/A

## **CURRENT REPORT**

## PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 30, 2016

## **G-III APPAREL GROUP, LTD.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

0-18183

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

> 512 Seventh Avenue New York, New York (Address of principal executive offices)

(Commission File Number) 41-1590959 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

10018 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 403-0500

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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#### Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

On December 6, 2016, G-III Apparel Group, Ltd. (the "Company"), filed a Current Report on Form 8-K (the "Original Form 8-K") with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") to report that on December 1, 2016, it completed the purchase of all of the outstanding capital stock of Donna Karan International Inc., a Delaware corporation (" DKI "), from Moet Hennessy Louis Vuitton, Inc. ("LVMH", and such purchase, the "DKI Acquisition"), pursuant to a Stock Purchase Agreement, dated July 22, 2016, by and between the Company and LVMH, as amended by Amendment No. 1 thereto dated November 30, 2016.

This Current Report on Form 8-K/A amends the Original Form 8-K to include the required financial statements and pro forma financial information with respect to the DKI Acquisition under Item 9.01(a), (b) and (d) of Form 8-K.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired

The audited consolidated balance sheets of DKI as of December 31, 2015 and December 31, 2014 and the related audited consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss, stockholder's equity, and cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2015, December 31, 2014 and December 31, 2013, and the related notes thereto, and the report of Ernst & Young LLP, are filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K/A and incorporated herein by reference.

The unaudited interim consolidated balance sheets of DKI as of September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015, and the related unaudited interim consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss, stockholder's equity, and cash flows for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and September 30, 2015, and the related notes thereto, are filed as Exhibit 99.2 to this Form 8-K/A and incorporated herein by reference.

#### (b) Pro Forma Financial Data

The narrative overview and the Company's unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data reflecting the effects of the DKI Acquisition, consisting of (i) the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of October 31, 2016 and the related notes thereto and (ii) the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations for the fiscal year ended January 31, 2016 and the nine months ended October 31, 2016, and the related notes thereto, are filed as Exhibit 99.3 to this Form 8-K/A and incorporated herein by reference.

(c) Shell Company Transactions. Not applicable.

(d) Exhibits

- 99.1 Audited consolidated balance sheets of DKI as of December 31, 2015 and December 31, 2014 and the related audited consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss, stockholder's equity, and cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2015, December 31, 2014 and December 31, 2013, and the related notes thereto.
- 99.2 Unaudited interim consolidated balance sheets of DKI as of September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015, and the related unaudited interim consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss, stockholder's equity, and cash flows for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and September 30, 2015, and the related notes thereto.
- 99.3 Narrative overview and the Company's unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data reflecting the effects of the DKI Acquisition, consisting of (i) the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of October 31, 2016 and the related notes thereto and (ii) the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations for the fiscal year ended January 31, 2016 and the nine months ended October 31, 2016, and the related notes thereto.

99.4 Consent of Ernst & Young LLP.

## SIGNATURE

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

Date: February 13, 2017

G-III APPAREL GROUP, LTD.

/s/ Neal S. Nackman By: Name: Title:

Neal S. Nackman Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit	Description
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#### **Independent Auditor's Report**

The Board of Directors LVMH Moët Hennessy Louis Vuitton SE

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Donna Karan International Inc., which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, and the related consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss, stockholder's equity and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2015, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles; this includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free of material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of Donna Karan International Inc. at December 31, 2015 and 2014, and the consolidated results of its operations and its cash flows for the each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2015 in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

/s/ Ernst & Young LLP New York, New York November 22, 2016

#### Donna Karan International Inc. Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss Years Ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013

		Ŷ	'ears ei	nded December 31,		
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	2015		2014		2013	
Net revenue	\$	494,416	\$	567,840	\$ 579,999	
Cost of goods sold		312,666		337,191	351,179	
Gross profit		181,750		230,649	 228,820	
Selling, general and administrative		202,554		215,349	209,543	
Restructuring charges		40,207		-	-	
Impairments		-		2,039	26,718	
Operating profit (loss)		(61,011)		13,261	 (7,441)	
Other income (loss)		35		(49)	(71)	
Foreign currency transaction gain (loss)		(1,766)		(2,541)	645	
Interest expense, net		955		638	803	
Income (loss) before income taxes		(63,697)		10,033	 (7,670)	
Income tax expense		11,152		13,308	1,901	
Net loss	\$	(74,849)	\$	(3,275)	\$ (9,571)	
Other comprehensive income (loss)						
Foreign currency translation adjustments	\$	915	\$	1,147	\$ (468)	
Other comprehensive income (loss)		915		1,147	 (468)	
Comprehensive loss	\$	(73,934)	\$	(2,128)	\$ (10,039)	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

#### Donna Karan International Inc. Consolidated Balance Sheets As of December 31, 2015 and 2014

			ber 31,	
(U.S. dollars in thousands)		2015		2014
Assets				
Current assets	\$	3.100	\$	5,865
Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable, net of allowances for doubtful accounts, estimated sales returns and other allowances of	Э	3,100	\$	5,805
\$21,192 and \$25,460 respectively		18,568		43,938
Inventories, net		34,170		49,871
Derivative assets		2,001		4,199
Prepaid expenses		7,404		6,422
Other current assets		510		1,141
Total Current assets		65,753		111,436
Property and equipment, net		19,423		28,594
Other assets		1,237		1,313
Goodwill and intangible assets		363,965		363,965
Deferred tax assets		74		118
Total Assets	\$	450,452	\$	505,426
Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity				
Current liabilities		26 500		50.050
Accounts payable		36,799		58,259
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		27,697		14,364
Due to Parent and affiliates, net		60,559		48,786
Borrowings from Parent and affiliates		-		3,022
Income taxes payable		629		
Derivative liabilities		379		357
Total Current liabilities		126,063		124,788
Deferred tax liabilities		125,218		117,824
Other non-current liabilities		25,440		15,919
Total Liabilities	\$	276,721	\$	258,531
Commitments and contingencies (Note 13)				
Stockholder's Equity				
Common stock (6,000 shares authorized, issued and outstanding at December 31, 2015 and 2014 at \$0.01 par				
value)		-		
Preferred stock (1,000 shares authorized, issued and outstanding at December 31, 2015 and 2014 at \$0.01 par value)				
Additional paid-in capital		695.510		694.740
Retained earnings		(525,960)		(451,111
Accumulated other comprehensive income		(525,980) 4,181		3,266
Total Stockholder's Equity	¢	4,181	¢	246.895
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Total Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity	\$	450,452	\$	505,426

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#### Donna Karan International Inc. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows Years Ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013

		Years ended Decem			
(U.S. dollars in thousands)		2015		2014	2013
Cash flows from operating activities:	<u>^</u>	(= 1 0 10)			(a
Net loss	\$	(74,849)	\$	(3,275) \$	(9,571
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by operating activities					
Depreciation		13,731		15,616	14,626
Loss (gain) on disposal of Property and equipment		3,852		673	(168
Deferred taxes		7,438		9,920	41
Fair value remeasurement of Derivatives		2,220		(6,041)	1,269
Impairment of assets		-		2,039	26,718
Contributions from Parent and affiliates		770		2,714	585
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:					
Decrease (increase) in Accounts receivable, net		25,370		(11,473)	12,007
Decrease (increase) in Inventories, net		15,701		1,174	(10,164
Decrease (increase) in Prepaid expenses		(982)		1,295	(1,882
Decrease (increase) in Other current assets		631		(330)	708
Decrease (increase) in Other assets		76		(252)	(6
Increase (decrease) in Accounts payable		(21,461)		(10,283)	4,409
Increase (decrease) in Accrued expenses and other liabilities		13,333		(7,785)	(3,564
Increase (decrease) in all other operating activities, net		915		1,147	(468
Increase (decrease) in Income taxes, net		629		(6,474)	103
Increase (decrease) in other non-current liabilities		9,521		1,336	1,559
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		(3,105)		(9,999)	36,202
Cash flows from investing activities:					
Additions to Property and equipment		(8,412)		(12,754)	(10,879
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		(8,412)		(12,754)	(10,879
Cash flows from financing activities:					
Increase in (repayment of) borrowings from Parent and affiliates		(3,022)		3,022	-
Net financing activities with Parent and affiliates		11 774		12 (24	(22.554
6		11,774		13,624	(22,554
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		8,752		16,646	(22,554
Net increase (decrease) in Cash and cash equivalents		(2,765)		(6,107)	2,769
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		5,865		11,972	9,203
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	3,100	\$	5,865 \$	11,972
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:					
Cash paid during the year for:					
Interest, net of amounts capitalized	\$	-	\$	- \$	-
Income taxes	\$	915	\$	7.587 \$	1,575

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

#### Donna Karan International Inc. Consolidated Statements of Stockholder's Equity December 31, 2015 and 2014

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	Common Stock		referred Stock	Additional Paid-in Capital	Retained Earnings	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income / (Loss)	Total Stockholder's Equity
Balance at December 31, 2012	\$	- \$	-	\$ 691,441	\$ (438,265)	\$ 2,587	\$ 255,763
Net income (loss)		-	-	-	(9,571)	-	(9,571)
Other comprehensive income (loss)		-	-	-	-	(468)	(468)
Contribution from Parent and affiliates		-	-	585	-	-	585
Balance at December 31, 2013	\$	- \$	-	\$ 692,026	\$ (447,836)	\$ 2,119	\$ 246,309
Net income (loss)			-	-	(3,275)	-	(3,275)
Other comprehensive income (loss)		-	-	-	-	1,147	1,147
Contribution from Parent and affiliates		-	-	2,714	-	-	2,714
Balance at December 31, 2014	\$	- \$	-	\$ 694,740	\$ (451,111)	\$ 3,266	\$ 246,895
Net income (loss)		-	-		(74,849)		(74,849)
Other comprehensive income (loss)		-	-	-	-	915	915
Contribution from Parent and affiliates		-	-	770	-	-	770
Balance at December 31, 2015	\$	- \$	-	\$ 695,510	\$ (525,960)	\$ 4,181	\$ 173,731

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

#### 1. Basis of Presentation

#### **Description of Company**

The consolidated financial statements present the assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses related to Donna Karan International Inc. ("DKI" or the "Company"). DKI is wholly owned by its ultimate parent company, LVMH Moet Hennessey Louis Vuitton S.E. (the "Parent" or "LVMH"). DKI engages in the design, marketing, and sale of apparel, accessories and shoes.

DKI's corporate offices are in the U.S. and has operations in Canada, Holland, Hong Kong, Ireland, Italy, and the United Kingdom.

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a standalone basis and are presented in accordance with U.S. Generally Accounting Principles ("U.S. GAAP"). The consolidated financial statements have been derived from the accounting records of the Parent and reflect the historical results of operations, financial position and cash flows of the Company.

On July 22, 2016, the Parent entered into a definitive agreement to sell the Company to G-III Apparel Group Ltd. ("G-III") (the "Agreement"). Pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, certain assets and liabilities of the Company are excluded from the transaction ("The Excluded Assets and Liabilities"), which primarily relate to certain leases. The Excluded Assets and Liabilities have been included in the basis of presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

The Company has experienced net losses of \$74.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2015 and has negative cash flows from operations for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014. During the periods presented, the Parent has provided significant funding to support the restructuring activities in 2015 and other operating activities. The Parent will continue to fund the operating activities of the Company until the closing of the transaction with G-III.

The Parent uses a centralized approach to cash management under which cash deposits are transferred to the Parent on a daily basis and are pooled with other LVMH entities. The centralized approach to cash management was necessary to enable the Company to meet its liquidity needs. This arrangement is not reflective of the manner in which the Company would have been able to finance its operations had it been a standalone business separate from LVMH for the periods presented. The Company's cash and short-term borrowings balances related to the central pooling arrangement are reflected in Due to Parent and affiliates and Borrowings from Parent and affiliates within the consolidated financial statements.

The Parent provides certain services, such legal, tax accounting, human resources, employees' benefits and other support services on behalf of the Company. These costs have been allocated to the Company on a specific identification basis or on a percentage of Net revenue. Refer to Note 7 Related Party Transactions for further information on expenses allocated by the Parent and its affiliates to the Company.

For the purpose of these consolidated financial statements, income taxes have been calculated using the separate return method. See Note 11, "Income Taxes" for further information.

The historical financial results in the consolidated financial statements presented may not be indicative of the results that would have been achieved had the Company operated as a separate, stand-alone entity during the periods presented. In the opinion of management, the assumptions underlying the historical consolidated financial statements of the Company, including the basis on which the expenses have been allocated from the Parent and other members of LVMH, are reasonable.

However, the allocations may not reflect the expenses that the Company may have incurred as an independent, stand-alone company for the periods presented.



#### Principles of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly-owned subsidiaries. All intracompany transactions and balances between and among the Company and its subsidiaries have been eliminated.

#### 2. Significant Accounting Policies

A summary of the significant accounting policies consistently applied in the preparation of the accompanying consolidated financial statements are as follows:

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts that are reported in the consolidated financial statements and accompanying disclosures. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents includes all cash in banks, cash on-hand and credit card receivables with an original maturity of three months or less. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, credit card receivables were \$1.5 million and \$2.1 million, respectively, which generally settle within 2 or 3 business days.

#### Accounts Receivable, net

Trade accounts receivable are recorded at the invoiced amount, net of allowances for doubtful accounts and estimated sales returns and other allowances. Accounts receivable are charged against the allowance for doubtful accounts when deemed uncollectible. The Company estimates an allowance for doubtful accounts on receivable balances based on an analysis of historical data and current circumstances. The allowance for doubtful accounts was \$1.6 million and \$2.3 million as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively.

Sales returns are determined based on an evaluation of current market conditions and historical returns experience. Other allowances include discounts, markdowns and chargebacks. Discounts are based on open invoices where trade discounts have been extended to customers. Markdowns are based on wholesale customers' sales performance, seasonal negotiations with customers, historical deduction trends and an evaluation of current market conditions. Operational chargebacks are based on deductions taken by customers, net of expected recoveries. Markdowns, excluding sales returns and other allowances, were \$15.2 million and \$17.6 million for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively. Such provisions, and related recoveries, are reflected in net sales.

