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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

Quarterly Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2001.

or

Transition Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. For the Transition period from ----- to -----.

Commission File Number: 0-19671

LASERSIGHT INCORPORATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State of Incorporation)

65-0273162

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

3300 University Blvd., Suite 140, Winter Park, Florida

(Address of principal executive offices)

32792

(Zip Code)

(407) 678-9900

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes X No
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The Number of shares of the registrant's Common Stock outstanding as of November 13, 2001 is 26,437,895.

LASERSIGHT INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES

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Except for the historical information contained herein, the discussion in this report contains forward-looking statements (within the meaning of Section 21E of the Exchange Act) that involve risks and uncertainties. LaserSight's actual results could differ materially from those discussed here. Factors that could cause or contribute to such differences include, but are not limited to, those discussed in the sections entitled "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations - Risk Factors" in this report and in LaserSight's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000. LaserSight undertakes no obligation to update any such factors or to publicly announce the results of any revisions to any of the forward-looking statements contained herein to reflect any future events or developments.

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PART I - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

LASERSIGHT INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

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| ASSETS | September 30, 2001 | December 31, 2000 |
|--|-----------------------|----------------------|
| | ----- | ----- |
| Current assets: | (Unaudited) | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 4,570,092 | 8,593,858 |
| Accounts receivable - trade, net | 8,269,316 | 9,546,368 |
| Notes receivable - current portion, net | 3,713,450 | 4,065,958 |
| Inventories | 12,371,061 | 12,123,877 |
| Deferred tax assets | 55,522 | 55,522 |
| Other current assets | 805,601 | 272,745 |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Total Current Assets | 29,785,042 | 34,658,328 |
| Notes receivable, less current portion, net | 2,332,983 | 2,833,393 |
| Property and equipment, net | 1,788,842 | 2,398,292 |
| Patents, net | 4,555,143 | 7,204,981 |
| Goodwill, net | 3,046,476 | 3,232,425 |
| Other assets, net | 1,688,659 | 1,549,033 |
| | ----- | ----- |
| | \$ 43,197,145 | 51,876,452 |
| | ===== | ===== |
| LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY | | |
| Current liabilities: | | |
| Accounts payable | \$ 3,311,025 | 3,870,791 |
| Accrued expenses | 5,431,229 | 7,030,657 |
| Accrued commissions | 1,798,586 | 1,926,996 |
| Deferred revenue | 1,606,319 | 1,149,415 |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Total Current Liabilities | 12,147,159 | 13,977,859 |
| Accrued expenses, less current portion | 388,335 | 398,767 |
| Deferred royalty revenue, less current portion | 3,592,000 | -- |
| Deferred income taxes | 55,522 | 55,522 |
| Long-term obligations | 116,930 | 109,730 |
| Note payable, net of unamortized discount of \$88,851 at September 30, 2001 | 2,911,149 | -- |
| Commitments and contingencies | | |
| Stockholders' equity: | | |
| Convertible preferred stock, authorized 10,000,000 shares; par value \$.001 per share | | |
| Series C - zero and 2,000,000 issued and outstanding at September 30, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively | -- | 2,000 |
| Series F - 1,276,596 and zero issued and outstanding at September 30, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively | 1,277 | -- |
| Common stock - par value \$.001 per share; authorized 100,000,000 shares; 26,583,095 and 22,920,278 shares issued at September 30, 2001 and December 31, 2000, respectively | 26,583 | 22,920 |
| Additional paid-in capital | 102,912,015 | 98,594,665 |
| Stock subscription receivable | (1,140,000) | |
| Accumulated deficit | (77,271,178) | (59,602,364) |
| Less treasury stock, at cost; 145,200 common shares at September 30, 2001 and December 31, 2000 | (542,647) | (542,647) |
| | ----- | ----- |
| | 23,986,050 | 37,334,574 |
| | ----- | ----- |

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\$ 43,197,145 51,876,452
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See accompanying notes to the condensed consolidated financial statements.

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LASERSIGHT INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
 CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS
 (Unaudited)

| | Three Months Ended September 30, | | Nine Months End September 30, | |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------|
| | 2001 | 2000 | 2001 | 2000 |
| Revenues: | | | | |
| Products | \$ 2,054,407 | 7,015,856 | 9,155,980 | 25,500,000 |
| Royalties | 72,000 | 827,768 | 320,000 | 2,080,000 |
| Services | 238,050 | 165,600 | 749,257 | 570,000 |
| | 2,364,457 | 8,009,224 | 10,225,237 | 28,160,000 |
| Cost of revenue: | | | | |
| Product cost | 1,382,714 | 3,407,500 | 4,858,903 | 10,960,000 |
| Cost of services | 104,742 | 99,264 | 329,673 | 300,000 |
| | 1,487,456 | 3,506,764 | 5,188,576 | 11,260,000 |
| Gross profit | 877,001 | 4,502,460 | 5,036,661 | 16,890,000 |
| Research, development and regulatory expenses | 712,693 | 1,095,951 | 2,587,854 | 3,340,000 |
| Other general and administrative expenses | 5,433,202 | 5,443,899 | 19,346,410 | 16,020,000 |
| Selling related expenses | 1,045,456 | 2,030,860 | 3,705,173 | 5,630,000 |
| Amortization of intangibles | 177,042 | 645,672 | 573,984 | 1,960,000 |
| | 6,655,700 | 8,120,431 | 23,625,567 | 23,620,000 |
| Loss from operations | (6,491,392) | (4,713,922) | (21,176,760) | (10,070,000) |
| Other income and expenses: | | | | |
| Interest and dividend income | 124,416 | 206,798 | 500,798 | 700,000 |
| Interest expense | (149,212) | (10,065) | (352,399) | (200,000) |
| Gain on sale of patent | -- | -- | 3,950,836 | -- |
| Litigation settlement | -- | -- | (591,289) | -- |
| | (24,796) | 196,733 | 2,508,056 | 500,000 |
| Net loss before income taxes | (6,516,188) | (4,517,189) | (17,668,704) | (9,570,000) |
| Income tax expense | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Net loss | \$ (6,516,188) | (4,517,189) | (17,668,704) | (9,570,000) |
| | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== |
| Loss per common share | | | | |
| Basic and diluted: | \$ (0.25) | (0.21) | (0.72) | -- |
| | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== |

Weighted average number of shares

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| | | | | |
|--------------------|------------|------------|------------|-------|
| outstanding | | | | |
| Basic and diluted: | 26,392,000 | 21,689,000 | 24,691,000 | 20,42 |
| | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== |

See accompanying notes to the condensed consolidated financial statements.

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LASERSIGHT INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2001 AND 2000
(Unaudited)

| | 2001 | 2000 |
|---|-----------------|--------------|
| | ----- | ----- |
| Cash flow from operating activities: | | |
| Net loss | \$ (17,668,814) | (9,391,002) |
| Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities: | | |
| Depreciation and amortization | 1,704,643 | 2,748,935 |
| Gain on sale of patent | (3,950,836) | -- |
| Common stock issued for services | 60,469 | -- |
| Options issued in relation to consulting agreement | 33,715 | -- |
| Changes in assets and liabilities: | | |
| Accounts and notes receivable | 2,129,970 | (6,958,430) |
| Inventories | (247,184) | (4,254,349) |
| Accounts payable | (559,766) | 3,356,011 |
| Accrued expenses | (1,220,466) | 2,613,812 |
| Deferred revenue | 4,048,904 | (193,412) |
| Other | (99,827) | (364,688) |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Net cash used in operating activities | (15,769,192) | (12,443,123) |
| Cash flows from investing activities: | | |
| Purchases of property and equipment, net | (381,263) | (1,435,715) |
| Proceeds from sale of patent, net | 6,365,000 | -- |
| Acquisition of intangible assets | -- | (4,513,665) |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities | 5,983,737 | (5,949,380) |
| Cash flows from financing activities: | | |
| Proceeds from common and preferred stock financing, net | 2,925,000 | 19,102,451 |
| Proceeds from exercise of stock options and ESPP | 59,891 | 84,533 |
| Proceeds from debt financing, net | 2,776,798 | -- |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Net cash provided by financing activities | 5,761,689 | 19,186,984 |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | (4,023,766) | 794,481 |
| Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period | 8,593,858 | 11,247,801 |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Cash and cash equivalents, end of period | \$ 4,570,092 | 12,042,282 |
| | ===== | ===== |

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See accompanying notes to the condensed consolidated financial statements.

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LASERSIGHT INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
Nine-Month Periods Ended September 30, 2001 and 2000

NOTE 1 BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying unaudited, condensed consolidated financial statements of LaserSight Incorporated and subsidiaries (LaserSight) as of September 30, 2001, and for the three- and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2001 and 2000 have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America on a going concern basis, which contemplates the realization of assets and the discharge of liabilities in the normal course of business for the foreseeable future.

The Company has incurred significant losses and negative cash flow from operations in each of the last two years and for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2001 and has an accumulated deficit of \$77,271,178 at September 30, 2001. The substantial portion of the losses is attributable to delays in FDA approvals for the treatment of various procedures on the Company's excimer laser system in the U.S. (a key approval for the treatment of nearsightedness with or without astigmatism was received in late September 2001) and the continued development efforts to expand clinical approvals of the Company's excimer laser and other products.

Management of the Company has undertaken steps as part of a plan to improve operations with the goal of sustaining Company operations for the next twelve months and beyond. These steps include (a) increasing U.S. laser sales and revenues based on the recent FDA approvals received; (b) improving pricing and terms of international sales with custom ablation products like the recently announced Corneal Interactive Programmed Topographic Ablation (CIPTA); (c) introducing new refractive products that complement excimer laser systems; (d) controlling overhead and expenses; and (e) raising, if necessary, additional equity capital and/or debt financing.

There can be no assurance the Company can successfully accomplish these steps. Accordingly, the Company's ability to continue as a going concern is uncertain and dependent upon achieving improved operational results and cash flows and, if necessary, obtaining additional financing. These consolidated condensed financial statements do not include any adjustments to the amounts and classification of assets and liabilities that might be necessary should the Company be unable to continue in business.

The condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements for interim financial information and with the instructions to Form 10-Q and Rule 10-01 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and note disclosures required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for complete financial statements. These condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in LaserSight's annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000. In the opinion of management, the

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condensed consolidated financial statements include all adjustments necessary for a fair presentation of consolidated financial position and the results of operations and cash flows for the periods presented. There are no other components of comprehensive loss other than the Company's consolidated net loss for the three- and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2001 and 2000. The results of operations for the three- and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2001 are not necessarily indicative of the operating results for the full year. The report of KPMG LLP, independent auditors, commenting upon their review accompanies the condensed consolidated financial statements included in Item 1 of Part I.

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NOTE 2 PER SHARE INFORMATION

Basic loss per common share is computed using the weighted average number of common shares and contingently issuable shares (to the extent that all necessary contingencies have been satisfied). Diluted loss per common share is computed using the weighted average number of common shares, contingently issuable shares, and common share equivalents outstanding during each period. Common share equivalents include options, warrants to purchase Common Stock, and convertible Preferred Stock and are included in the computation using the treasury stock method if they would have a dilutive effect.

NOTE 3 INVENTORIES

Inventories, which consist primarily of excimer and erbium laser systems and related parts and components, are stated at the lower of cost or market. Cost is determined using the standard cost method, which approximates costs determined on the first-in first-out basis. The components of inventories at September 30, 2001 and December 31, 2000 are summarized as follows:

| | September 30, 2001 | December 31, 2000 |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| | ----- | ----- |
| Raw materials | \$ 7,313,629 | 6,704,447 |
| Work-in-process | 87,271 | 121,474 |
| Finished goods | 4,267,164 | 4,482,276 |
| Test equipment - clinical trials | 702,997 | 815,680 |
| | ----- | ----- |
| | \$12,371,061 | 12,123,877 |
| | ===== | ===== |

NOTE 4 SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Company operates principally in three operating segments: refractive products, patent services and health care services. Refractive product operations primarily involve the development, manufacture, and sale of ophthalmic lasers and related devices for use in vision correction procedures. Patent services involve the revenues and expenses generated from the ownership of certain refractive laser procedure patents, and health care services provides health and vision care consulting services to hospitals, managed care companies, and physicians.

Operating profit is total revenue less operating expenses. In determining operating profit for operating segments, the following items have not been considered: general corporate expenses, expenses attributable to LaserSight Centers Incorporated, a developmental stage

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company in 2000 and non-operating income. Identifiable assets by operating segment are those that are used by or applicable to each operating segment. General corporate assets consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents and income tax accounts.

The table below summarizes information about reported segments as of and for the three months ended September 30:

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| | Operating Revenues | Operating Profit (Loss) | Assets | Depreciation and Amortization | Cap Expen |
|--|-----------------------|----------------------------|------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| 2001 | | | | | |
| Operating segments: | | | | | |
| Refractive products | \$ 2,054,407 | (6,186,116) | 34,970,792 | 425,181 | |
| Patent services | 72,000 | 72,000 | -- | -- | |
| Health care services | 238,050 | (93,018) | 3,290,609 | 70,529 | |
| General corporate | -- | (284,258) | 4,935,744 | 2,424 | |
| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Consolidated total | \$ 2,364,457 | (6,491,392) | 43,197,145 | 498,134 | |
| | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== |
| 2000 | | | | | |
| Operating segments: | | | | | |
| Refractive products | \$ 7,015,856 | (4,832,764) | 44,244,181 | 671,600 | |
| Patent services | 827,768 | 697,437 | 2,877,099 | 129,330 | |
| Health care services | 165,600 | (133,465) | 3,448,237 | 63,571 | |
| General corporate | -- | (375,956) | 12,048,653 | 2,563 | |
| Developmental stage company - LaserSight Centers | -- | (69,174) | 2,340,356 | 69,174 | |
| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Consolidated total | \$ 8,009,224 | (4,713,922) | 64,958,526 | 936,238 | |
| | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== |

Amortization of deferred financing costs and discount on note payable of \$63,612 for the three months ended September 30, 2001, is included as interest expense.

The table below summarizes information about reported segments as of and for the nine months ended September 30:

| | Operating Revenues | Operating Profit (Loss) | Assets | Depreciation and Amortization | Cap Expen |
|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| 2001 | | | | | |
| Operating segments: | | | | | |
| Refractive products | \$ 9,155,980 | (20,055,632) | 34,970,792 | 1,347,078 | |
| Patent services | 320,000 | 320,000 | -- | -- | |
| Health care services | 749,257 | (239,083) | 3,290,609 | 209,777 | |
| General corporate | -- | (1,202,045) | 4,935,744 | 7,842 | |
| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Consolidated total | \$10,225,237 | (21,176,760) | 43,197,145 | 1,564,697 | |

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| | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== |
|----------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-------|
| 2000 | | | | | |
| Operating segments: | | | | | |
| Refractive products | \$25,501,779 | (9,754,619) | 44,244,181 | 1,938,767 | 1, |
| Patent services | 2,086,449 | 1,697,458 | 2,877,099 | 387,990 | |
| Health care services | 577,045 | (326,712) | 3,448,237 | 206,929 | |
| General corporate | -- | (1,487,458) | 12,048,653 | 7,727 | |
| Developmental stage | | | | | |
| company - LaserSight | | | | | |
| Centers | -- | (207,536) | 2,340,356 | 207,522 | |
| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Consolidated total | \$28,165,273 | (10,078,867) | 64,958,526 | 2,748,935 | 1, |
| | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== | ===== |

Amortization of deferred financing costs and discount on note payable of \$139,946 for the nine months ended September 30, 2001, is included as interest expense.