#### **Revenue Recognition**

Revenues are recognized when persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists, delivery has occurred to the customer, pricing is fixed or determinable and collection is reasonably assured. In the case of sales through the Company-owned stores, revenue is recognized at the point of sale when merchandise is sold to the customer. Wholesale revenue is recognized when merchandise is shipped to the customer and title and risk of loss is transferred to the customer. The Company reports its revenue net of anticipated discounts, markdowns, returns and other allowances. The Company bases its estimates for customer discounts, returns, markdowns and other allowances based on a combination of specific identification and historical trends. The actual amount of customer returns and allowances, which is inherently uncertain, may differ from the Company's estimates.

Income from licensing agreements is recognized when earned. The Company licenses certain of its trademarks to qualified companies for use on various products. These royalties are recorded as earned, based upon the terms stipulated in the licensing agreements. Royalty income included in Net revenue within the Consolidated Statements

of Operations and Comprehensive Loss amounted to \$52.4 million, \$61.2 million and \$62.5 million in the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

#### Concentration of credit risk

The Company's trade accounts receivable are exposed to credit risk. However, the risk is limited due to the diversity of the customer base. At December 31, 2015 one customer made up 15% of the Company's outstanding Accounts receivable balance. At December 31, 2014, one customer made up 26% of the Company's outstanding Accounts receivable balance. The Company had no single customer who accounted for more than 10% of net revenue for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013.

#### Inventories

Inventories consist primarily of finished goods and fabric. Inventories are stated at the lower of cost or market, with cost being determined using the weighted average cost method. The Company's inventory costs include amounts paid to independent manufacturers, plus commissions, duties and freight to bring the goods to the Company's warehouses, which are located in the United States, The Netherlands, Canada, and Hong Kong. Inventories are recorded net of allowance for risk of obsolescence. The Company estimates the net realizable value based on historical experience, inventory aging, and current and forecasted demand and market conditions.

#### **Goodwill and Other Intangibles**

Goodwill is the excess of cost over the fair value of tangible and other intangible net assets acquired. Goodwill is not amortized but tested for impairment annually or in an interim period if certain circumstances indicate a possible impairment may exist. The Company's annual impairment testing date is December 31<sup>st</sup>.

Other intangible assets acquired consist primarily of Trademarks and Licenses and have indefinite lives and are not amortized but tested for impairment annually or in an interim period if certain circumstances indicate a possible impairment may exist.

Other intangibles with finite lives, including wholesale customer relationships, are amortized over the estimated useful lives of the assets. All intangible assets with finite lives have been fully amortized as of December 31, 2012.

The Company tests for goodwill impairment at the reporting unit level. The Company first performs a qualitative assessment to determine whether it is more likely than not that the fair value of its reporting unit is less than its carrying value. The result of this assessment will determine whether it is necessary to perform the goodwill impairment two-step test.

If the Company determines that it is more likely than not that the fair value of its reporting unit is less than its carrying value, in the first step, the Company compares the fair value of the reporting unit with its carrying amount, including goodwill. Fair value is calculated using a discounted cash flow model. If the fair value exceeds the carrying amount, goodwill is not considered impaired.

If the carrying amount exceeds the fair value, the second step must be performed to measure the amount of the impairment loss, if any. In the second step, the Company compares the implied fair value of the reporting unit's goodwill with the carrying amount of that goodwill. An impairment loss would be recognized in an amount equal to the excess of the carrying amount of the goodwill over the implied fair value of the goodwill.

The discounted cash flow analysis requires management to make various judgments, estimates and assumptions, many of which are interdependent, about future revenues, operating margins, growth rates, capital expenditures, working capital and discount rates. The starting point for the assumptions used in the discounted cash flow analysis is the annual long-range financial forecast. The annual planning process that the Company undertakes to prepare the long-range financial forecast takes into consideration a multitude of factors, including historical growth rates and operating performance, related industry trends, macroeconomic conditions, and marketplace data, among others.

Assumptions are also made for perpetual growth rates for periods beyond the long-range financial forecast period. The Company's estimates of fair value are sensitive to changes in all of these variables, certain of which relate to broader macroeconomic conditions outside of its control.

Intangible assets that are not amortized (trademarks) are tested for impairment at the asset level by comparing the fair value of the asset with its carrying amount.

The significant estimates and assumptions used by management in assessing the recoverability of goodwill, other intangible assets acquired and other longlived assets are estimated future cash flows, discount rates, growth rates, as well as other factors. Any changes in these estimates or assumptions could result in an impairment charge. The estimates, based on reasonable and supportable assumptions and projections, require management's subjective judgment. Depending on the assumptions and estimates used, the estimated results of the impairment tests can vary within a range of outcomes.

In addition to annual testing, management uses certain indicators to evaluate whether the carrying values of its long-lived assets may not be recoverable and an interim impairment test may be required. These indicators include (1) current-period operating or cash flow declines consolidated with a history of operating or cash flow declines or a projection/forecast that demonstrates continuing declines in cash flows or the inability to improve the Company's operations to forecasted levels and (2) a significant adverse change in the business climate, whether structural or technological.

Management has applied what it believes to be the most appropriate valuation methodology for its impairment testing. See Note 6 Goodwill and Intangible assets for further details.

#### Property and Equipment, net

Property and equipment includes leasehold improvements, furniture and fixtures, computer equipment, and in-store shop displays. Property and equipment are recorded at cost, less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is computed on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful life. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the shorter of their estimated useful life or lease term.

In accordance with Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) Topic 360, Property, Plant and Equipment the Company reviews the carrying value of long-lived assets used in operations whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of the assets might not be recoverable. Factors that would necessitate an impairment assessment include a significant adverse change in the extent or manner in which an asset is used, a significant adverse change in legal factors or the business climate that could affect the value of the asset or a significant decline in the observable market value of an asset, among others.

If such facts indicate a potential impairment, the Company would assess the recoverability of an asset by determining if the carrying value of the asset exceeds the sum of the projected undiscounted cash flows expected to result from the use and eventual disposition of the assets over the remaining economic life of the asset. If the recoverability test indicates that the carrying value of the asset is not recoverable, the Company will estimate the fair value of the asset using appropriate valuation methodologies that would typically include an estimate of discounted cash flows. Any impairment would be measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and its estimated fair value.

#### **Income Taxes**

The Company accounts for income taxes in accordance with ASC Topic 740 — Income Taxes ("ASC 740"). Income taxes as presented herein attribute current and deferred income taxes of the Parent to the Company's consolidated financial statements in a manner that is systematic, rational, and consistent with the asset and liability approach prescribed by ASC 740. Accordingly, the Company's income tax provision was prepared following the separate return method. The separate return method applies ASC 740 to the standalone financial statements of each member



of the consolidated group of the Parent as if the group member was a separate taxpayer and a standalone enterprise. As a result, actual income tax transactions included in the consolidated financial statements of the Parent may not be included in the separate consolidated financial statements of the Company. Similarly, the income tax treatment of certain items reflected in the separate consolidated financial statements of the Company may not be reflected in the consolidated financial statements and income tax returns of the Parent. Therefore, items such as net operating losses, credit carryforwards, uncertain tax positions, other deferred taxes, and valuation allowances may exist in the separate consolidated financial statements that may or may not exist in the Parent's consolidated financial statements.

The Company only maintains taxes payable to/from the taxing authorities for which the Company files tax returns separate from the Parent. To the extent that amounts are not recoverable, not settled through tax sharing, or not due to taxing authorities, the Company treats these amounts as capital contributions from, or dividends to, the parent company. Under the Parent's tax sharing agreement, members that join in the consolidated federal or combined/unitary state returns are not paid for the use of their net operating losses. To the extent that the overall consolidated group is in a taxable position, the members with taxable income share proportionately in the tax liability.

Deferred income taxes are recognized for the future tax effects of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for income tax purposes, as well as operating loss and tax credit carryforwards, using tax rates in effect for the years in which the differences are expected to reverse.

#### **Cost of Goods Sold**

Cost of goods sold includes the expenses incurred to acquire, produce and prepare inventory for sale, including design, product development, production, merchandising and distribution. These costs also include wages, storage, depreciation, freight-in, import costs and commissions. The gross margins may not be directly comparable to those of the Company's competitors, as income statement classifications of certain expenses may vary by entity.

#### Shipping and Handling Costs

Shipping and handling costs consist of warehouse facility costs, third-party warehousing, and freight out costs, and are included in selling, general and administrative expense.

Shipping and handling costs included in Selling, general and administrative expenses within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss were \$9.6 million, \$9.9 million and \$9.2 million for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

#### **Advertising Costs**

The Company expenses advertising costs as incurred and includes these costs in Selling, general and administrative expense within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. Advertising expense was \$25.1 million, \$24.2 million and \$29.0 million for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

#### **Restructuring Expense**

The Company initiated management approved restructuring activities in 2015 to achieve cost savings and to strategically position itself in the market. Costs associated with those activities include employee severance and related benefits, impairments and other related charges. For involuntary separation plans, a liability is recognized when it is probable and reasonably estimable. For one-time termination benefits, such as additional severance pay or benefit payouts, and other exit costs, such as lease termination costs, the liability is measured and recognized initially at fair value in the period in which the liability is incurred, with subsequent changes to the liability



recognized as adjustments in the period of change. Estimates are evaluated periodically to determine whether an adjustment is required.

#### Leases

The Company leases warehousing, executive and sales facilities, retail stores, equipment and vehicles under operating leases, which expire at various dates through fiscal 2026 and have options to renew at varying terms. Certain real estate leases require payment of property taxes, insurance, maintenance costs or advertising costs in addition to rental payments. Certain real estate leases contain rent holidays and predetermined, fixed escalations of minimum rentals. For each of these leases, the Company recognizes the related rent expense in Selling, general and administrative within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss on a straight-line basis commencing on the date of initial possession of the leased property.

In addition to stated minimum payments, certain real estate leases have provisions for contingent rental, which are determined as a percentage of gross sales. The Company records a contingent rent liability in Accrued expenses and other current liabilities on the Consolidated Balance Sheets and the corresponding rent expense on the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss when management determines that achieving the specified levels during the fiscal year is probable.

The Company receives tenant-improvement allowances from some of the landlords of its leased properties. These allowances generally are in the form of cash received by the Company from its landlords as part of the negotiated lease terms. The Company records each tenant-improvement allowance in Other non-current liabilities on the Consolidated Balance Sheets and amortizes the allowance on a straight-line basis as a reduction to rent expense over the term of the lease commencing on the possession date.

#### **Fair Value Measurements**

The Company's Accounts receivable, Due to Parent and affiliates, Borrowings from Parent and affiliates and Accounts payable are reported at their carrying values. The carrying values approximate fair value because of their short-term nature.

The fair value measurement provisions required by GAAP establish a fair value hierarchy, which prioritizes the inputs used in measuring fair value into three broad levels as follows:

- Level 1 Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Inputs, other than the quoted prices in active markets, that are observable either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs based on the Company's own assumptions.

#### Derivatives

The Company, in its normal course of business, has exposure to changes in foreign currency exchange rates related to certain anticipated cash flows principally associated with sales to international customers. The Company uses derivative financial instruments in the form of foreign currency forward contracts to manage this exposure. The Company's derivatives are not designated as hedging instruments and are accounted for as economic hedges. Derivatives not designated as accounting hedges are presented in Net revenue along with the corresponding foreign exchange gains and losses related to the items being hedged within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. The Company classifies the payments and/or proceeds from the maturity of these derivatives within cash flows from operating activities within the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows. The Company does not enter into derivative financial instruments for speculative or trading purposes. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, all of the Company's derivatives mature within one year.

The Company is exposed to the risk that counterparties to derivative contracts will fail to meet their contractual obligations. In order to mitigate counterparty credit risk, the Company only enters into contracts with carefully selected financial institutions based upon their credit ratings and certain other financial factors, adhering to established limits for credit exposure.

### **Foreign Currency**

The Company reports its results in U.S. dollars. Gains and losses on the revaluation of intercompany loans that are not of a long-term investment nature are recognized in Foreign Currency Transaction gain/(loss) in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. Gains or losses resulting from the impact of changes in foreign currency rates on assets and liabilities denominated in a currency other than the functional currency are principally recorded in Net revenue in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss and were \$6.5 million, \$5.1 million and \$(2.5) million for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014, 2013, respectively.

The Company's international operations use different functional currencies than the U.S. dollar, which are the local selling currency. In accordance with the authoritative guidance, assets and liabilities of the Company's foreign operations are translated from foreign currency into U.S. dollars at period-end rates, while income and expenses are translated at the average exchange rates for the period. The related translation adjustments are reflected as a foreign currency translation adjustment in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss) within Consolidated Statements of Stockholder's Equity.

#### 3. Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

In August 2015, the FASB issued ASU 2015-14 "Revenues from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606): Deferral of the Effective Date", to defer the effective date of ASU 2014-09 "Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)" by one year to annual and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2017, and interim periods within those fiscal years for public entities.

The guidance is effective for non-public companies for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2018, and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2019. Early adoption is permitted. ASU 2014-09 provides for significant revisions to the recognition of revenue from contracts with customers across various industries. Under the new guidance, entities are required to apply a prescribed 5-step process to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. In April 2016, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2016-10, "Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606): Identifying Performance Obligations and Licensing". The guidance clarifies two aspects of Topic 606: (i) identifying performance obligations and (ii) the licensing implementation guidance, while retaining the related principles for those areas. Topic 606 includes implementation guidance on (a) contracts with customers to transfer goods and services in exchange for consideration and (b) determining whether an entity's promise to grant a license provides a customer with either a right to use the entity's intellectual property (which is satisfied over time). The amendments in this update are intended to render more detailed implementation guidance with the expectation of reducing the degree of judgment necessary to comply with Topic 606. The Company is evaluating the method and impact, if any, the adoption of this standard will have on its consolidated financial statements and related disclosures.