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NOTE 5 SALE OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Sale of Patent

On March 1, 2001, the Company completed the sale of U.S. Patent No. 4,784,135 (Blum Patent) for a cash payment of \$6.5 million offset by expenses of \$135,000. The Company retained a non-exclusive royalty free license and the rights associated with a third party's license under the Blum Patent. Net of costs associated with the sale, the Company recognized a gain on the sale of the patent of approximately \$4.0 million.

NOTE 6 LICENSE AGREEMENTS

Keratome

Effective January 3, 2001, the Company entered into an amended and restated license and royalty agreement related to the Company's keratome products. This agreement replaced an agreement originally entered into in September 1997 and amended in January 2000. Under the terms of the amended and restated license, 730,552 shares of Common Stock were issued, valued at approximately \$1.1 million, in partial payment for royalties during the term of the license. The term of the original agreement was extended for three years until July 31, 2005. In addition, minimum royalty payments totaling approximately \$6.2 million will be due in quarterly installments through the term of the amendment. As of September 30, 2001, remaining minimum royalty payments totaled \$5.2 million. The royalty rate was reduced from 50% to 10% of gross profits in the amended and restated license.

Scanning Patent

On September 7, 2001, the Company entered into a non-exclusive license agreement to its U.S. Patent No. 5,520,679 ('679 Scanning Patent) in exchange for \$3.0 million in cash. The licensor has the option until mid-December 2001 to license additional intellectual property owned by

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the Company for an additional payment of \$2.0 million. If the licensor fails to exercise this option, they will be entitled to receive 10 percent of net royalties, if any, received from future licensees pertaining to the '679 Scanning Patent, up to a maximum of \$3.0 million. In the event the licensor fails to exercise their option, the Company has the option to terminate the license agreement and all rights to future net royalties in exchange for \$3.0 million in cash.

NOTE 7 LOAN AGREEMENT

On March 12, 2001, the Company entered into a loan agreement with Heller Healthcare Finance, Inc. (Heller) for a \$3.0 million term loan at an annual interest rate of prime plus 2.5% (11% at inception date) and a revolving loan in an amount of up to 85% of eligible receivables related to U.S. sales, but not more than \$10.0 million, at an annual interest rate of prime plus 1.25% (9.75% at inception date). Eligible accounts receivable will primarily be based on future U.S. sales. There have been no borrowings under the revolving loan to date. The term loan and the revolving loan mature on March 12, 2003. In connection with the loans, the Company paid an origination fee of \$130,000 and issued warrants to purchase 243,750 shares of Common Stock. At the termination of the loan, an additional fee of \$148,125 will be payable to Heller. The warrants are exercisable at any time from March 12, 2001 through March 12, 2004 at an exercise price per share of \$3.15. Borrowings under the loan agreement are secured by substantially all of the Company's assets. The loan agreement requires the Company to meet certain covenants, including the maintenance of a minimum level of net worth.

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NOTE 8 STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

Private Placement -----

On July 6, 2001, the Company closed a transaction for the sale of 1,276,596 shares of Series F convertible participating preferred stock to a total of two investors in exchange for the Company receiving \$3.0 million in cash. The Series F preferred stock is convertible into Common Stock on a share for share basis. In addition, the investors received a total of 838,905 shares of Common Stock under price protection provisions of the Company's September 2000 private placement.

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Independent Auditors' Review Report

The Board of Directors
LaserSight Incorporated:

We have reviewed the condensed consolidated balance sheet of LaserSight Incorporated and subsidiaries as of September 30, 2001, and the related condensed consolidated statement of operations for the three-month and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2001 and 2000 and the condensed consolidated statement of cash flows for the nine-month periods ended September 30, 2001 and 2000. These condensed consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management.

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We conducted our review in accordance with standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A review of interim financial information consists principally of applying analytical procedures to financial data and making inquiries of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters. It is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements taken as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the condensed consolidated financial statements referred to above for them to be in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We have previously audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the consolidated balance sheet of LaserSight Incorporated and subsidiaries as of December 31, 2000, and the related consolidated statements of operations, comprehensive loss, stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the year then ended (not presented herein); and in our report dated February 9, 2001, except as to note 16, which is as of March 12, 2001, we expressed an unqualified opinion on those consolidated financial statements. In our opinion, the information set forth in the accompanying condensed consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2000, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the consolidated balance sheet from which it has been derived.

/s/ KPMG LLP

St. Louis, Missouri
November 1, 2001

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ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

LaserSight is principally engaged in the manufacture and supply of narrow beam scanning excimer laser systems, keratomes, keratome blades and other related products used to perform procedures that correct common refractive vision disorders such as nearsightedness, farsightedness and astigmatism. Since 1994, we have marketed our laser systems commercially in over 30 countries worldwide and currently have an installed base of over 350 laser systems, including approximately 180 of our LaserScan LSX(TM) laser systems. In March 2000, we began commercial shipments of our LaserScan LSX laser system to customers in the U.S.

NEW ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

In July 2001, the FASB issued Statement No. 141, "Business Combinations", and Statement No. 142, "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets". Statement 141 requires that the purchase method of accounting be used for all business combinations initiated after June 30, 2001 as well as all purchase method business combinations completed after June 30, 2001. Statement 142 will require that goodwill with indefinite useful lives no longer be amortized, but instead tested for impairment at least annually in accordance with the provisions of Statement 142.

The Company is required to adopt the provisions of Statement 141 immediately and Statement 142 effective January 1, 2002. Furthermore, any

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goodwill and intangible assets determined to have an indefinite useful life acquired in a purchase business combination completed after June 30, 2001, but before Statement 142 is adopted in full, will not be amortized, but will continue to be evaluated for impairment in accordance with the appropriate pre-Statement 142 accounting literature. Goodwill and intangible assets acquired in business combinations completed before July 1, 2001 will continue to be amortized and tested for impairment in accordance with the appropriate pre-Statement 142 accounting literature prior to the full adoption of Statement 142.

Management does not expect Statement No. 141 to have a material effect on the consolidated financial statements. Management does expect Statement No. 142 to result in the elimination of amortization of goodwill from previous acquisitions in the amount of approximately \$240,000 in 2002. In connection with Statement 142's transitional goodwill impairment evaluation, the Statement will require the Company to perform an assessment of whether there is an indication that goodwill is impaired as of the date of adoption. Any transitional impairment loss will be recognized as the cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle in the Company's Statement of Operations. Management will test for impairment of goodwill from previous acquisitions at least annually.

In October 2001, the FASB issued Statement No. 144 "Accounting for the Impairment or Disposal of Long-Lived Assets", which supersedes Statement No. 121 "Accounting for the Impairment of Long-Lived Assets and for Long-Lived Assets to be Disposed Of". Statement No. 144 also supercedes the accounting and reporting provisions of APB Opinion No. 30 "Reporting the Results of Operations-Reporting the Effects of Disposal of a Segment of a Business, and Extraordinary, Unusual and Infrequently Occurring Events and Transactions." Statement No. 144 is intended to establish one accounting model for long-lived assets to be disposed of by sale and to address significant implementation issues. The Company will adopt Statement No. 144 on January 1, 2002. Management does not expect Statement No. 144 to have a material effect on the consolidated financial statements.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following table sets forth for the periods indicated information derived from our statements of operations for those periods expressed as a percentage of net sales, and the percentage change in such items from the comparable prior year period. Any trends illustrated in the following table are not necessarily indicative of future results.