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-02, Leases (Topic 842). The main difference between the current requirement under GAAP and ASU 2016-02 is the recognition of lease assets and lease liabilities by lessees for those leases classified as operating leases. ASU 2016-02 requires that a lessee recognize in the statement of financial position a liability to make lease payments (the lease liability) and a right-of-use asset representing its right to use the underlying asset for the lease term (other than leases that meet the definition of a short-term lease). The liability will be equal to the present value of lease payments. The asset will be based on the liability, subject to adjustment, such as for initial direct costs. For income statement purposes, the FASB retained a dual model, requiring leases to



be classified as either operating or finance. Operating leases will result in straight-line expense (similar to current operating leases) while finance leases will result in a front-loaded expense pattern (similar to current capital leases). Classification will be based on criteria that are for the most part similar to those applied in current lease accounting. ASU 2016-02 must be adopted using a modified retrospective transition, and provides for certain practical expedients. Transactions will require application of the new guidance at the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented. The guidance is effective for public entities for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2018, and interim periods within those fiscal years. The guidance is effective for non-public companies for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2019, and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2020. Early adoption is permitted. The Company is currently assessing the potential impact of ASU 2016-02 on its consolidated financial statements.

In November 2015, the FASB issued ASU 2015-17: Income Taxes (Topic 740) — Balance Sheet Classification of Deferred Taxes. Prior to ASU 2015-17, GAAP required an entity to separate deferred income tax asset and liabilities into current and noncurrent amounts on the balance sheet. ASU 2015-17 requires that all deferred tax assets and liabilities, along with any related valuation allowance, be classified as noncurrent on the balance sheet. ASU 2015-17 is effective for public entities for annual and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2016. The guidance is effective for non-public companies for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2018. Early adoption is permitted. ASU 2015-17 may be applied either prospectively to all deferred tax assets and liabilities or retrospectively to all periods presented. The Company has early adopted the standard on its consolidated financial statements, retrospectively, for all periods presented.

In July 2015, the FASB issued ASU 2015-11, "Inventory (Topic 330): Simplifying the Measurement of Inventory". Under this standard, inventory will be measured at the "lower of cost and net realizable value" and options that currently exist for "market value" will be eliminated.

The standard defines net realizable value as the "estimated selling prices in the ordinary course of business, less reasonably predictable costs of completion, disposal, and transportation." No other changes were made to the current guidance on inventory measurement. This guidance is effective for interim and annual periods beginning after December 15, 2016. The guidance is effective for non-public companies for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2017. Early adoption is permitted and should be applied prospectively. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of adopting the standard on its consolidated financial statements and related disclosures.

In August 2014, the FASB issued ASU 2014-15—Presentation of Financial Statements—Going Concern (Subtopic 205-40), which addresses management's responsibility to evaluate whether there is substantial doubt about an entity's ability to continue as a going concern and to provide related footnote disclosures. Management's evaluation should be based on relevant conditions and events that are known and reasonably knowable at the date that the financial statements are issued. This accounting guidance is effective for public entities and private company for annual periods ending after December 15, 2016 and interim periods within annual periods beginning after December 15, 2016. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of adopting the standard on its consolidated financial statements and related disclosures.

#### 4. Inventories, net

Inventories, net consists of:

		December 31,
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	2015	5 2014
Finished goods	\$	<b>38,109</b> \$ 52,182
Raw materials and work-in-process		<b>2,504</b> 8,122
Gross inventory		40,613 60,304
Allowance for obsolescence		(6,443) (10,433)
Inventories, net	\$	34,170 \$ 49,871

As of December 31, 2015 and 2014 finished goods inventory primarily consisted of apparel, accessories and shoe merchandise. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014 raw materials and work-in-process inventory primarily consisted of fabric.

#### 5. Property and Equipment, net

Property and equipment, net consists of:

	Decem			
(U.S. dollars in thousands)		2015		2014
		20.516	<b>^</b>	10 505
Furniture and fixtures	5 years \$	38,516	\$	40,597
Computer equipment	3-5 years	25,263		24,108
In-store shop displays	2-4 years	10,655		21,100
Leasehold improvements	The lower of 7 years or the lease term	59,235		60,459
Subtotal		133,669		146,264
Less: accumulated depreciation		114,246		117,670
Property and Equipment, net	<u>\$</u>	19,423	\$	28,594

Long-lived assets to be held and used are tested for impairment when factors are present that indicate the recorded value of an asset (or asset group) may not be recoverable. The Company recognized fixed asset impairment charges of \$0.0 million, \$2.0 million and \$0.1 million for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively. The \$2.0 million of fixed asset impairment charges in 2014 were primarily related to certain stores' assets (in-store shop displays) that were not considered recoverable based on future cash flow projections.

The Company wrote off \$18.5 million and \$28.7 million of fixed assets in the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively, which were fully depreciated at the time of the write-off.

The Depreciation expense was \$13.7 million, \$15.6 million and \$14.6 million for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

#### 6. Goodwill and Intangible Assets

Goodwill and Intangible assets consist of:

		December 31,			
(U.S. dollars in thousands)		2015		2014	
Unamortized intangible assets					
Goodwill – Gross	\$	230,873	\$	230,873	
Less: Accumulated impairment		197,150		197,150	
Goodwill, net	\$	33,723	\$	33,723	
Trademarks and Licenses		330,242		330,242	
Goodwill and intangible assets, net	\$	363,965	\$	363,965	

Goodwill represents the excess of the purchase price over the value assigned to net tangible and identifiable intangible assets of businesses acquired and accounted for under the purchase method. Goodwill has been allocated to the reporting units based upon the relative fair values of the reporting units.

The Company reviews and tests its goodwill and intangible assets with indefinite lives for impairment at least annually, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of such assets may be impaired. The Company estimates the fair value of its reporting units and indefinite-lived intangible assets at each testing date using a discounted cash flow analysis. The discounted cash method, a level 3 fair value measurement, requires that certain assumptions and estimates be made regarding industry and economic factors and future profitability.

The Company did not recognize any goodwill impairment for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013.

The Company also performs an impairment test of its indefinite-lived intangible assets as of the fiscal year-end and more frequently if events or circumstances indicate that the assets may be impaired. For purposes of the indefinite-lived intangible asset impairment analysis, the Company recognized a non-cash impairment charge on its indefinite-lived trademarks for the year ended December 31, 2013 of \$26.6 million.

The \$26.6 million impairment recognized in the year ended December 31, 2013 was based on the difference between the fair value of the Company's indefinite-lived trademark, calculated using the discounted cash flow method, and its carrying value as of that testing date. After the impairment loss was recognized, the adjusted carrying amount of the indefinite-lived intangible asset became its new accounting basis for subsequent tests. The impairment of the indefinite-lived trademark for the year ended December 31, 2013 was primarily due to a decline in projected financial performance for the asset.

#### 7. Related Party Transactions

#### **Related Party Revenue**

The Company recorded \$0.3 million of revenues related to administrative and professional services to affiliates in each of the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013 recorded in Other income within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

#### **Related Party Receivables and Payables**

The table below presents related party receivables and payables:

		,		
U.S. dollars in thousands)		2015	2014	
Due from Parent and affiliates				
Operating receivables from Parent and affiliates <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	2	\$	-
Due to Parent and affiliates				
Operating payables to Parent and affiliates <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	60,561	\$	48,786
Due to Parent and affiliates, net	\$	60,559	\$	48,786

(1) Operating receivables and payables mainly consisted of cash pooling and other financing arrangements with the Parent and affiliates. These balances are classified as financing activities within the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows.

#### **Expense Allocations**

The Parent provides certain services, such as legal, tax accounting, human resources, employees' benefits and other support services on behalf of the Company. These costs have been allocated to the Company on a specific identification basis or on a percentage of Net revenue. Management believes the assumptions underlying the consolidated financial statements, including the assumptions regarding allocating general corporate expenses from the Parent, are reasonable. Nevertheless, the consolidated financial statements may not include all of the actual expenses that would have been incurred by the Company and may not reflect the results of operations, balance sheets and cash flows had it been a stand-alone business during the periods presented. The Company has recorded expense allocations from the Parent of \$15.8 million, \$19.4 million and \$14.9 million in the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively. These costs are included within Selling, general and administrative expenses within the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

#### **Borrowings from the Parent**

On July 21, 2014 the Company entered into a \$3.0 million unsecured 6-month loan arrangement with an affiliate, LVMH Finance Belgique SA ("LFB"), at an interest rate of 2.1%. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Company had an outstanding loan payable to LFB of \$0.0 and \$3.0 million, respectively, which is presented in 'Borrowings from Parent and affiliates" within the Consolidated Balance Sheets. On January 15, 2015 the Company renewed the loan for \$2.9 million at an interest rate of 2.1% for an additional 6 months. The loan was settled by the Company on July 25, 2015.

#### **Related Party Interest Expense**

Historically, the Company has had access to funding provided by the Parent and its affiliates. The Company used this funding provided by the Parent and its affiliates to meet its funding requirements after taking into account the cash generated from its operations. The Company recorded related party interest expense on the cash pool and short-term borrowings on the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. Interest cost is charged to the Company from the Parent's centralized treasury function based on the fixed and floating rates on the Parent's third-party debt, considering the relevant long-term and short-term funding needs of the Company. The interest rate charged on the related party debt was 0.4% - 2.1% for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013. The Company incurred borrowing costs for related party cost pool and short-term funding arrangements with the Parent of \$0.6 million, \$0.5 million, and \$0.7 million for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively was recorded in Interest expense, net on the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

#### **Parent Guarantees**

The Parent guarantees certain of the Company's performance to third parties including letters of credit and leases used in the normal course of business.

#### Letters of Credit

On December 13, 2004 the Company entered in to a letter of credit facility with a bank for \$30.0 million. On December 14, 2011, the Company increased the letter of credit to \$40.0 million. The letter of credit acts as a performance bond, with a vendor being the beneficiary, if the Company defaults on its obligations. The Parent has guaranteed the full amount of the facility on behalf of the Company. In exchange for the guarantee, the Company is charged an annual fee of 0.2% by the Parent. The facility is subject to a review by the bank for renewal on a semi-annual basis. Letters of credit outstanding were approximately \$16.3 million and \$25.2 million at December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively.

Since 2010, the Company had a letter of credit facility outstanding with another bank of \$15.0 million. The Company uses the facility to issue standby letters of credit for certain guarantees to landlords, with the landlords being the beneficiary, if the Company defaults on their lease obligations. The Parent has guaranteed the full amount of the facility on behalf of the Company. In exchange for the guarantee, the Company is charged a fee of 0.2% by the Parent. The letter of credit is automatically extended by the bank on an annual basis until October 31, 2020. Letters of credit outstanding were approximately \$1.8 million and \$1.3 million at December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively.

#### Leases

The Parent guarantees payment to landlords on behalf of the Company for certain leases. In exchange for the guarantee, the Company is charged an annual fee of 0.3% by the Parent.

The fees charged for the Parent's guarantees were \$ 0.2 million in each of the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013 in Interest expense, net within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

#### **Contributions from Parent and Affiliates**

The remainder of the net transfer with the Parent that are not expected to be settled, are reflected in Stockholder's Equity within Additional Paid-in Capital on the Consolidated Balance Sheets and Consolidated Statement of Stockholder's Equity and are classified as non-cash operating activities within the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows.

The following is a summary of the contributions from the Parent and affiliates:

	December 31,							
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	2	2015		2014		2013		
Corporate expense allocations <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	530	\$	845	\$	585		
Income and franchise taxes <sup>(2)</sup>		240		1,869		-		
Contributions from Parent and affiliates	\$	770	\$	2,714	\$	585		

 Corporate expense allocations include contributions from the Parent and affiliates related to employee compensation costs and shared service support including human resources, accounting and tax, legal and brand strategy.

(2) Certain income and franchise taxes related to separate tax expense recorded by the Company were paid by the Parent and affiliates on the Company's behalf.



#### 8. Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consist of:

	 December 31,			
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	2015		2014	
Restructuring (see Note 9)	\$ 15,228	\$	-	
Employee Compensation	7,039		6,025	
Deferred Revenue	943		2,769	
Other	4,487		5,570	
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	\$ 27,697	\$	14,364	

#### 9. Restructuring

During the second quarter of 2015, the Company announced it would discontinue its DKNY Jeans and Donna Karan Collection as separate brands as part of a restructuring plan (the "Restructuring Plan") to better align its brand strategy. This plan included the consolidation and streamlining of the Company's processes and a reduction in its global workforce and other expenses. As part of the Restructuring Plan, the Company decided to close certain stores (including the Company's flagship store in New York) which were vacated during the year ended December 31, 2016.

These actions resulted in restructuring charges related primarily to cash-based severance costs of \$34.4 million during the year ended December 31, 2015. The Company does not expect significant future cash-based severance charges to be incurred as the actions under this plan were substantially completed during the 6 months ended December 31, 2015. As of December 31, 2015, the Company had a balance of approximately \$23.1 million in accrued expenses, of which \$15.2 million is expected to be paid during the year ended December 31, 2016.

All amounts related to the Restructuring Plan were recorded in Restructuring charges within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

The following is a summary of the restructuring charges the Company recorded:

	Asset				Other Exit					
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	Imp	airment	S	Severance	L	ease Costs		Costs		Total
Restructuring charge	\$	4,121	\$	34,353	\$	555	\$	1,178	\$	40,207
Paid or Utilized		(4,121)		(11,930)		-		(1,046)		(17,097)
Liability as of December 31, 2015	\$	-	\$	22,423	\$	555	\$	132	\$	23,110

#### 10. Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date (an exit price). The fair value accounting guidance outlines a valuation framework, creates a fair value hierarchy in order to increase the consistency and comparability of fair value measurements and the related disclosures, and prioritizes the inputs used in measuring fair value as follows:

Level 1: Observable inputs such as quoted prices in active markets;

Level 2: Inputs, other than quoted prices in active markets, that are observable either directly or indirectly; and

Level 3: Unobservable inputs for which there is little or no market data, which require the reporting entity to develop its own assumptions.



Financial assets and (liabilities) measured at fair value are set forth in the table below:

		December 31, 2015			December 31, 2014			
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	Level 1	I	Level 2	Level 3	Level 1	]	Level 2	Level 3
Assets:								
Derivative foreign currency contracts		\$	2,001			\$	4,199	
Total derivative assets		\$	2,001			\$	4,199	
Liabilities:								
Derivative foreign currency contracts		\$	(379)			\$	(357)	
Total derivative liabilities		\$	(379)			\$	(357)	

Fair values of the financial assets listed above are determined using inputs that use as their basis readily observable market data that are actively quoted and are validated through external sources, including third-party pricing services and brokers. The foreign currency forward contracts represent gains and losses on derivative contracts, which is the net difference between the U.S. Dollar value to be received or paid at the contracts' settlement date and the foreign currency to be sold or purchased at the current forward exchange rate. The fair value of the Company's foreign exchange contracts was determined using the market approach and Level 2 inputs.

The Company's derivatives are not designated as hedging instruments. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the aggregate notional value of the Company's outstanding derivative foreign currency contracts were \$65.4 million and \$56.0 million, respectively, which was comprised of Canadian Dollar/U.S. Dollar, and Euro/U.S. Dollar currency pairs with contract maturities ranging from one to twelve months. The Company records its gains and losses on derivatives not designated as hedging within Net revenue within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

The amount of gains (losses) disclosed within Net revenue in the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Loss are as follows:

	Amount of Gain (Loss) Recognized on Derivatives						
Derivatives Not Designated as Hedging	for the Years Ended December 31,						
Instruments	2015	2014	2013				
Foreign exchange contracts	\$ (2,232)	\$ 6,041	\$ (1,269)				

#### Assets Measured and Recorded at Fair Value on a Non-Recurring Basis

The Company's non-financial assets, such as goodwill, other intangible assets and property and equipment are only recorded at fair value if an impairment charge is recognized.

The Company recorded an impairment charge of \$2.0 million during the year ended December 31, 2014 related to the impairment of Property and Equipment. The Company classified these measurements as Level 3, as the Company used unobservable inputs within the valuation methodologies that were significant to the fair value measurements, and the valuation required management judgment due to the absence of quoted market prices. Refer to Note 5 Property and Equipment, net for additional information.

The Company did not recognize any impairment on its goodwill or intangible assets during the year ended December 31, 2015 and 2014.

#### 11. Income Taxes

The Company accounts for income taxes in accordance with ASC Topic 740 — Income Taxes ("ASC 740"). Income taxes as presented herein attribute current and deferred income taxes of the Parent to the Company's consolidated financial statements in a manner that is systematic, rational, and consistent with the asset and liability approach prescribed by ASC 740. Accordingly, the Company's income tax provision was prepared following the separate return method. The separate return method applies ASC 740 to the standalone financial statements of each member of the consolidated group of the Parent as if the group member was a separate taxpayer and a standalone enterprise. As a result, actual income tax transactions included in the consolidated financial statements of the Parent may not be included in the separate consolidated financial statements of the Company. Similarly, the income tax treatment of certain items reflected in the separate consolidated financial statements and income tax returns of the Parent. Therefore, items such as net operating losses, credit carryforwards, uncertain tax positions, other deferred taxes, and valuation allowances may exist in the separate consolidated financial statements that may or may not exist in the Parent's consolidated financial statements.

The Company only maintains taxes payable to/from the taxing authorities for which the Company files tax returns separate from the Parent. To the extent that amounts are not recoverable, not settled through tax sharing, or not due to taxing authorities, the Company treats these amounts as capital contributions from, or dividends to, the parent company. Under the Parent's tax sharing agreement, members that join in the consolidated federal or combined/unitary state returns are not paid for the use of their net operating losses. To the extent that the overall consolidated group is in a taxable position, the members with taxable income share proportionately in the tax liability.

Income (loss) before provision for income taxes consisted of the following:

	Years Ended December 31,							
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	2015	2014		2013				
United States	\$ (63,197)	\$ (306)	\$	(9,935)				
Outside the United States	(500)	10,339		2,265				
Income (loss) before income taxes	\$ (63,697)	\$ 10,033	\$	(7,670)				

The income tax provision is comprised of the following:

	Years Ended December 31,					
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	2015	2014	2013			
Federal	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -			
State and city	348	387	504			
Foreign	3,286	3,146	1,326			
Current income tax provision	 3,634	3,533	1,830			
Federal	 7,471	9,141	316			
State and city	9	546	(128)			
Foreign	38	88	(117)			
Deferred income tax provision	 7,518	9,775	71			
Income tax expense	\$ 11,152	\$ 13,308	\$ 1,901			

The tax effects of temporary differences which give rise to significant portions of the Deferred tax assets and liabilities at December 31, 2015 and 2014 are summarized below. As indicated previously under Note 2 Significant

Accounting Policies, the Company is early adopting ASU 2015-17 requiring that all deferred tax assets and liabilities, along with any related valuation allowance, be classified as Other assets and Other non-current liabilities within the Consolidated Balance Sheets.

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	December 31,		
	2015		2014
Deferred tax assets			
Accruals and reserves	\$ 27,349	\$	18,292
Fixed assets	15,179		16,141
Net operating loss carryforwards	152,552		124,941
Foreign tax credit carryforwards	11,525		7,983
Other	2,805		5,355
Subtotal	 209,410		172,712
Valuation allowance	 (209,276)		(172,554)
Total deferred tax assets	\$ 134	\$	158
Deferred tax liabilities			
Goodwill and intangibles	(125,218)		(117,824)
Other	(60)		(40)
Total deferred tax liabilities	\$ (125,278)	\$	(117,864)
Net deferred tax assets/(liabilities)	\$ (125,144)	\$	(117,706)

Deferred tax valuation allowances increased approximately \$36.7 million, \$9.1 million, and \$6.4 million in 2015, 2014, and 2013, respectively.

The following is a reconciliation of the statutory federal income tax rate to the effective rate reported in the consolidated financial statements:

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	For the Years ended December 31,					
		2015		2014		2013
Provision for federal income taxes at 35% statutory rate	\$	(22,294)	\$	3,512	\$	(2,684)
Valuation allowance		36,722		9,107		6,354
Foreign tax credit, net of foreign provision		(3,015)		(485)		(1,701)
State tax benefit, net of federal		(2,736)		(1,726)		(273)
Uncertain tax positions		3,173		4,230		990
Permanent differences		(305)		274		(710)
Other		(405)		(93)		284
Foreign tax rate differential		12		(1,511)		(359)
Actual provision for income taxes	\$	11,152	\$	13,308	\$	1,901



#### Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes

The Company accounts for uncertain income tax positions in accordance with ASC 740. The Company recognizes uncertain tax positions when, notwithstanding the Company's belief that its tax return positions are supportable, the Company believes that certain positions may not be fully sustained based on the technical merits upon review by tax authorities. Each period, the Company assesses uncertain tax positions for recognition, derecognition and measurement. Tax benefits from uncertain tax positions are measured at the largest amount of benefit that is greater than 50 percent likely of being realized upon settlement—the more-likely-than-not recognition threshold. Where it has been determined that the Company's tax return filing position does not satisfy the more-likely-than-not recognition threshold, no tax benefits have been recorded.

At December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Company has liabilities related to its uncertain tax positions, including accrued interest, of approximately \$5.3 million and \$2.9 million, respectively, which are included in Other non-current liabilities within the Consolidated Balance Sheets.

The total amount of unrecognized tax benefits that, if recognized, would impact the effective tax rate was approximately \$4.4 million and \$2.2 million at December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively. The remaining uncertain tax benefits are shown as a reduction to net operating loss carryforwards, for which the resultant net deferred tax asset has a full valuation allowance against it. The federal net operating loss carryforwards were reduced by \$0.8 million, \$3.9 million and \$0.6 million for uncertain tax benefits during the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively. A reconciliation of the beginning and ending amount of unrecognized tax benefits, excluding accrued interest, is as follows:

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	2015		2014		2013
Unrecognized tax benefits beginning balance	\$ 19,565	\$	14,631	\$	13,461
Additions related to prior period tax positions	2,073		-		-
Additions related to current period tax positions	1,232		4,934		1,170
Decreases from prior period positions	-		-		-
Decreases from lapse of statute of limitations	-		-		-
Decreases related to audit settlements	-		-		-
Unrecognized tax benefits ending balance	\$ 22,870	\$	19,565	\$	14,631

The Company recognizes interest expense and penalties accrued on unrecognized tax benefits in Income tax expense within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. The Company recorded interest expense and penalties related to income taxes of \$0.2 million, \$0.1 million, and \$0.2 million during the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively in Interest expense within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. At December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Company recorded accrued expenses related to interest and penalties of \$0.9 million and \$0.7 million, respectively, in Other non-current liabilities within the Consolidated Balance Sheets.

The Company is also subject to ongoing tax examinations in various jurisdictions. The Company's ongoing assessments of the more-likely-than-not outcomes of the examinations and related tax positions requires judgment and can increase or decrease the effective tax rate, as well as impact the Company's operating results. The specific timing of when the resolution of each tax position will be reached is uncertain. As of December 31, 2015, the Company does not believe that there are any unrecognized tax benefits for which it is reasonably possible to significantly increase or decrease within the next 12 months.

The Company and certain of its subsidiaries are subject to U.S. Federal income tax as well as income tax of multiple state, local, and foreign jurisdictions. The Company currently has state and foreign tax years open from the years ended December 31, 2010 through December 31, 2015. The Company is currently under U.S. Federal income tax

examination for the years ended December 31, 2011 and December 31, 2012 for which the statute has been extended.

#### **Deferred Taxes**

The Company has not provided deferred taxes on approximately \$5.4 million of undistributed earnings of the Company's foreign subsidiaries at December 31, 2015. Those undistributed earnings have been determined to be indefinitely reinvested and the Company currently does not plan to initiate any action that would precipitate a deferred tax impact. At this point in time it is not practical to estimate the potential deferred tax impact, as there is a significant amount of uncertainty with respect to determining the amount of foreign tax credits as well as any additional local tax withholding tax and other indirect tax consequences that may arise from the distribution of these earnings.

In assessing the realizability of deferred tax assets, management considers whether it is more likely than not that some portion or all of the deferred tax asset will not be realized. The Company's ability to realize its deferred tax assets depends upon the generation of sufficient future taxable income to allow for the utilization of its deductible temporary differences and carryforwards. At this time, based on current facts and circumstances, management believes that it is not more likely than not that the Company will realize the benefit for its net U.S. and state and local deferred tax assets excluding the deferred tax liability on its indefinite lived intangible assets, and a valuation allowance has been recorded on the same.

The Company has operations in federal and certain state and local and foreign jurisdictions that on a hypothetical separate business basis would have tax credit and net operating loss carryforwards. The operations of the Company were included in the consolidated federal and certain combined/unitary state income tax returns of the Parent for all periods presented. Such inclusion results in utilization of losses and tax credits each year to offset the tax liability of other members of the Parent's federal consolidated and state combined/unitary group that are not included in these consolidated financial statements. Accordingly, these carryforwards may not all be available for use in the future. At December 31, 2015, if the Company was a separate taxpayer and a standalone enterprise, the Company would have U.S. federal net operating loss carryforwards of approximately \$437.0 million that will begin to expire in 2021. The Company also has net operating loss carryforwards in New York and New York City of approximately \$209.6 million and \$441.8 million, respectively, which begin to expire in the year ended December 31, 2035. The remaining carryforwards are other state and foreign net operating loss carryforwards.

#### 12. Capital Stock

#### **Common Stock**

As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Company's capital stock consists of 6,000 shares issued and outstanding at a par value of \$0.01. Each share of common stock entitles the holder to one vote. All shares of capital stock of the Company will be junior in rank to the preferred stock with respect to the preferences as to dividends, distributions and payments upon the liquidation, dissolution and winding-up of the Company. The common stock holders will be entitled to receive dividends if and when declared by the Company's Board of Directors.

#### **Preferred Stock**

As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Company's preferred stock consists of 1,000 shares issued and outstanding at a par value of \$0.01. The preferred stock is non-voting and non-convertible with cumulative dividends equal to a rate of \$15.0 thousand per share per year.

The preferred stock does not have a stated maturity date and is not subject to any sinking fund or mandatory redemption provisions. Upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up, the preferred stock will rank senior to the common stock with respect to the payment of distributions.

The Company has not declared or paid dividends on preferred stock since December 31, 2005. The Company has no accrued dividends at December 31, 2015 and 2014.

#### 13. Commitments and Contingencies

#### Leases

The following schedule sets forth the future minimum rental payments for operating leases having non-cancelable lease periods in excess of one year as of December 31, 2015:

Years Ending December 31,	 Amount
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	
2016	\$ 35,152
2017	34,572
2018	33,788
2019	32,757
2020	26,043
2021 and thereafter	49,192
	\$ 211,504

Rent expense on the above operating leases for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013 was approximately \$45.0 million, \$47.3 million and \$43.0 million, respectively, including contingent rentals of \$0.7 million, \$1.2 million and \$1.5 million in each respective fiscal year.

As of December 31, 2015, the Company had \$39.9 million of open inventory purchase order commitments. The terms of these purchase order commitments are less than one year in duration.