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| | As a Percentage of Net Revenues | | | | Percent Increase |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|
| | Three Months | | Nine Months | | Over Prior P |
| | Ended | Ended | Ended | Ended | Three Months |
| | September 30, | September 30, | September 30, | September 30, | 2001 vs. 2000 2 |
| | 2001 | 2000 | 2001 | 2000 | ----- |
| Statement of Operations Data: | | | | | |
| Net Revenues: | | | | | |
| Refractive products..... | 86.9% | 87.6% | 89.6 | 90.5% | (70.7%) |
| Patent service..... | 3.0 | 10.3 | 3.1 | 7.4 | (91.3) |
| Healthcare services..... | 10.1 | 2.1 | 7.3 | 2.1 | 43.8 |
| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | |
| Net Revenues..... | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | (70.5) |
| Cost of Revenue..... | 62.9 | 43.8 | 50.7 | 40.0 | (57.6) |

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| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | |
|---|---------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| Gross Profit (1)..... | 37.1 | 56.2 | 49.3 | 60.0 | (80.5) |
| Research, development and regulatory expenses (2)..... | 30.1 | 13.7 | 25.3 | 11.9 | (35.0) |
| Other general and administrative expenses..... | 229.8 | 67.9 | 189.2 | 56.9 | (0.2) |
| Selling-related expenses (3)..... | 44.2 | 25.4 | 36.2 | 20.0 | (48.5) |
| Amortization of intangibles..... | 7.5 | 8.1 | 5.6 | 7.0 | (72.6) |
| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | |
| Loss from operations..... | (274.5) | (58.9) | (207.0) | (35.8) | 37.7 |

- (1) As a percentage of net revenues, the gross profit for refractive products only for the three months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, and the nine months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, was 33%, 51%, 47% and 57%, respectively.
- (2) As a percentage of refractive product net sales, research, development and regulatory expenses for each of the three months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, and the nine months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, were 35%, 16%, 28% and 13%, respectively.
- (3) As a percentage of refractive product net sales, selling-related expenses for the three months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, and the nine months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, were 51%, 29%, 40% and 22%, respectively.

THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2001, COMPARED TO THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2000

Revenues. Net revenues for the three months ended September 30, 2001 decreased by \$5.6 million, or 70%, to \$2.4 million from \$8.0 million for the comparable period in 2000.

During the three months ended September 30, 2001, refractive products revenues decreased \$5.0 million, or 71%, to \$2.0 million from \$7.0 million for the comparable period in 2000. This revenue decrease was primarily the result of decreased sales of the LaserScan LSX excimer laser system. During the three months ended September 30, 2001, excimer laser system sales accounted for approximately \$1.6 million in revenues compared to \$6.3 million in revenues over the same period in 2000. During the three months ended September 30, 2001, 6 laser systems were sold compared to 19 laser systems sold during the comparable period in 2000. The reduction in laser sales is primarily attributable to the delayed FDA approval, received in a letter dated September 28, 2001, of our laser in the U.S. for the treatment of nearsightedness with astigmatism and the general economic slowdown in many regions of the world.

Net revenues from patent services for the three months ended September 30, 2001 decreased approximately \$0.7 million, or 91%, to \$0.1 million from \$0.8 million for the comparable period in 2000. This revenue decrease was due to the March 2001 sale of most rights associated with the patent responsible for generating patent service revenue.

Net revenues from health care services for the three months ended September 30, 2001 increased approximately \$72,000 from the comparable period in 2000.

Cost of Revenues; Gross Profit. For the three months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, gross profit margins were 37% and 56%, respectively. The gross margin decrease during the three months ended September 30, 2001 was primarily

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attributable to decreased sales of the LaserScan LSX excimer laser system. The decreased sales resulted in lower raw material costs relating to the LaserScan LSX excimer laser system of \$1.3 million from the comparable period in 2000.

Research, Development and Regulatory Expenses. Research, development and regulatory expenses for the three months ended September 30, 2001, decreased \$0.4 million, or 35%, to \$0.7 million from \$1.1 million for the comparable period in 2000. We continued to develop our keratome systems and excimer laser systems and continued to pursue protocols in our effort to attain and expand our FDA approvals for our refractive products. As a result of the continued development of our AstraMax diagnostic workstation, we expect research and development expenses during the remainder of 2001 to continue at approximately the same levels as the average of the first three quarters of 2001. Regulatory expenses are expected to remain constant as a result of our continued pursuit of various FDA approvals, including pre-market approval supplements, and the possible development of additional pre-market approval supplements and future protocols for submission to the FDA.

Other General and Administrative Expenses. Other general and administrative expenses for the three months ended September 30, 2001 was \$5.4 million, approximately the same as the comparable period in 2000. Third quarter 2001 expenses included restructuring costs of approximately \$0.4 million related to personnel reductions and relocation of European operations. The expense level during the third quarter of 2001 decreased approximately \$1.8 million from the second quarter of 2001 due to legal expense reductions of approximately \$1.3 million resulting from patent litigation that was settled in May 2001, lower sales, marketing and customer service related expenses of approximately \$0.7 million and a reduction in personnel related costs of approximately \$0.1 million, partially offset by an increase in bad debt expense of \$0.3 million.

Selling-Related Expenses. Selling-related expenses consist of those items directly related to sales activities, including commissions on sales, royalty or license fees, warranty expenses, and costs of shipping and installation. Commissions and royalties, in particular, can vary significantly from sale to sale or period to period depending on the location and terms of each sale. Selling-related expenses for the three months ended September 30, 2001 decreased \$1.0 million, or 49%, to \$1.0 million from \$2.0 million during the comparable period in 2000. This decrease was primarily attributable to a \$0.4 million decrease in sales commissions resulting from lower sales and a decrease of \$0.4 million of warranty expense primarily related to decreased laser system sales. Selling-related expenses increased as a percentage of revenue during the three months ended September 30, 2001 over the comparable period in 2000. This increase primarily resulted from additional license fee expense for our keratome products of \$0.4 million due to minimum royalties under our January 2001 amended and restated license agreement, regardless of keratome sales, and a higher proportion in 2001 of international laser sales, which include a royalty based on selling price, to total sales.

Amortization of Intangibles. During the three months ended September 30, 2001, amortization of intangible assets decreased \$0.4 million, or 73%, to \$0.2 million from \$0.6 million for the comparable period in 2000. This decrease was due to the impairment loss incurred on certain intangible assets at December 31, 2000 of approximately \$4.1 million, reducing future amortization expenses, and the sale of the Blum Patent in March 2001 that had an unamortized book value at the date of sale of approximately \$2.4 million. Our intangible assets include acquired technologies, patents, license agreements and goodwill.

Loss From Operations. The operating loss for the three months ended September 30, 2001 was \$6.5 million compared to the operating loss of \$4.7 million for the same period in 2000. This increase in the loss from operations was primarily due to the decrease in sales of our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system.

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Other Income and Expenses. Interest and dividend income for the three months ended September 30, 2001 was \$0.1 million, a decrease of \$0.1 million over the comparable period in 2000. Interest and dividend income was earned from the investment of cash and cash equivalents and the collection of long-term

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receivables related to laser system sales. Interest expense of approximately \$0.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2001 was primarily attributable to the loan and credit facility we established in March 2001.

Income Taxes. For the three months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, LaserSight had no income tax expense.

Net Loss. Net loss for the three months ended September 30, 2001, was \$6.5 million compared to a net loss of \$4.5 million for the comparable period in 2000. The increased net loss for the three months ended September 30, 2001 can be attributed to the decrease in sales of our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system.

Loss Per Share. The loss per basic and diluted share was \$0.25 for the three months ended September 30, 2001 and \$0.21 for the comparable period in 2000. During the three months ended September 30, 2001, the weighted average shares of common stock outstanding increased primarily due to the conversion of preferred stock during 2001, the September 2000 private placement of common stock, the issuance of common stock related to our July 2001 financing and the issuance of shares in connection with the amended and restated license and royalty agreement related to our keratome products.

NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2001, COMPARED TO NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2000

Revenues. Net revenues for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 decreased by \$18.0 million, or 64%, to \$10.2 million from \$28.2 million for the comparable period in 2000.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2001, refractive products revenues decreased \$16.3 million, or 64%, to \$9.2 million from \$25.5 million for the comparable period in 2000. This revenue decrease was primarily the result of decreased sales of the LaserScan LSX excimer laser system. During the nine months ended September 30, 2001, excimer laser system sales accounted for approximately \$8.0 million in revenues compared to \$22.3 million in revenues over the same period in 2000. During the nine months ended September 30, 2001, 29 laser systems were sold compared to 68 laser systems sold during the comparable period in 2000. The reduction in laser sales is primarily attributable to the delayed FDA approval of our laser in the U.S. for the treatment of astigmatism and the general economic slowdown in many regions of the world.

Net revenues from patent services for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 decreased approximately \$1.8 million, or 85%, to \$0.3 million from \$2.1 million for the comparable period in 2000, due to the March 2001 sale of most rights associated with the patent responsible for generating patent service revenue.

Net revenues from health care services for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 increased approximately \$172,000 from the comparable period in 2000.

Cost of Revenues; Gross Profit. For the nine months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, gross profit margins were 49% and 60%, respectively. The gross

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margin decrease during the nine months ended September 30, 2001 was primarily attributable to decreased sales of the LaserScan LSX excimer laser system. The decreased sales resulted in lower raw material costs relating to the LaserScan LSX excimer laser system of \$4.3 million and there was a decrease in our inventory obsolescence reserve of \$0.5 million from the comparable period in 2000.

Research, Development and Regulatory Expenses. Research, development and regulatory expenses for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 decreased \$0.7 million, or 23%, to \$2.6 million from \$3.3 million for the comparable period in 2000. We continued to develop our keratome systems and excimer laser systems and continued to pursue protocols in our effort to attain and expand our FDA approvals for our refractive products. As a result of the continued development of our AstraMax diagnostic workstation, we expect research and development expenses during the remainder of 2001 to continue at approximately the same levels incurred during the average of the first three quarters of 2001.

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Regulatory expenses are expected to remain constant as a result of our continued pursuit of various FDA approvals, including pre-market approval supplements, and the possible development of additional pre-market approval supplements and future protocols for submission to the FDA.

Other General and Administrative Expenses. Other general and administrative expenses for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 increased \$3.3 million, or 21%, to \$19.3 million from \$16.0 million for the comparable period in 2000. This increase was due to an increase in expenses incurred at our refractive products operations of approximately \$3.6 million related to enhancements to the customer support and training, sales and marketing and software development departments of \$1.4 million, higher depreciation costs of \$0.2 million and \$1.9 million of legal fees related to patent issues and litigation. The patent litigation, which accounted for a significant portion of those legal fees, was settled in May 2001, and we have experienced a significant decrease in our legal expenses since that time.

Selling-Related Expenses. Selling-related expenses consist of those items directly related to sales activities, including commissions on sales, royalty or license fees, warranty expenses, and costs of shipping and installation. Commissions and royalties, in particular, can vary significantly from sale to sale or period to period depending on the location and terms of each sale. Selling-related expenses for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 decreased \$1.9 million, or 34%, to \$3.7 million from \$5.6 million during the comparable period in 2000. This decrease was primarily attributable to a \$1.0 million decrease in sales commissions resulting from lower sales and a decrease of \$1.1 million of warranty expense primarily related to decreased laser system sales. Selling-related expenses increased as a percentage of revenue during the three months ended September 30, 2001 over the comparable period in 2000. This increase primarily resulted from additional license fee expense for our keratome products of \$1.2 million due to minimum royalties under our January 2001 amended and restated license agreement, regardless of keratome sales, and a higher proportion in 2001 of international laser sales, which include a royalty based on selling price, to total sales.

Amortization of Intangibles. During the nine months ended September 30, 2001, costs relating to the amortization of intangible assets decreased \$1.4 million, or 71%, to \$0.6 million from \$2.0 million for the comparable period in 2000. This decrease was due to the impairment loss incurred on certain intangible assets at December 31, 2000 of approximately \$4.1 million, reducing future amortization expenses, and the sale of the Blum Patent in March 2001 that had an unamortized book value at the date of sale of approximately \$2.4 million.

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Our intangible assets include acquired technologies, patents, license agreements and goodwill.

Loss From Operations. The operating loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 was \$21.2 million compared to the operating loss of \$10.1 million for the same period in 2000. This increase in the loss from operations was primarily due to the decrease in sales of our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system and an increase in other general and administrative expenses related to our refractive products operations.

Other Income and Expenses. Interest and dividend income for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 was \$0.5 million, a decrease of \$0.2 million over the comparable period in 2000. Interest and dividend income was earned from the investment of cash and cash equivalents and the collection of long-term receivables related to laser system sales. Interest expense of approximately \$0.4 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 was primarily attributable to the loan and credit facility we established in March 2001. Other income included a net gain, after expenses associated with the sale, of \$4.0 million from the sale of the Blum Patent in March 2001. The patent was sold for \$6.4 million net of related expenses and, prior to the sale, had a book value at the date of sale of approximately \$2.4 million. Other expenses for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 included approximately \$0.6 million in payments related to the settlement of patent litigation.

Income Taxes. For the nine months ended September 30, 2001 and 2000, LaserSight had no income tax expense.

Net Loss. Net loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2001, was \$17.7 million compared to a net loss of \$9.4 million for the comparable period in 2000. The increased net loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 can be

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attributed to the decrease in sales of our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system and an increase in other general and administrative expenses related to our refractive products operations, partially offset by the gain generated by the sale of the Blum Patent.

Loss Per Share. The loss per basic and diluted share was \$0.72 for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 and \$0.46 for the comparable period in 2000. During the nine months ended September 30, 2001, the weighted average shares of common stock outstanding increased primarily due to the conversion of preferred stock during 2000 and 2001, the September 2000 private placement of common stock, the issuance of common stock related to our July 2001 financing and the issuance of shares related to the amended and restated license and royalty agreement related to our keratome products.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

Our principal sources of funds have historically been from sales of preferred stock and common stock, sales of subsidiaries and patent rights and, to a lesser extent, our operating cash flows. We issued equity securities totaling approximately \$14.8 million in 1997, \$15.8 million in 1998, \$8.9 million in 1999, \$19.1 million in 2000 and \$3.0 million through November 13, 2001, and received proceeds from the exercise of stock options, warrants and our Employee Stock Purchase Plan of approximately \$98,000 in 1997, \$0.5 million in 1998, \$10.4 million in 1999, \$85,000 in 2000 and \$60,000 to date in 2001. In addition, we sold subsidiaries and various patent rights, resulting in proceeds to us of approximately \$10.5 million in 1997, \$12.7 million in 1998 and \$6.5 million to date in 2001. Additionally, we received \$3.0 million in September 2001 for a paid up license to our '679 Scanning Patent. We have principally used

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these capital resources to fund operating losses, working capital requirements, capital expenditures, acquisitions and retirement of debt. At September 30, 2001, we had an accumulated deficit of \$77.3 million.

On March 1, 2001, we completed the sale of U.S. Patent No. 4,784,135 (Blum Patent) for a cash payment of \$6.4 million, net of related expenses. We retained a non-exclusive royalty free license under the patent, which relates to the use of ultraviolet light for the removal of organic tissue. Our net book value of the patent at the date of the sale was approximately \$2.4 million.

On March 12, 2001, we established a \$3.0 million term loan and \$10.0 million revolving credit facility with Heller. We borrowed \$3.0 million under the term loan at a rate per annum equal to two and one-half percent (2.5%) above the prime rate. Interest is payable monthly and the loan must be repaid on March 12, 2003. Under the credit facility, we have the option to borrow amounts at a rate per annum equal to one and one-quarter percent (1.25%) above the prime rate for short-term working capital needs or such other purposes as may be approved by Heller. Borrowings are limited to 85% of eligible accounts receivable related to U.S. sales. Eligible accounts receivable will primarily be based on future U.S. sales, which are expected to increase with the recent FDA approval of our laser for the treatment of nearsightedness with astigmatism. Borrowings under the loans are secured by substantially all of the Company's assets. The term loan and credit facility require us to meet certain covenants, including the maintenance of a minimum net worth. The terms of the loans extend to March 12, 2003. In addition to the costs and fees associated with the transaction, we issued to Heller a warrant to purchase 243,750 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$3.15 per share. The warrant expires on March 12, 2004. At November 13, 2001, we had no borrowings under the revolving credit facility.