#### Legal Proceedings

In addition to the legal matters described below, the Company is involved from time to time in routine legal matters and litigation incidental to its business. Although the outcome of any such matters and litigation cannot be determined with certainty, management is of the opinion that the final outcome of these matters and litigation will not have a material effect on the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheets and Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

#### **Intern Class Action**

On August 28, 2013, a former intern with The Donna Karan Company LLC filed a claim in New York State Supreme Court against Donna Karan Studio LLC and Donna Karan International Inc. The Donna Karan Company Store LLC and The Donna Karan Company LLC have since been correctly substituted, asserting claims under New York State law on the former intern's own behalf and on behalf of a putative class of individuals who held internships from August 28, 2007 to the present, that the interns were misclassified and should have been paid as "employees" in accordance with New York State wage and hour laws. The complaint sought class-wide damages including, among other things, unpaid wages, liquidated damages, interest and attorneys' fees.

In August 2016, the parties executed a settlement agreement and a motion has been filed in court seeking preliminary approval of the settlement, which contemplates payments to former interns on a claims-made basis, payment of fees to the named plaintiff's attorneys, a service payment to the named plaintiff and a payment to a claims administrator that will manage the settlement for an amount up to \$0.6 million. The motion for preliminary approval has not yet been scheduled.



#### Italian Case

In 2003, a suit was brought against The Donna Karan Company LLC in the Civil Tribunal of Florence, Italy. The suit involves a dispute arising from the termination of an agreement with a former buying agent. The former buying agent requests damages for alleged (i) improper notice of termination; (ii) indemnity payment for termination of an agency agreement, (iii) unpaid commissions for orders placed in breach of the agreement; and (iv) other unspecified damages. The Company counterclaimed for damages for alleged breaches of the agreement.

In March 2013, the plaintiff brought the action in the Civil Tribunal Court of Florence. In February 2014, the Court dismissed the case for lack of jurisdiction on the basis that the disputed contract is not an agency agreement and, as a result, the Italian provision on agency which allegedly excludes the arbitrarily of agency disputes does not apply. In September 2014, the plaintiff challenged the decision of the first instance Court of Florence. By decision in April 2015, the Court of Appeal of Florence declared that the plaintiff's appeal was not admissible and confirmed the first instance decision.

In June 8, 2015, the former buying agent challenged both the decisions of the first instance court and of the Court of Appeal of Florence before the Supreme Court of Cassation of Italy, asking the court to ascertain that the arbitral clause included in the disputed contract is not valid and effective and to establish that its claim falls within the jurisdiction of Italian Courts. The Supreme Court of Cassation of Italy held the final hearing for discussion on October 25, 2016. A decision from this hearing is pending.

For the matters disclosed above, in view of the inherent difficulty of predicting the outcome of litigation, claims and other matters, the Company often cannot predict what the eventual outcome of a pending matter will be, or what the timing or results of the ultimate resolution of a matter will be.

#### 14. Employee Benefit Plans

#### **Defined Contribution Plans**

The Company maintains a 401(k) plan (the "Plan") and trust for U.S. based non-union employees. The Company matches 50.0% of the first 7.0% of the participant's contributed pay for a maximum amount of 3.5% of a participant's eligible compensation. The Company made matching contributions of approximately \$1.3 million in each of the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

#### **Multi-employer Pension Plan**

Certain of the Company' U.S. union employees participate in a defined benefit pension plan sponsored by Board of Trustees – National Retirement Fund, which include participants of other employers. The Company accounts for the Pension Plan of the National Retirement Fund (the 'Retirement Fund') as multi-employer benefit plan. The Plan's Employer Identification Number ('EIN') is 13-6130178. Accordingly, the Company does not record an asset or liability to recognize the funded status of the plan. The Company recognizes a liability only for any required contributions to the plan that are accrued and unpaid at the balance sheet date. The related pension expenses allocated to the Company are based on pensionable compensation of active participants. The Company contributes to the plan under the terms of collective-bargaining agreements that cover certain of its union-represented employees. The collective bargaining agreement expires in May 2019.

The risks of participating in these multiemployer pension plans are different from single-employer pension plans such that (i) contributions made by the Company to the multiemployer pension plans may be used to provide benefits to employees of other participating employers; (ii) if the Company chooses to stop participating in certain of these multiemployer pension plans, it may be required to pay those plans an amount based on the underfunded status of the plan, which is referred to as a withdrawal liability; and (iii) actions taken by a participating employer that lead to a deterioration of the financial health of a multiemployer pension plan may result in the unfunded obligations of the multiemployer pension plan being borne by its remaining participating employers.

The financial health of a multiemployer plan is defined by the Pension Protection Act of 2006. The funded status of the plan is certified by the plan's actuary. Plans are in "endangered" status if the funded percentage is less than 80.0% funded, "critical" status if less than 65.0% funded and "critical and declining" status if it is in "critical" status and is projected to become insolvent within 15 years (or within 20 years if a special rule applies). If a pension plan enters "endangered" status, the trustees of the plan are required to adopt a funding improvement plan. Similarly, if a pension plan enters into "critical" status or "critical and declining" status, the trustees of the plan are required to adopt a rehabilitation plan. Funding improvements and rehabilitation plans establish steps and benchmarks for pension plans to improve their funding status over a specified period of time. The plan sponsor of a plan in "critical and declining" status may apply for approval to amend the plan to reduce current and future payment obligations to participants and beneficiaries.

As of January 1, 2015 the Plan was 71.5% funded. The plan was in "critical" status in the plan year ending December 31, 2015 because the Plan was in "critical" status in the prior plan year and the Plan is projected to have an accumulated funding deficiency within nine years as of December 31, 2015. In an effort to improve the Plan's funding situation, the trustees adopted a rehabilitation plan effective April 1, 2010 and amended in 2012 and 2014 containing contribution rate increases and future benefit accrual reductions.

As of December 31, 2014 the Company was not listed as providing more than 5.0% of total contributions of the Plan. Total contributions made by the Company to the Plan for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013 were approximately \$0.4 million. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014 the Plan's net assets were \$2,276.6 million and \$2,449.9 million, respectively. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Plan's accumulated benefit obligations were \$11.0 million and \$11.5 million.

#### 15. Subsequent Events

The consolidated financial statements of the Company are derived from the financial statements of the Parent, which issued its annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2015 on February 12, 2016. Accordingly, the Company has evaluated transactions or other events for consideration as recognized subsequent events in the annual financial statements through February 12, 2016. Additionally, the Company has evaluated transactions and other events that occurred through the issuance of these consolidated financial statements, November 22, 2016, for purposes of disclosure of unrecognized subsequent events.

On July 25, 2016, G-III announced their intention to acquire all of the outstanding capital stock of the Company pursuant to a Stock Purchase Agreement dated July 22, 2016 between G-III and the Parent. The closing is subject to certain closing conditions. On November 11, 2016, G-III notified the Parent of the intent to elect under section 338 (h) (10) of the Internal Revenue Code which effectively changed the treatment of G-III's acquisition of the Company from a stock transaction to an asset transaction for tax purposes.



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#### Donna Karan International Inc. Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss Nine Months Ended September 30, 2016 and 2015 (Unaudited)

	Nine	Months Ende	led September 30,		
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	20	16	-	2015	
Net revenue	\$	191,643	\$	383,623	
Cost of goods sold		118,076		242,908	
Gross profit		73,567		140,715	
Selling, general and administrative		119,024		153,612	
Restructuring charges		12,739		35,886	
Operating loss		(58,196)		(48,783)	
Other income (loss)		74		(5)	
Foreign currency transaction loss		(3,966)		(880)	
Interest expense, net		919		731	
Loss before income taxes		(63,007)		(50,399)	
Income tax expense		1,249		9,336	
Net loss	\$	(64,256)	\$	(59,735)	
Other comprehensive income					
Foreign currency translation adjustments	\$	2,367	\$	287	
Other comprehensive income		2,367		287	
Comprehensive loss	\$	(61,889)	\$	(59,448)	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

## Donna Karan International Inc.

Consolidated Balance Sheets As of September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015 (Unaudited)

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	Ser	otember 30, 2016	De	ecember 31, 2015	Se	ptember 30, 2015
Assets						
Current assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,602	\$	3,100	\$	3,041
Accounts receivable, net of allowances for doubtful accounts, estimated sales returns and						
other allowances of \$10,755, \$21,192 and \$20,758 as of September 30, 2016, December 31,						
2015 and September 30, 2015, respectively		8,707		18,568		30,726
Inventories, net		31,730		34,170		61,556
Derivative assets		133		2,001		876
Prepaid expenses		5,878		7,404		6,662
Other current assets		1,165		510		338
Total Current assets	-	49,215		65,753		103,199
Property and equipment, net		20,909		19,423		22,152
Other assets		1,184		1,237		1,250
Goodwill and intangible assets		363,965		363,965		363,965
Deferred tax long-term		120		74		148
Total Assets	\$	435,393	\$	450,452	\$	490,714
Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity						
Current liabilities						
Accounts payable		39,880		36,799		57,418
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		17,983		27,697		26,929
Due to Parent and affiliates, net		112,085		60,559		66,748
Income taxes payable		48		629		434
Derivative liabilities		302		379		234
Total Current liabilities		170,298		126,063		151,763
Deferred tax liabilities		125,287		125,218		123,735
Other non-current liabilities		25,738		25,440		27,179
Total Liabilities	\$	321,323	\$	276,721	\$	302,677
Commitments and contingencies (Note 12)						
Stockholder's Equity						
Common stock (6,000 shares authorized, issued and outstanding at September 30, 2016,						
December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015 at \$0.01 par value)		-		-		-
Preferred stock (1,000 shares authorized, issued and outstanding at September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015 at \$0.01 par value)		-		-		-
Additional paid-in capital		697,738		695,510		695,330
Retained earnings		(590,216)		(525,960)		(510,846)
Accumulated other comprehensive income		6,548		4,181		3,553
Total Stockholder's Equity	\$	114,070	\$	173,731	\$	188,037
Total Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity	\$	435,393	\$	450,452	\$	490,714
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#### Donna Karan International Inc. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows Nine Months Ended September 2016 and 2015 (Unaudited)

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	September 30, 2016			September 30, 2015		
Cash flows from operating activities:						
Net loss	\$	(64,256)	\$	(59,735)		
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by operating activities:						
Depreciation		6,253		10,465		
Loss on disposal of Property and equipment		629		2,947		
Deferred taxes		23		5,881		
Fair value remeasurement of Derivatives		1,792		3,201		
Contributions from Parent and affiliates		2,228		590		
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:						
Decrease (increase) in Accounts receivable, net		9,861		13,212		
Decrease (increase) in Inventories, net		2,440		(11,684)		
Decrease (increase) in Prepaid expenses		1,527		(240)		
Decrease (increase) in Other current assets		(655)		802		
Decrease (increase) in Other assets		54		63		
Increase (decrease) in Accounts payable		3,081		(842)		
Increase (decrease) in Accrued expenses and other liabilities		(9,714)		12,565		
Increase (decrease) in all other operating activities, net		2,661		11,546		
Increase (decrease) in Income taxes, net		(581)		434		
Net cash (used in) operating activities	\$	(44,657)	\$	(10,795)		
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Additions to Property and equipment		(8,367)		(6,969)		
Net cash (used in) investing activities	\$	(8,367)	\$	(6,969)		
Cash flows from financing activities:						
Increase in (repayment of) Borrowings from Parent and affiliates		-		(3,022)		
Net financing activities with Parent and affiliates		51,526		17,962		
Net cash provided by financing activities	\$	51,526	\$	14,940		
Net increase (decrease) in Cash and cash equivalents		(1,498)		(2,824)		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		3,100		5,865		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	1,602	\$	3,041		
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:	<u>.</u>	· · · ·	-			
Cash paid during the year for:						
Interest, net of amounts capitalized	\$	-	\$	-		
Income taxes	\$	1,150	ŝ	338		

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#### Donna Karan International Inc. Consolidated Statements of Stockholder's Equity Nine Months Ended September 30, 2016 and 2015 (Unaudited)

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	Common Stock	Preferred Stock	Additional Paid-In Capital	Retained Earnings	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income	5	Total Stockholder's Equity
Balance at December 31, 2014	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 694,740	\$ (451,111)	\$ 3,266	\$	246,895
Net loss	-	-	-	(59,735)	-		(59,735)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	287		287
Contribution from Parent and affiliates	-	-	590	-	-		590
Balance at of September 30, 2015	\$ _	 -	\$ 695,330	\$ (510,846)	\$ 3,553	\$	188,037
Balance at of December 31,							
2015	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 695,510	\$ (525,960)	\$ 4,181	\$	173,731
Net loss	-	-	-	(64,256)	-		(64,256)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	2,367		2,367
Contribution from Parent and affiliates	-	_	2,228	-	-		2,228
Balance at of September 30,			 				
2016	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 697,738	\$ (590,216)	\$ 6,548	\$	114,070

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

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# 1. Basis of Presentation

# **Description of Company**

The consolidated financial statements present the assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses related to Donna Karan International Inc. ("DKI" or the "Company"). DKI is wholly owned by its ultimate parent company, LVMH Moet Hennessey Louis Vuitton S.E. (the "Parent" or "LVMH"). DKI engages in the design, marketing, and sale of apparel, accessories and shoes.

DKI's corporate offices are in the U.S. and has operations in Canada, Holland, Hong Kong, Ireland, Italy, and the United Kingdom.

# **Basis of Presentation**

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a standalone basis and are presented in accordance with U.S. Generally Accounting Principles ("U.S. GAAP"). The consolidated financial statements have been derived from the accounting records of the Parent and reflect the historical results of operations, financial position and cash flows of the Company.

On July 22, 2016, the Parent entered into a definitive agreement to sell the Company to G-III Apparel Group Ltd. ("G-III") (the "Agreement"). Pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, certain assets and liabilities of the Company are excluded from the transaction ("The Excluded Assets and Liabilities"), which primarily relate to certain leases. The Excluded Assets and Liabilities have been included in the basis of presentation of the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements.

The Company has experienced net losses of \$64.3 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2016, and shows negative cash flow from operations for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015. During the periods presented, the Parent has provided significant funding to support the restructuring activities in 2015 and 2016, and other operating activities. The Parent will continue to fund the operating activities of the Company until the closing of the transaction with G-III.