Our working capital decreased \$3.1 million from \$20.7 million at December 31, 2000 to \$17.6 million as of September 30, 2001. This decrease in working capital resulted primarily from the net loss of \$17.7 million offset by cash generated from the sale of a patent, the licensing of a patent, the July 2001 private placement and the proceeds of the term loan, for net proceeds of \$15.7 million.

Operating activities used net cash of \$15.8 million during the nine months ended, September 30, 2001, compared to \$12.4 million of net cash used during the same period in 2000, and \$15.7 million during the year ended December 31, 2000. We expect to incur a loss and a deficit in cash flow from operations for the fourth quarter of 2001. There can be no assurance that we can regain or sustain

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profitability or positive operating cash flow in any subsequent fiscal period. Net cash provided by investing activities of \$6.0 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2001, can be attributed primarily to the sale of the Blum patent. As of September 30, 2001, we had no significant commitments for capital expenditures. Net cash provided from financing activities during the nine months ended September 30, 2001 of \$5.8 million can be attributed to entering into the term loan agreement and the \$3.0 million private placement in July 2001, described below.

On July 6, 2001, we completed a \$3.0 million placement of series F convertible participating preferred stock. We are exploring opportunities for additional equity financing through a private placement of our common stock. If our recent FDA approval for the treatment of nearsightedness with or without astigmatism doesn't result in an increase in U.S. sales of our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system or we experience unanticipated delays in the commercial release of our AstraMax diagnostic workstation, we will be required to seek additional debt or equity financing during the next 12 months. There can be no

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assurance that the assumptions underlying our business plan will be met or that additional financing will not be needed or that financing, if needed, would be available. Our belief regarding future working capital requirements is based on various factors and assumptions including: the successful reduction of a significant amount of expenses currently being implemented, the uncertain timing of additional supplemental FDA approvals for our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system, which could continue to negatively impact our sales during 2001 and 2002, potential growth in laser sales after receipt of further FDA approvals, increases in accounts receivable and inventory purchases when sales increase, the potential for borrowing under our revolving credit facility, the uncertain impact of the market introduction of our UltraShaper(TM) durable keratomes, commercial acceptance of our UltraEdge(TM) keratome blades and UniShaper(TM) single-use keratomes, which we believe is partially dependent upon the successful introduction of the UltraShaper, the timely collection of receivables, and the absence of unanticipated product development and marketing costs. See "Risk Factors--Industry and Competitive Risks--We cannot assure you that our keratome products will achieve market acceptance" and "--We cannot assure you that our LaserScan LSX laser system will achieve market acceptance in the U.S., and our business model for selling our laser system in the U.S. is new and unproven." These factors and assumptions are subject to certain contingencies and uncertainties, some of which are beyond our control. Similarly, our long-term liquidity will be dependent on the successful entrance into the U.S. market of our laser systems, the successful entrance into U.S. and international markets of our diagnostic workstation and keratome products, and our ability to collect our receivables on a timely basis. We may seek additional debt or equity financing in the future to implement our business plan or any changes thereto in response to future developments or unanticipated contingencies. Other than the \$10.0 million credit facility completed in March 2001 with Heller, we currently do not have any commitments for additional financing. See "Risk Factors--Financial and Liquidity Risks--We could require additional financing, which might not be available if we need it."

RISK FACTORS

The business, results of operations and financial condition of LaserSight and the market price of our common stock may be adversely affected by a variety of factors, including the ones noted below:

INDUSTRY AND COMPETITIVE RISKS

WE CANNOT ASSURE YOU THAT OUR LASERSCAN LSX LASER SYSTEM WILL ACHIEVE MARKET ACCEPTANCE IN THE U.S., AND OUR BUSINESS MODEL FOR SELLING OUR LASER SYSTEM IN THE U.S. IS NEW AND UNPROVEN.

We received the FDA approval necessary for the commercial marketing and sale of our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system in the U.S. in late 1999 and commercial shipments to customers in the U.S. began in March 2000.

The anticipated level of per procedure fees payable to us by refractive surgeons resulting from our recent receipt of FDA approval for treatment of nearsightedness with or without astigmatism may not be accepted by the marketplace or may exceed those charged by our competitors. While we believe

that gaining access to our scanning microspot laser technology justifies the required per procedure fee levels, we cannot assure you that this business model will be accepted by a large number of refractive surgeons. If our competitors reduce or do not charge per procedure fees to users of their systems, we could be forced to reduce or eliminate the fees charged under this business model, which could significantly reduce our revenues. For example, Nidek Co., Ltd., one

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of our competitors, has publicly stated that it will not charge per procedure fees to users of its laser systems in the U.S. and internationally. See also "--Company and Business Risks--Required per procedure fees payable to Visx under our license agreement may exceed per procedure fees collected by us."

Successful implementation of this business model is crucial to our success in selling our LaserScan LSX laser system in the U.S. and may require the expenditure of significant financial and other resources to create awareness of the LaserScan LSX laser system and create demand by refractive surgeons. If our laser system fails to achieve market acceptance in the U.S., we may not be able to execute our business plan, which would have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

WE CANNOT ASSURE YOU THAT OUR KERATOME PRODUCTS WILL ACHIEVE MARKET ACCEPTANCE.

Keratomes are surgical devices used to create a corneal flap immediately prior to LASIK laser vision correction procedures. We began to roll out our MicroShape(TM) family of keratome products with the commercial launch of our UltraEdge keratome blades in July 1999 and of our UniShaper single-use keratomes and control consoles in December 1999. In November 2001, we commercially released our UltraShaper durable keratomes after a thorough process of engineering refinement and validity testing. Our UniShaper single-use keratome was the first disposable keratome product to be commercially marketed, and we cannot assure you that refractive surgeons, including in particular refractive surgeons who perform a large volume of LASIK procedures, will accept our UniShaper product as either a replacement for or a supplement to the durable keratomes traditionally used to create corneal flaps. In our recent experience, many surgeons are reluctant to use a disposable keratome product as their primary keratome. Also, market acceptance of the UniShaper may be hindered by surgeons needing to alter their surgical technique in order to achieve the desired clinical results. Our UltraShaper durable keratome incorporates the features found in the Automated Corneal Shaper (ACS) keratome previously marketed by Bausch & Lomb, Inc. with new enhancements and features. However, Bausch & Lomb has not aggressively marketed or serviced the ACS since 1997 when we licensed the rights to commercially market keratomes based on the same technology, and has successfully transitioned a large number of refractive surgeons from the ACS to its Hansatome durable keratome product. We believe that many refractive surgeons learned to perform the LASIK procedure using the ACS and prefer the surgical technique required by the ACS, which is also used to operate our UltraShaper durable keratome, to the surgical technique required to operate the Hansatome keratome product. However, we cannot assure you that we will be successful in commercially introducing or achieving broad market acceptance of our UltraShaper durable keratome or our other keratome products.

We have previously indicated that the successful implementation of our keratome product sales strategy is in part dependent upon our marketing and distribution alliance with Becton Dickinson. Due to the delay in the commercial launch of our UltraShaper durable keratome we initiated discussions with Becton Dickinson in order to modify our manufacturing and marketing agreements. While these discussions were ongoing we received notices from Becton Dickinson claiming that they have the right to end our marketing arrangement in nine months and that they are not bound by the terms of our manufacturing agreement. Following our receipt of these notices, Becton Dickinson indicated a willingness to discuss modified terms for a marketing and manufacturing relationship, but to date there's been no meaningful discussions. While we do not agree that Becton Dickinson has the right to unilaterally end our current agreements, we intend to discuss mutually beneficial modified agreements. If we cannot successfully market and sell our keratome products or if we are unable to successfully modify or replace our marketing and distribution alliance with Becton Dickinson, we may not be able to execute our business plan, which would have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations. See also

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"--Company and Business Risks--Required minimum payments under our keratome license agreement may exceed our gross profits from sales of our keratome products."