The Parent uses a centralized approach to cash management under which cash deposits are transferred to the Parent on a daily basis and are pooled with other LVMH entities. The centralized approach to cash management was necessary to enable the Company to meet its liquidity needs. This arrangement is not reflective of the manner in which the Company would have been able to finance its operations had it been a standalone business separate from LVMH for the periods presented. The Company's cash and short term borrowings balances related to the central pooling arrangement are reflected in Due to Parent and affiliates and Borrowings from Parent and affiliates within the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements.

The Parent provides certain services, such legal, tax accounting, human resources, employees' benefits and other support services on behalf of the Company. These costs have been allocated to the Company on a specific identification basis or on a percentage of Net revenue. Refer to Note 6 Related Party Transactions for further information on expenses allocated by the Parent and its affiliates to the Company.

For the purpose of these interim consolidated financial statements, income taxes have been calculated using the separate return method. See Note 10, "Income Taxes" for further information.

The historical financial results in the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements presented may not be indicative of the results that would have been achieved had the Company operated as a separate, stand-alone entity during the periods presented. In the opinion of management, the assumptions underlying the historical consolidated financial statements of the Company, including the basis on which the expenses have been allocated from the Parent and other members of LVMH, are reasonable.

However, the allocations may not reflect the expenses that the Company may have incurred as an independent, stand-alone company for the periods presented.



# **Principles of Consolidation**

The interim consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly-owned subsidiaries. All intracompany transactions and balances between and among the Company and its subsidiaries have been eliminated.

### **Interim Period Presentation**

The Interim Consolidated Financial Statements and notes thereto are unaudited and, in the opinion of management, include all adjustments consisting only of normal recurring adjustments considered necessary for a fair statement of the Company's results of operations, financial position and cash flows. The results reported in these consolidated financial statements should not be considered as necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the entire year. The Consolidated Balance Sheet at December 31, 2015 was derived from audited annual financial statements, but does not contain all of the footnote disclosures from the annual financial statements. These interim consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Consolidated Financial Statements as of December 31, 2015 and 2014 and for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2015 and the related notes thereto.

### 2. Significant Accounting Policies

See Note 2, Significant Accounting Policies, in the Consolidated Financial Statements as of December 31, 2015 and 2014 and for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2015 for information on the significant accounting policies, which have been applied in the same manner in preparing the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements.

### 3. Inventories, net

Inventories, net consists of:

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	September 30, 2016		December 31, 2015		S	eptember 30, 2015
Finished goods	\$	36,720	\$	38,109	\$	59,419
Raw materials and work-in-process		3,021		2,504		7,193
Gross inventory		39,741		40,613		66,612
Allowance for obsolescence		(8,011)		(6,443)		(5,056)
Inventories, net	\$	31,730	\$	34,170	\$	61,556

As of September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015, finished goods inventory primarily consisted of apparel, accessories and shoe merchandise. As of September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015, and September 30, 2015, raw materials and work-in-process inventory primarily consisted of fabric.

# 4. Property and Equipment, net

Property and equipment, net consists of:

(U.S. dollars in thousands)		September 30, 2016	December 31, 2015	September 30, 2015
Furniture and fixtures	5 years \$	35,840	\$ 38,516	\$ 40,052
Computer equipment	3-5 years	25,854	25,263	24,858
In-store shop displays	2-4 years	11,428	10,655	20,827
Leasehold improvements	The lower of the lease term or up to			
	7 years	51,978	59,235	61,666
Subtotal		125,100	133,669	147,403
Less: accumulated depreciation		104,191	114,246	125,251
Property and Equipment, net	\$	20,909	\$ 19,423	\$ 22,152

The Company wrote off \$25.2 million and \$1.9 million of fixed assets in the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively, which were fully depreciated at the time of the write-off.

Depreciation expense was \$6.3 million and \$10.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively.

### 5. Goodwill and Intangible Assets

Goodwill and intangible assets consist of:

	September 30,		December 31,		September 30,	
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	2016		2015			2015
Unamortized intangible assets						
Goodwill-Gross	\$	230,873	\$	230,873	\$	230,873
Less: Accumulated impairment		197,150		197,150		197,150
Goodwill, net	\$	33,723	\$	33,723	\$	33,723
Trademarks and Licenses		330,242		330,242		330,242
Goodwill and intangible assets, net	\$	363,965	\$	363,965	\$	363,965

Goodwill represents the excess of the purchase price over the value assigned to net tangible and identifiable intangible assets of businesses acquired and accounted for under the purchase method. Goodwill has been allocated to the reporting units based upon the relative fair values of the reporting units.

The Company reviews and tests its goodwill and intangible assets with indefinite lives for impairment at least annually, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of such assets may be impaired. The Company estimates the fair value of its reporting units and indefinite-lived intangible assets at each testing date using a discounted cash flow analysis.

The discounted cash method, a level 3 fair value measurement, requires that certain assumptions and estimates be made regarding industry and economic factors and future profitability.



The Company did not recognize any goodwill impairment for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015.

The Company also performs an impairment test of its indefinite -lived intangible assets as of the fiscal year-end and more frequently if events or circumstances indicate that the assets may be impaired. The Company did not recognize any impairment on its indefinite lived trademarks for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015.

# 6. Related Party Transactions

### **Related Party Revenue**

The Company recorded \$0.3 million and \$0.2 million of revenues related to administrative and professional services to affiliates for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015 recorded in Other income within the Interim Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

### **Related Party Receivables and Payables**

The table below presents related party receivables and payables:

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	September 30, 2016		1	December 30, 2015	September 30, 2015		
Due from Parent and affiliates							
Operating receivables from Parent and affiliates <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	2	\$	2	\$	2	
Due to Parent and affiliates							
Operating payables to Parent and affiliates <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	112,087	\$	60,561	\$	66,750	
Due to Parent and affiliates, net	\$	112,085	\$	60,559	\$	60,748	

(1) Operating receivables and payables mainly consisted of cash pooling and other financing arrangements with the Parent and affiliates. These balances are classified as financing activities within the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows.

### **Expense Allocations**

The Parent provides certain services, such as legal, tax accounting, human resources, employees' benefits and other support services on behalf of the Company. These costs have been allocated to the Company on a specific identification basis or on a percentage of Net revenue. Management believes the assumptions underlying the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements, including the assumptions regarding allocating general corporate expenses from the Parent, are reasonable. Nevertheless, the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements may not include all of the actual expenses that would have been incurred by the Company and may not reflect the results of operations, balance sheets and cash flows had it been a stand-alone business during the periods presented. The Company has recorded expenses allocated from the Parent of \$7.9 million and \$11.4 million in the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively. These costs are included within Selling, general and administrative expenses within the Interim Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

# **Borrowings from the Parent**

On July 21, 2014 the Company entered into a \$3.0 million unsecured 6-month loan arrangement with an affiliate, LVMH Finance Belgique SA ("LFB"), at an interest rate of 2.1%. On January 15, 2015 the Company renewed the

loan for \$2.9 million at an interest rate of 2.1% for an additional 6 months. The loan was settled by the Company on July 25, 2015.

# **Related Party Interest Expense**

Historically, the Company has had access to funding provided by the Parent and its affiliates. The Company used this funding provided by the Parent and its affiliates to meet its funding requirements after taking into account the cash generated from its operations. The Company recorded related party interest expense on the cash pool and short-term borrowings on the Interim Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss. Interest cost is charged to the Company from the Parent's centralized treasury function based on the fixed and floating rates on the Parent's third-party debt, considering the relevant long-term and short-term funding needs of the Company. The interest rate charged on the related party debt was 0.4% - 2.1% for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015. The Company incurred borrowing costs for related party cost pool and short-term funding arrangements with the Parent of \$0.7 million and \$0.4 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively, recorded in Interest expense, net on the Interim Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

### **Parent Guarantees**

The Parent guarantees certain of the Company's performance to third parties including letters of credit and leases used in the normal course of business.

### Letters of Credit

On December 13, 2004 the Company entered in to a letter of credit facility with a bank for \$30.0 million. On December 14, 2011, the Company increased the letter of credit to \$40.0 million. The letter of credit acts as a performance bond, with a vendor being the beneficiary, if the Company defaults on its obligations. The Parent has guaranteed the full amount of the facility on behalf of the Company. In exchange for the guarantee, the Company is charged an annual fee of 0.2% by the Parent. The facility is subject to a review by the bank for renewal on a semi-annual basis. Letters of credit outstanding were approximately \$12.1 million, \$16.3 million and \$15.8 million at September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015, respectively.

Since 2010, the Company had a letter of credit facility outstanding with another bank of \$15.0 million. The Company uses the facility to issue standby letters of credit for certain guarantees to landlords, with the landlords being the beneficiary, if the Company defaults on their lease obligations. The Parent has guaranteed the full amount of the facility on behalf of the Company. In exchange for the guarantee, the Company is charged a fee of 0.2% by the Parent. The letter of credit is automatically extended by the bank on an annual basis until October 31, 2020. Letters of credit outstanding were approximately \$1.8 million at September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015.

### Leases

The Parent guarantees payment to landlords on behalf of the Company for certain leases. In exchange for the guarantee, the Company is charged an annual interest rate of 0.3% by the Parent.

The fees charged for the Parent's guarantees were \$0.1 million in each of the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively, recorded in Interest expense, net in the Interim Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

### **Contributions from Parent and Affiliates**

The remainder of the net transfer with the Parent that are not expected to be settled, are reflected in Stockholder's Equity within Additional Paid-in Capital on the Interim Consolidated Balance Sheets and Consolidated Statement of Stockholder's Equity and are classified as non-cash operating activities within the Interim Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows.



The following is a summary of the distributions and contributions to/from the Parent and affiliates included in Additional Paid-in Capital:

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	Sept	ember 30, 2016	September 30, 2015
Corporate expense allocations <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	(576) \$	410
Income and franchise taxes <sup>(2)</sup>		180	180
Transaction related fees <sup>(3)</sup>		2,624	-
Contributions from Parent and affiliates	\$	2,228 \$	590

(1) Corporate expense allocations include (distributions) contributions to/from the Parent and affiliates related to employee compensation costs and shared service support including human resources, accounting and tax, legal and brand strategy.

(2) Certain income and franchise taxes related to separate tax expense recorded by the Company were paid by the Parent and affiliates on the Company's behalf.

(3) Certain transaction related fees including audit and professional consulting fees recorded by the Company were paid by the Parent and affiliates on the Company's behalf.

# 7. Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consist of:

(U.S. dollars in thousands)	Sept	ember 30, 2016	De	cember 31, 2015	Ser	2015 ptember 30,
Restructuring (see Note 8)	\$	9,314	\$	15,228	\$	15,940
Employee Compensation		5,878		7,039		7,291
Deferred Revenue		2,000		943		1,623
Other		791		4,487		2,075
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	\$	17,983	\$	27,697	\$	26,929

# 8. Restructuring

During the second quarter of 2015, the Company announced it would discontinue its DKNY Jeans and Donna Karan Collection as separate brands as part of a restructuring plan (the "Restructuring Plan") to better align its brand strategy. This plan included the consolidation and streamlining of the Company's processes and a reduction in its global workforce and other expenses. As part of the Restructuring Plan, the Company decided to close certain stores (including the Company's flagship store in New York) which were vacated during the nine months ended September 30, 2016.

These actions resulted in restructuring charges related primarily to cash-based severance costs of \$2.0 million and \$30.0 million in the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively, and expenses related to store closings of \$9.7 million and \$0.6 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively. As of September 30, 2016, the Company had a balance of approximately \$16.1 million in accrued expenses, of which \$9.3 million is presented within Accrued expenses and other liabilities and is expected to be paid within the next 12 months. As of September 30, 2016, \$6.8 million in accrued expenses are expected to be paid between 2017 through 2022 and is presented in Other non-current liabilities within the Interim Consolidated Balance sheets.

All amounts related to the Restructuring Plan were recorded in Restructuring charges in the Interim Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

The following is a summary of the restructuring charges the Company recorded:



(U.S. dollars in thousands)	Asset pairment	5	Severance	I	Lease Costs	(	Other Exit Costs	Total
Restructuring charge for the nine months ended September 30, 2015	\$ 4,121	\$	30,032	\$	555	\$	1,178	\$ 35,886
Paid or Utilized	(4,121)		(6,820)		-		(750)	(11,691)
Liability as of September 30, 2015	\$ -	\$	23,212	\$	555	\$	428	\$ 24,195
Restructuring charge for the twelve months ended December 31, 2015	\$ 4,121	\$	34,353	\$	555	\$	1,178	\$ 40,207
Paid or Utilized	(4,121)		(11,930)		-		(1,046)	(17,097)
Liability as of December 31, 2015	\$ _	\$	22,423	\$	555	\$	132	\$ 23,110
Restructuring charge for the nine months ended September 30, 2016	\$ -	\$	1,978	\$	9,711	\$	1,050	\$ 12,739
Paid, received or utilized	-		(14,303)		(4,486)		(977)	(19,766)
Liability as of September 30, 2016	\$ 	\$	10,098	\$	5,780	\$	205	\$ 16,083

# 9. Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date (an exit price). The fair value accounting guidance outlines a valuation framework, creates a fair value hierarchy in order to increase the consistency and comparability of fair value measurements and the related disclosures, and prioritizes the inputs used in measuring fair value as follows:

Level 1: Observable inputs such as quoted prices in active markets;

Level 2: Inputs, other than quoted prices in active markets, that are observable either directly or indirectly; and

Level 3: Unobservable inputs for which there is little or no market data, which require the reporting entity to develop its own assumptions.

Financial assets and (liabilities) measured at fair value are set forth in the table below:

	Se	eptember 3	30, 2016	1	Deceml	per 31, 201	5	5	Septemb	er 30, 201	5
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	Level 1	Level	2 Level 3	Level 1	L	evel 2	Level 3	Level 1 Level 2			Level 3
Assets:											
Derivative foreign currency											
contracts		\$	133		\$	2,001			\$	876	
Total derivative assets		\$	133		\$	2,001			\$	876	
Liabilities											
Derivative foreign currency											
contracts		\$ (.	302)		\$	(379)			\$	(234)	
Total derivative liabilities		\$ (.	302)		\$	(379)			\$	(234)	

Fair values of the financial assets listed above are determined using inputs that use as their basis readily observable market data that are actively quoted and are validated through external sources, including third-party pricing services and brokers. The foreign currency forward contracts represent gains and losses on derivative contracts, which is the net difference between the U.S. dollar value to be received or paid at the contracts' settlement date and

the foreign currency to be sold or purchased at the current forward exchange rate. The fair value of the Company's foreign exchange contracts was determined using the market approach and Level 2 inputs.

The Company's derivatives are not designated as hedging instruments. As of September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015 the aggregate notional value of the Company's outstanding derivative foreign currency contracts were \$24.0 million, \$65.4 million, and \$44.8 million, respectively, which was comprised of Canadian Dollar/U.S. Dollar, and Euro/U.S. Dollar currency pairs with contract maturities ranging from one to twelve months. The Company records its gains and losses on derivatives not designated as hedging within Net revenue within the Interim Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

The amount of gains (losses) disclosed within Net revenue in the Interim Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Loss are as follows:

	ount of Gain (Loss) ivatives for the Nin September	e Months Ended
(U.S. dollars in thousands)	2016	2015
Derivatives Not Designated as Hedging Instruments	 	
Foreign exchange contracts	\$ (1,433) \$	(1,922)

### Assets Measured and Recorded at Fair Value on a Non-Recurring Basis

The Company's non-financial assets, such as goodwill, other intangible assets and property and equipment are only recorded at fair value if an impairment charge is recognized.

The Company did not record an impairment charge during the nine months ended September 30, 2016 and 2015.

### 10. Income Taxes

The tax provision for interim periods is determined using an estimate of the Company's annual effective tax rate, adjusted for discrete items arising in that quarter. In each quarter, the Company updates its estimate of the annual effective tax rate, and if the estimated annual tax rate changes, a cumulative adjustment is made in that quarter.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2016, the Company recognized income tax expense of 1.2 million on loss of 63.0 million, an effective tax rate of (2.0)% as compared to income tax expense of 9.3 million on loss of 50.4 million, an effective tax rate of (18.5%), for the nine months ended September 30, 2015.

The difference in the effective tax rate versus the statutory rate for the nine months ended September 30, 2016 was primarily due to changes in uncertain tax provision reserves, the benefit of net operating losses and foreign tax credits offset by the change in valuation allowance, and permanent differences. The Company has unrecognized tax benefits of \$5.5 million and \$5.6 million at September 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively, which includes accrued interest of \$0.1 million and \$0.1 million, respectively. Between September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2015, there was a net decrease in unrecognized tax benefits of \$0.2 million, which included a settlement of \$0.4 million. The unrecognized benefits pertain to foreign and U.S. state level tax positions.

# 11. Common and Preferred Stock

### **Common Stock**

As of September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015, the Company's capital stock consists of 6,000 shares issued and outstanding at a par value of \$0.01. Each share of common stock entitles the holder to one



vote. All shares of capital stock of the Company will be junior in rank to the preferred stock with respect to the preferences as to dividends, distributions and payments upon the liquidation, dissolution and winding-up of the Company. The common stock holders will be entitled to receive dividends if and when declared by the Company's Board of Directors.

# **Preferred Stock**

As of September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015, the Company's preferred stock consists of 1,000 shares issued and outstanding at a par value of \$0.01. The preferred stock is non-voting and non-convertible with cumulative dividends equal to a rate of \$15.0 thousand per share per year. The preferred stock does not have a stated maturity date and is not subject to any sinking fund or mandatory redemption provisions. Upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up, the preferred stock will rank senior to the common stock with respect to the payment of distributions.

The Company has not declared or paid dividends on preferred stock since December 31, 2005. The Company has no accrued dividends at September 30, 2016, December 31, 2015 and September 30, 2015.

# 12. Commitments and Contingencies

# Legal Proceedings

In addition to the legal matters described below, the Company is involved from time to time in routine legal matters and litigation incidental to its business. Although the outcome of any such matters and litigation cannot be determined with certainty, management is of the opinion that the final outcome of these matters and litigation will not have a material effect on the Company's Interim Consolidated Balance Sheets and Interim Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss.

# **Intern Class Action**

On August 28, 2013, a former intern with The Donna Karan Company LLC filed a claim in New York State Supreme Court against Donna Karan Studio LLC and Donna Karan International Inc. (The Donna Karan Company Store LLC and The Donna Karan Company LLC have since been correctly substituted), asserting claims under New York State law on the former intern's own behalf and on behalf of a putative class of individuals who held internships from August 28, 2007 to the present, that the interns were misclassified and should have been paid as "employees" in accordance with New York State wage and hour laws. The complaint sought class-wide damages including, among other things, unpaid wages, liquidated damages, interest and attorneys' fees.

In August 2016, the parties executed a settlement agreement and a motion has been filed in court seeking preliminary approval of the settlement, which contemplates payments to former interns on a claims-made basis, payment of fees to the named plaintiff's attorneys, a service payment to the named plaintiff and a payment to a claims administrator that will manage the settlement for an amount up to \$0.6 million. The motion for preliminary approval has not yet been scheduled.

# Italian Case

In 2003, a suit was brought against The Donna Karan Company LLC in the Civil Tribunal of Florence, Italy. The suit involves a dispute arising from the termination of an agreement with a former buying agent. The former buying agent requests damages for alleged (i) improper notice of termination; (ii) indemnity payment for termination of an agency agreement, (iii) unpaid commissions for orders placed in breach of the agreement; and (iv) other unspecified damages. The Company counterclaimed for damages for alleged breaches of the agreement.

In March 2013, the plaintiff brought the action in the Civil Tribunal Court of Florence. In February 2014, the Court dismissed the case for lack of jurisdiction on the basis that the disputed contract is not an agency agreement and, as a result, the Italian provision on agency which allegedly excludes the arbitrarily of agency disputes does not apply. In September 2014, the plaintiff challenged the decision of the first instance Court of Florence. By decision in April



2015, the Court of Appeal of Florence declared that the plaintiff's appeal was not admissible and confirmed the first instance decision.

In June 8, 2015, the former buying agent challenged both the decisions of the first instance court and of the Court of Appeal of Florence before the Supreme Court of Cassation of Italy, asking the court to ascertain that the arbitral clause included in the disputed contract is not valid and effective and to establish that its claim falls within the jurisdiction of Italian Courts. The Supreme Court of Cassation of Italy held the hearing for discussion on October 25, 2016. A decision from this hearing is pending.

For the matters disclosed above, in view of the inherent difficulty of predicting the outcome of litigation, claims and other matters, the Company often cannot predict what the eventual outcome of a pending matter will be, or what the timing or results of the ultimate resolution of a matter will be.

### **Purchase Order Commitments**

As of September 30, 2016, the Company had \$24.9 million of open inventory purchase order commitments. The terms of these purchase order commitments are less than one year in duration.

### 13. Subsequent Events

The consolidated financial statements of the Company are derived from the financial statements of the Parent, which issued its annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2015 on February 12, 2016. Accordingly, the Company has evaluated transactions or other events for consideration as recognized subsequent events in the annual financial statements through February 12, 2016. Additionally, the Company has evaluated transactions and other events that occurred through the issuance of these consolidated financial statements, November 22, 2016, for purposes of disclosure of unrecognized subsequent events.

On July 25, 2016, G-III announced their intention to acquire all of the outstanding capital stock of the Company pursuant to a Stock Purchase Agreement dated July 22, 2016 between G-III and the Parent. The closing is subject to certain closing conditions. On November 11, 2016, G-III notified the Parent of the intent to elect under section 338 (h) (10) of the Internal Revenue Code which effectively changed the treatment of G-III's acquisition of the Company from a stock transaction to an asset transaction for tax purposes.

### UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL DATA

Except as otherwise indicated in the information included in this Exhibit 99.3, or as the context may otherwise require, references to (i) the terms "we," "us," "G-III," and "our" refer to G-III Apparel Group, Ltd. and its subsidiaries; (ii) the term "DKI" refers to Donna Karan International Inc. and its subsidiaries (iii) the term "Acquisition" refers to our acquisition of all of the stock of DKI and its subsidiaries.

On December 1, 2016, G-III acquired all of the outstanding capital stock of DKI from LVMH Moet Hennessy Louis Vuitton Inc. ("LVMH") for a total purchase price of approximately \$650 million, subject to certain adjustments. The stock purchase agreement provided for the purchase price to be paid by the Company with a combination of (i) cash, (ii) \$75 million of newly issued shares of G-III common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, equivalent to approximately 2.6 million shares, to the seller and (iii) a junior lien secured promissory note in favor of LVMH in the principal amount of \$125 million. The Company paid the cash portion of the purchase price from the proceeds of \$350.0 million of borrowings under a senior secured term loan facility ("the term loan") and the balance from borrowings under a \$650.0 million senior secured asset-based revolving credit facility ("the revolving credit facility").

The following unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements are based on our historical consolidated financial statements and DKI's historical consolidated financial statements as adjusted to give effect to the December 1, 2016 acquisition of DKI. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of October 31, 2016 has been derived from G-III's unaudited consolidated balance sheet as of October 31, 2016 has been derived from G-III's unaudited consolidated balance sheet as of October 31, 2016. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations for the nine months ended October 31, 2016 and DKI's unaudited statement of income for the nine months ended October 31, 2016 and DKI's unaudited statement of operations for the nine months ended October 31, 2016. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of the Acquisition as if it had occurred on February 1, 2016. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations for the fiscal year ended January 31, 2016 has been derived from G-III's unaudited statement of operations for the fiscal year ended January 31, 2016 has been derived from G-III's audited consolidated statement of income for its fiscal year ended January 31, 2016 has been derived from G-III's audited consolidated statement of operations for the fiscal year ended January 31, 2016 has been derived from G-III's audited consolidated statement of income for its fiscal year ended January 31, 2016 has been derived from G-III's audited consolidated statement of operations for the consummation of the Acquisition as if it had occurred on February 1, 2015 and gives effect to the consummation of the Acquisition as if it had occurred on February 1, 2015 and gives effect to the consummation of the Acquisition as if it had occurred on February 1, 2015.

The pro forma adjustments are based upon available information and certain assumptions that we consider reasonable. The pro forma results of operations are not necessarily indicative of the results of operations that we would have achieved had the Acquisition reflected therein been consummated on the date indicated or that we will achieve in the future. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data is based on preliminary estimates and assumptions set forth in the accompanying notes. Pro forma adjustments related to the balance sheet are necessary (i) to reflect the estimated purchase price, (ii) to adjust amounts related to the assets and liabilities of DKI to a preliminary estimate of their fair values and (iii) to eliminate DKI intercompany balances. Pro forma adjustments related to the statement of operations are also necessary (i) to reflect the changes in depreciation and amortization expense resulting from fair value adjustments to intangible assets, (ii) to reflect interest expense due to incremental borrowings to fund the Acquisition, (iii) to reflect the taxation of G-III's and DKI's combined income as a result of the Acquisition as well as the tax effects related to such pro forma adjustments, (iv) to adjust for accounting policy changes to conform to G-III's presentation and (v) to reflect shares issued in conjunction with the Acquisition.

The pro forma adjustments and allocation of purchase price are preliminary and are based on our estimates of the fair value of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed. The final purchase price allocation will be completed after asset and liability valuations are finalized. This final valuation will be based on the actual assets and liabilities of DKI that exist as of the date of the completion of the Acquisition. Any final adjustments may materially change the allocation of the purchase price, which could affect the fair value assigned to the assets and liabilities and could result in a significant change to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data.

# Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Balance Sheet As of October 31, 2016 (in thousands)

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	Historical G-III	Historical DKI	Pro Forma Adjustments	G-III Pro Forma Condensed Combined
ASSETS				
CURRENT ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	44,996	1,602	-	46,598
Receivables, net of allowances	537,073	8,707	-	545,780
Inventories, net	490,555	31,730	-	522,285
Deferred income taxes	17,571	-	-	17,571
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	16,326	7,176	12,002(g)	35,504
Total current assets	1,106,521	49,215	12,002	1,167,738
INVESTMENT IN JOINT VENTURE	61,456	-	-	61,456
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT, NET	101,579	20,909	-	122,488
OTHER ASSETS	25,244	1,184	-	26,428
OTHER INTANGIBLES, NET	9,910	-	15,000(b)	24,910
TRADEMARKS, NET	68,637	363,965	122,035(b)	554,637
GOODWILL	50,094	-	162,157(b)	212,251
TOTAL ASSETS	1,423,441	435,273	311,194	2,169,908
LIABILITIES AND OWNERS' EQUITY	i			
Current liabilities				
Notes payable	91,334	-	254,395(e)	345,729
Accounts payable	181,653	39,880	5,169(d)	226,702
Income tax payable	25,184	48	-	25,232
Due to related party	-	112,085	(112,085)(c)	-
Accrued expenses	103,844	18,285	-	122,129
Total current liabilities	402,015	170,298	147,479	719,792
NOTES PAYABLE, NET	-	-	410,128(e)(f)(g)	410,128
DEFERRED INCOME TAXES	21,575	125,287	(125,287)(k)	21,575
OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	29,949	25,618	-	55,567
TOTAL LIABILITIES	453,539	321,203	432,320	1,207,062
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
TOTAL OWNERS' EQUITY	969,902	114,070	75,000(a)	1,158,972
			(187,957)(j)	(187,957)
			(8,169)(d)	(8,169)
TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND OWNER'S EQUITY				
Total Stockholders' Equity	969,902	114,070	(121,126)	962,846
Total Liabilities and Owner's equity	1,423,441	435,273	311,194	2,169,908

See accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet.

# Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Statement of Operations

**Nine months ended October 31, 2016** *(in thousands, except per share amounts)* 

	Historical G-III	Historical DKI	Pro Forma Adjustments	G-III Pro Forma Condensed Combined
Net sales	1,783,145	191,643	612(i)	1,975,400
Cost of goods sold	1,140,381	118,076	-	1,258,457
Gross profit	642,764	73,567	612	716,943
Selling, general and administrative expenses	504,547	112,771	(2,388)(d)(i)	614,930
Restructuring charge	-	12,739	-	12,739
Depreciation and amortization	22,898	6,253	750(b)	29,901
Operating profit	115,319	(58,196)	2,250	59,373
Equity in Earnings of Unconsolidated Businesses	820	-	-	820
Other Income	-	(74)	-	(74)
Foreign Currency gain (loss)	-	3,966	-	3,966
Interest and financing charges, net	3,999	919	24,011(e)(f)(g)	28,929
Income before incomes taxes	110,500	(63,007)	(21,761)	25,732
Income tax expense	38,458	1,249	(30,186)(h)	9,521
NET INCOME	72,042	(64,256)	8,425	16,211
NET INCOME PER SHARE :				
Net income per common share – basic	\$ 1.58			\$ 0.34
Historical weighted average number of shares outstanding	45,713		2,609(a)	48,322
Net income per common share – diluted	1.53			0.33
Historical weighted average number of shares outstanding	46,947		2,609(a)	49,556

See accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations.

# Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Statement of Operations

**For the year ended January 31, 2016** *(in thousands, except per share amounts)* 

	Historical G-III	Historical DKI	Pro Forma Adjustments	G-III Pro Forma Condensed Combined
Net sales	2,344,142	494,416	2,183(i)	2,840,741
Cost of goods sold	1,505,504	312,666	-	1,818,170
Gross profit	838,638	181,750	2,183	1,022,571
Selling, general and administrative expenses	628,762	188,823	2,183(i)	819,768
Restructuring charge	-	40,207	-	40,207
Depreciation and amortization	25,392	13,731	1,000(b)	40,123
Operating profit	184,484	(61,011)	(1,000)	122,473
Equity in Earnings of Unconsolidated Businesses	(272)	-	-	(272)
Other Income	(1,068)	(35)	-	(1,103)
Foreign Currency gain (loss)	-	1,766	-	1,766
Interest and financing charges, net	6,691	955	33,473(e)(f)(g)	41,119
Income before incomes taxes	179,133	(63,697)	(34,473)	80,963
Income tax expense	64,800	11,152	(45,996)(h)	29,956
NET INCOME	114,333	(74,849)	11,523	51,007
NET INCOME PER SHARE :				
Net income per common share – basic	\$ 2.52			\$ 1.06
Historical weighted average number of shares outstanding	45,328		2,609(a)	47,937
Net income per common share – diluted	2.46			1.04
Historical weighted average number of shares outstanding	46,512		2,609(a)	49,121

See accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations.

### Notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements

### Note 1 - Basis of presentation

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of October 31, 2016, and the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations for the year ended January 31, 2016 and the nine months ended October 31, 2016 are based on the historical financial statements of G-III Apparel Group, Ltd. ("G-III" or "the Company") and Donna Karan International Inc. and subsidiaries ("DKI") after applying the assumptions and adjustments described in the accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements. G-III's underlying financial information has been derived from the audited consolidated financial statements of G-III contained in G-III's Quarterly Report on Form 10-K for the year ended January 31, 2016 and from the unaudited consolidated financial statements of G-III contained in G-III's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended October 31, 2016. DKI's underlying financial information has been derived from the audited consolidated financial statements of G-III contained in G-III's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended October 31, 2016. DKI's underlying financial information has been derived from the audited consolidated financial statements of DKI provided by the seller for the year ended December 31, 2015 and from the unaudited consolidated financial statements of DKI provided by the seller for the year ended September 30, 2016

The following unaudited pro forma combined statements of operations for the year ended January 31, 2016 and nine months ended October 31, 2016 give effect to these events as if the DKI acquisition had occurred on February 1, 2015 and February 1, 2016, respectively. The following unaudited pro forma combined balance sheet gives effect to these events as if the DKI acquisition had occurred on October 31, 2016.

The Acquisition has been treated as an acquisition of a business, with G-III as the acquirer and DKI as the acquiree. The business combination was accounted for under the acquisition method of accounting in accordance with ASC Topic 805, Business Combinations. As the acquirer for accounting purposes, G-III has estimated the fair value of DKI's assets acquired and liabilities assumed and conformed DKI's accounting policies to its own accounting policies.

The historical financial statements have been adjusted in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements to give effect to pro forma events that are (i) directly attributable to the Acquisition; (ii) factually supportable; and (iii) with respect to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations, expected to have a continuing impact on the combined results. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations exclude non-recurring items, which are directly related to the Acquisition.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements do not reflect the realization of any expected cost savings and other synergies from the Acquisition as a result of cost-savings initiatives planned subsequent to the completion of the Acquisition. Although management believes such cost savings will be realized following the Acquisition, there can be no assurance that these cost savings will be achieved.

This unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data is not intended to reflect the financial position and results of operations which would have actually resulted had the Acquisition been effected on the dates indicated. Further, the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations and balance sheet are not necessarily indicative of the results of operations that may be achieved in the future or what may be reflected in any future balance sheet. No account has been taken of the impact of transactions that have occurred or might occur subsequent to the dates referred to above.

### Note 2 – Financing Transaction

The initial total purchase price of \$650 million consisted of a combination of (i) cash, (ii) 2,608,877 newly issued shares of common stock valued at \$75 million and (iii) the note issued to LVMH in the principal amount of \$125 million. The cash portion of the purchase price was paid from the proceeds of the term loan facility and the revolving credit facility. The initial purchase price has been revised to include adjustments in accordance with the stock purchase agreement. The total consideration paid for the Acquisition is as follows (in thousands):

Initial Purchase Price	\$ 650,000
plus: consideration for 338(h)(10) Tax election	33,000
plus: adjustments to initial purchase price	34,053
Total consideration	\$ 717,053

The initial purchase price is subject to ongoing working capital adjustments.



### Note 3 - Preliminary purchase Price Allocation

The Company has performed a preliminary valuation analysis of the fair market value of DKI's assets to be acquired and liabilities assumed. The following table summarizes the preliminary allocation of the purchase price for DKI to the acquired identifiable assets, assumed liabilities and pro forma goodwill (in thousands):

Total purchase price	\$ 717,053
Net assets acquired	53,896
Intangibles	501,000
Total Net Assets	554,896
Total pro forma goodwill	\$ 162,157

This preliminary purchase price allocation has been used to prepare pro forma adjustments in the pro forma condensed combined balance sheet and pro forma condensed combined statements of operations. The final purchase price allocation will be determined when the Company has completed the detailed valuations and necessary calculations. The final allocation could differ materially from the preliminary allocation used in the pro forma adjustments. The final allocation may include (i) changes in allocations to intangible assets such as trade names and other intangibles as well as goodwill and (ii) other changes to assets and liabilities.

#### Note 4 - Pro Forma Adjustments

(a) Common stock issued to the seller

Represents 2.6 million shares issued to the seller with a value of \$75.0 million.

(b) Goodwill, intangible assets and amortization expense

Reflects the adjustment of historical intangible assets acquired by the Company to their estimated fair values. As part of the preliminary valuation analysis, the Company identified intangible assets, including the trade name and other intangible assets. The valuation of the identifiable intangible assets acquired was based on management's preliminary estimates, currently available information and reasonable and supportable assumptions. The following table summarizes the estimated fair values of DKI's identifiable intangible assets and their estimated useful lives and uses a straight line method of amortization (in thousands)

Indefinite-lived intangibles

Total indefinite-lived intangible assets	\$ 648,157
Goodwill	162,157
Trademarks	\$ 486,000

Finite-lived intangibles

Other intangibles	\$ 15,000
Useful life (years)	15
Yearly amortization	 1,000
Nine months amortization	\$ 750

These preliminary estimates of fair value and estimated useful lives will likely differ from the final amounts the Company will calculate after completing a detailed valuation analysis, and the difference could have a material effect on the accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements. A change in the valuation of intangible assets would cause a corresponding increase or decrease in the balance of goodwill.

### (c) Former parent intercompany eliminations

Represents the elimination of DKI's intercompany balances due to its former parent.

#### (d) Transaction costs

Represents non-recurring costs not reflected in the historical income statements that are directly attributable to the transaction. The amount of transaction costs is \$8.2 million and is recorded as a pro forma adjustment to retained earnings. This amount reflects the payment of estimated costs to be incurred based on the information available, as of the date of this filing. The final Acquisition transaction costs may differ from the amounts included in the pro forma adjustment.

As of October 31, 2016, G-III recorded \$3.0 million in transaction cost expense and will be reversed in the 9 months period ended October 31, 2016 pro forma condensed combined statement of operation to reflect the fact that, on a pro forma basis, these costs were incurred prior to Acquisition. The accounts payable balance is adjusted by \$5.2 million to record pro forma transaction costs incurred for the year ended January 31, 2017.

### (e) Debt and interest expense

Represents the outstanding balance of the term loan, net of unamortized issuance costs, and the balance of the revolving credit facility as of the balance sheet date. The issuance costs related to the revolving credit facility are presented as a deferred asset in accordance with ASC 835-30-S45-1.

#### <u>Term loan</u>

Interest on the outstanding principal amount of the term loan accrues at a rate equal to LIBOR plus an applicable margin of 5.25% (with a 1% floor applicable on LIBOR) or an alternate base rate. For purposes of this unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data, we used an assumed interest rate of 6.25% to reflect pro forma interest expense for the term loan, which corresponds to the current interest calculated on the acquisition date. The loan has a term of 6 years. The Company prepaid \$50.0 million of the original principal amount of \$350.0 million at the initiation of the term loan, as such the interest on the term loan is calculated on the outstanding balance of \$300 million.

	9 month ended	12 months ended	
	October 31, 2016	January 31, 2016	
	(in thou	isands)	
Outstanding balance	300,000	300,000	
Interest rate	6.25%	6.25%	
Interest Expense	14,063	18,750	

The interest rates used for purposes of preparing the unaudited pro forma combined condensed consolidated financial information may be considerably different than the actual rates in place over the life of the term loan facilities based on a number of factors, including market conditions. A 0.125% change in the interest rates applied to the term loan for purposes of this unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data would change the estimated annual interest expense by approximately \$375,000.

### Revolving credit facility

Amounts available under the revolving credit facility are subject to borrowing base formulas and over advances as specified in the revolving credit facility agreement. Borrowings bear interest, at the Company's option, at LIBOR plus a margin of 1.25% to 1.75% or an alternate base rate (defined as the greatest of (i) the "prime rate" of JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. from time to time, (ii) the federal funds rate plus 0.5% and (iii) the LIBOR rate for a borrowing with an interest period of one month) plus a margin of 0.25% to 0.75%, with the applicable margin determined based on the Company's availability under the revolving credit facility agreement. For purposes of this unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data, an assumed total weighted average interest rate of approximately 2.61% was used to reflect pro forma interest expense for the revolving credit facility, which represents the current interest calculated on the acquisition date.

Interest expense related to G-III's revolving credit facility retired on the date of acquisition has been excluded from the pro forma condensed combined statements of operations.



	onths ended ber 31, 2016 <i>(in thou</i>	Janua	onths ended ary 31, 2016
Outstanding balance	\$ 218,948	\$	218,948
Interest expense	4,985		6,646
<i>Minus:</i> interest expense incurred on the amended revolving credit facility.	(571)		(935)

### (f) Note issued to LVMH and interest expense

Represents interest recorded in connection with the note issued to the seller in the principal amount of \$125.0 million as part of the consideration. The note bears interest at a rate of 2.0% per annum, payable quarterly.

	9 months o October 31		12 month ended January 31, 2016	
		(in thousands)		
Outstanding amount	\$ 1	25,000	\$ 125,000	
Interest rate		2.00%	2.00%	
Interest expense		1,875	2,500	

# (g) Debt issuance costs and amortization

Represents the capitalized costs related to the issuance of the term loan and the revolving credit facility. The term loan related issuance costs amounted to \$17.2 million and are amortized using the effective rate interest over the life of the loan (6 years). The revolving credit facility related issuance costs amounted to \$12.0 million and are amortized over the term of the loan agreement (5 years).

	Period ended October 31, 2016 <i>(in thou</i>	Period ended, January 31, 2016 <i>usands</i> )
Term loan capitalized issuance cost, gross	14,872	14,872
Amortization expense	1,859	4,777
Revolving credit facility capitalized issuance costs, gross	12,002	12,002
Amortization expense	1,800	2,400

(h) Income tax rate adjustment to record income taxes at G-III's effective income tax rate of 37.0%

### (i) Cooperative advertising reclassification

Represents the reclassification of Donna Karan's cooperative advertising expense from net sales to selling, general and administrative expenses in order to conform G-III's accounting for this type of expense.

# (j) Total stockholders' equity

Represents the elimination of DKI equity from the purchase accounting adjustments.

### (k) Elimination of deferred income tax balance

Represents elimination of the deferred income tax balance as this deferred tax has been excluded from the liabilities assumed by G-III upon Acquisition.

# (l) Former parent intercompany eliminations

Represents the elimination of DKI's intercompany balances due to its former parent.

# CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

We consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statements on Form S-8 (Nos. 333-80937, 333-115010, 333-125804, 333-143974, 333-160056, 333-184700, 333-205602) of G-III Apparel Group, Ltd. of our report dated November 22, 2016, relating to the consolidated financial statements of Donna Karan International Inc. included in this current report on Form 8-K/A of G-III Apparel Group, Ltd. dated February 13, 2017.

/s/ Ernst & Young LLP

New York, NY

February 13, 2017