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The vision correction industry currently consists of a few established providers with significant market shares and we may encounter difficulties competing in this highly competitive environment.

The vision correction industry is subject to intense, increasing competition, and we do not know if we will be able to compete successfully against our current and future competitors. Many of our competitors have established products, distribution capabilities and customer service networks in the U.S. marketplace, are substantially larger and have greater brand recognition and greater financial and other resources than we do. Visx, the historical industry leader for excimer laser system sales in the U.S., sold laser systems that performed a significant majority of the laser vision correction procedures performed in the U.S. in 1999 and 2000. Similarly, Bausch & Lomb sold a significant majority of the keratomes used by refractive surgeons in the U.S. in 1999 and 2000. In 2000, Alcon acquired Summit Autonomous Inc. The merger resulted in a combined entity with enhanced market presence, technology base and distribution capabilities and provided Alcon with a narrow beam laser technology platform that will compete more directly with our precision beam scanning microspot LaserScan LSX excimer laser system. In addition, as a result of the acquisition, the combined entity will be able to sell narrow beam laser systems under a royalty-free license to certain Visx patents without incurring the expense and uncertainty associated with intellectual property litigation with Visx. We anticipate that Alcon will leverage the sale of its laser systems with its other ophthalmic products.

MANY OF OUR COMPETITORS RECEIVED EARLIER REGULATORY APPROVALS THAN US AND MAY HAVE A COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE OVER US DUE TO THE SUBSEQUENT EXPANSION OF THEIR REGULATORY APPROVALS AND THEIR SUBSTANTIAL EXPERIENCE IN THE U.S. MARKET.

We received the FDA approval necessary for the commercial sale of our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system in the U.S. in November 1999 and commercial shipments to customers in the U.S. began in March 2000. Our direct competitors include large corporations such as Visx and Alcon, each of whom received FDA approval of excimer laser systems more than three years prior to our approval and has substantial experience manufacturing, marketing and servicing laser systems in the U.S. In addition to Visx and Alcon, Nidek and Bausch & Lomb have also received FDA approval for their laser systems.

In the U.S., a manufacturer of excimer laser vision correction systems gains a competitive advantage by having its systems approved by the FDA for a wider range of treatments. Initial FDA approvals of excimer laser vision correction systems historically have been limited to the treatment of low to moderate nearsightedness, with additional approvals for other and broader treatments granted only as a result of subsequent FDA applications and clinical trials. Our LaserScan LSX is currently approved for the LASIK treatment of nearsightedness with and without astigmatism for a range of treatment of refractive errors up to -6.0 diopters manifest refraction spherical equivalent (MRSE) with or without a refractive astigmatism up to 4.5 diopters and the PRK treatment of low to moderate nearsightedness (up to -6.0 diopters) without astigmatism. Additionally, we have received FDA approval to operate our laser systems at a 200 Hz pulse repetition rate, twice the originally approved rate. We have submitted PMA supplements to the FDA to permit our laser systems sold to customers in the U.S. to utilize LASIK to treat hyperopia, hyperopic astigmatism and mixed astigmatism. FDA approval of these applications is anticipated in 2002, though we cannot ensure if or when the approval will be received. Our

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ability to sell our laser systems in the U.S. may be severely impaired if the FDA does not give timely approval to these supplements.

Currently, excimer laser vision correction systems manufactured by Visx, Alcon, Bausch & Lomb and Nidek have been approved for higher levels of nearsightedness than the LaserScan LSX. Alcon's Apex Plus and Ladarvision Excimer Laser Workstations, Visx's Star S2 Excimer Laser System and Nidek's EC-5000 Excimer Laser System have received FDA approval for the LASIK treatment of nearsightedness with or without astigmatism. The approvals for most of the systems are for the correction of nearsightedness in the range of 0 diopters to -14.0 diopters and nearsightedness with astigmatism generally in the range of

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-0.5 diopters to -5.0 diopters. Bausch & Lomb's Technolas 217 excimer laser has also received FDA approval for the treatment of nearsightedness up to -7.0 diopters with up to -3.0 diopters of astigmatism. The Visx and Alcon excimer laser systems are also approved for the treatment of moderate farsightedness. In September 2000, the FDA approved Alcon's Ladarvision system for the correction using LASIK of farsightedness of up to +6.0 diopters and an astigmatism range of up to 6.0 diopters. In October 2000, the FDA approved Visx's Star S2 and S3 systems for the correction using PRK of farsightedness of up to +5.0 diopters and an astigmatism range of up to 4.0 diopters. Competitors' earlier receipt of LASIK-specific FDA regulatory approvals could give them a significant competitive advantage that could impede our ability to successfully sell our LaserScan LSX system in the U.S. Our failure to successfully market our product could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

All of our principal competitors in the keratome business, including current market leader Bausch & Lomb, received FDA clearance prior to the commercialization of our keratome products and have substantial experience marketing their keratome products. The established market presence in the U.S. of previously approved laser systems and keratome products, as well as the entry of new competitors into the market upon receipt of new or expanded regulatory approvals, could impede our ability to successfully introduce our LaserScan LSX system in the U.S. and our keratome products worldwide and may have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

WE DEPEND UPON OUR ABILITY TO ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN STRATEGIC RELATIONSHIPS.

We believe that our ability to establish and maintain strategic relationships will have a significant impact on our ability to meet our business objectives. These strategic relationships are critical to our future success because we believe that these relationships will help us to:

- o extend the reach of our products to a larger number of refractive surgeons;
- o develop and deploy new products;
- o further enhance the LaserSight brand; and
- o generate additional revenue.

Entering into strategic relationships is complicated because some of our current and future strategic partners may decide to compete with us in some or all of our markets. In addition, we may not be able to establish relationships with key participants in our industry if they have relationships with our competitors, or if we have relationships with their competitors. Moreover, some potential strategic partners have resisted, and may continue to resist, working with us until our products and services have achieved widespread market acceptance. Once we have established strategic relationships, we will depend on our partners' ability to generate increased acceptance and use of our products

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and services. To date, we have established only a limited number of strategic relationships, and many of these relationships are in the early stages of development. There can be no assurance as to the terms, timing or consummation of any future strategic relationships. If we lose any of these strategic relationships or fail to establish additional relationships, or if our strategic relationships fail to benefit us as expected, we may not be able to execute our business plan, and our business will suffer.

BECAUSE THE SALE OF OUR PRODUCTS IS DEPENDENT ON THE CONTINUED MARKET ACCEPTANCE OF LASER-BASED REFRACTIVE EYE SURGERY USING THE LASIK PROCEDURE, THE LACK OF BROAD MARKET ACCEPTANCE WOULD HURT OUR BUSINESS.

We believe that whether we achieve profitability and growth will depend, in part, upon the continued acceptance of laser vision correction using the LASIK procedure in the U.S. and other countries. We cannot be certain that laser vision correction will continue to be accepted by either the refractive surgeons or the public at large as an alternative to existing methods of treating refractive vision disorders. The acceptance of laser vision correction and, specifically, the LASIK procedure may be adversely affected by:

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- o possible concerns relating to safety and efficacy, including the predictability, stability and quality of results;
- o the public's general resistance to surgery;
- o the effectiveness and lower cost of alternative methods of correcting refractive vision disorders;
- o the lack of long-term follow-up data;
- o the possibility of unknown side effects;
- o the lack of third-party reimbursement for the procedures;
- o the cost of the procedure; and
- o unfavorable publicity involving patient outcomes from the use of laser vision correction.

Unfavorable side effects and potential complications that may result from the use of laser vision correction systems manufactured by any manufacturer may broadly affect market acceptance of laser-based vision correction surgery. Potential patients may not distinguish between our precision beam scanning spot technology and the laser technology incorporated by our competitors in their laser systems, and customers may not differentiate laser systems and procedures that have not received FDA approval from FDA-approved systems and procedures. Any adverse consequences resulting from procedures performed with a competitor's systems or an unapproved laser system could adversely affect consumer acceptance of laser vision correction in general. In addition, because laser vision correction is an elective procedure that is not typically covered by insurance and that involves more significant immediate expense than eyeglasses or contact lenses, adverse changes in the U.S. or international economy may cause consumers to reassess their spending choices and to select lower-cost alternatives for their vision correction needs. Any such shift in spending patterns could reduce the volume of LASIK procedures performed that would, in turn, reduce our revenues from per procedure fees and sales of single-use products such as our UniShaper keratome and our UltraEdge keratome blades.

The failure of laser vision correction to achieve continued market acceptance could have a material adverse effect on our business prospects. Even if laser vision correction achieves and sustains market acceptance, sales of our keratome products could be adversely impacted if a laser procedure that does not require the creation of a corneal flap were to emerge as the procedure of choice.

NEW PRODUCTS OR TECHNOLOGIES COULD ERODE DEMAND FOR OUR PRODUCTS OR MAKE

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THEM OBSOLETE, AND OUR BUSINESS COULD BE HARMED IF WE CANNOT KEEP PACE WITH ADVANCES IN TECHNOLOGY.

In addition to competing with eyeglasses and contact lenses, excimer laser vision correction competes or may compete with newer technologies such as intraocular lenses, corneal rings and surgical techniques using different or more advanced types of lasers. Two products that may become competitive within the near term are implantable contact lenses, which are pending FDA approval, and corneal rings, which have been approved by the FDA. Both of these products require procedures with lens implants, and their ultimate market acceptance is unknown at this time. To the extent that any of these or other new technologies are perceived to be clinically superior or economically more attractive than currently marketed excimer laser vision correction procedures or techniques, they could erode demand for our excimer laser and keratome products, cause a reduction in selling prices of such products or render such products obsolete. In addition, if one or more competing technologies achieves broader market acceptance or renders laser vision correction procedures obsolete, it would have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

As is typical in the case of new and rapidly evolving industries, the demand and market for recently introduced products and technologies is uncertain, and we cannot be certain that our LaserScan LSX laser system, UltraShaper durable keratome, UltraEdge keratome blades, UniShaper single-use keratome or future new products and enhancements will be accepted in the marketplace. In addition, announcements or the anticipation of announcements of new products, whether for sale in the near future or at some later date, may cause customers to defer purchasing our existing products.

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If we cannot adapt to changing technologies, our products may become obsolete, and our business could suffer. Our success will depend, in part, on our ability to continue to enhance our existing products, develop new technology that addresses the increasingly sophisticated needs of our customers, license leading technologies and respond to technological advances and emerging industry standards and practices on a timely and cost-effective basis. The development of our proprietary technology entails significant technical and business risks. We may not be successful in using new technologies effectively or adapting our proprietary technology to evolving customer requirements or emerging industry standards.

COMPANY AND BUSINESS RISKS

WE WILL BE REQUIRED TO SIGNIFICANTLY EXPAND OUR U.S. MANUFACTURING OPERATIONS TO MEET OUR BUSINESS PLAN AND MUST COMPLY WITH STRINGENT REGULATION OF OUR MANUFACTURING OPERATIONS.

We manufacture our LaserScan LSX laser systems for sale in the U.S. at our manufacturing facility in Winter Park, Florida, and continue to manufacture our laser systems for sale in international markets at our manufacturing facility in Costa Rica. Our U.S. personnel have limited experience manufacturing laser systems. We cannot, therefore, assure you that we will not encounter difficulties in increasing our production capacity for our laser systems at our Florida facility, including problems involving production delays, quality control or assurance, component supply and lack of qualified personnel. Any products manufactured or distributed by us pursuant to FDA clearances or approvals are subject to extensive regulation by the FDA, including record-keeping requirements and reporting of adverse experience with the use of the product. Our manufacturing facilities are subject to periodic inspection by the FDA, certain state agencies and international regulatory agencies. We

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require that our key suppliers comply with recognized standards as well as our own quality standards, and we regularly test the components and sub-assemblies supplied to us. Any failure by us or our suppliers to comply with applicable regulatory requirements, including the FDA's quality systems/good manufacturing practice (QSR/GMP) regulations, could cause production and distribution of our products to be delayed or prohibited, either of which could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

REQUIRED PER PROCEDURE FEES PAYABLE TO VISX UNDER OUR LICENSE AGREEMENT MAY EXCEED PER PROCEDURE FEES COLLECTED BY US.

In addition to the risk that our refractive lasers will not be accepted in the marketplace, we are required to pay Visx a royalty for each procedure performed in the U.S. using our refractive lasers. The required per procedure fees we are required to pay to Visx may exceed the per procedure fees we are able to charge and/or collect from refractive surgeons.

REQUIRED MINIMUM PAYMENTS UNDER OUR KERATOME LICENSE AGREEMENT MAY EXCEED OUR GROSS PROFITS FROM SALES OF OUR KERATOME PRODUCTS.

We are required to make certain minimum payments to the licensor under our keratome license agreement that was amended and restated on January 4, 2001. This amendment replaced a January 18, 2000 amendment in its entirety. Under the terms of the amendment we issued 730,552 shares of common stock to the licensors, valued at approximately \$1.1 million, in partial payment for royalties during the term of the license. The term of the license was extended three years until July 31, 2005. In addition, remaining minimum royalty payments totaling approximately \$4.8 million as of November 13, 2001 will be due in quarterly installments through the term of the amendment. As a result of our obligations under this license arrangement, the minimum royalty payments we are required to make to the licensors may exceed our gross profits from sales of our UniShaper and UltraShaper keratome products. The amendment eliminated a restriction on us manufacturing, marketing and selling other keratomes, but the sale of other keratomes will be included in the gross profit to be shared with the licensors. The licensor's share of the gross profit, as defined in the amendment, decreased from 50% to 10%.

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OUR FAILURE TO TIMELY OBTAIN OR EXPAND REGULATORY APPROVALS FOR OUR PRODUCTS AND TO COMPLY WITH REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS COULD ADVERSELY AFFECT OUR BUSINESS.

Our excimer laser systems and keratome products are subject to strict governmental regulations that materially affect our ability to manufacture and market these products and directly impact our overall business prospects. FDA regulations impose design and performance standards, labeling and reporting requirements, and submission conditions in advance of marketing for all medical laser products in the U.S. New product introductions, expanded treatment types and levels for approved products, and significant design or manufacturing modifications require a premarket clearance or approval by the FDA prior to commercialization in the U.S. The FDA approval process, which is lengthy and uncertain, requires supporting clinical studies and substantial commitments of financial and management resources. Failure to obtain or maintain regulatory approvals and clearances in the U.S. and other countries, or significant delays in obtaining these approvals and clearances, could prevent us from marketing our products for either approved or expanded indications or treatments, which could substantially decrease our future revenues. Additionally, product and procedure labeling and all forms of promotional activities are subject to examination by the FDA, and current FDA enforcement policy prohibits the marketing by manufacturers of approved medical devices for unapproved uses. Noncompliance

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with these requirements may result in warning letters, fines, injunctions, recall or seizure of products, suspension of manufacturing, denial or withdrawal of PMAs, and criminal prosecution. Laser products marketed in foreign countries are often subject to local laws governing health product development processes, which may impose additional costs for overseas product development. Future legislative or administrative requirements, in the U.S. or elsewhere, may adversely affect our ability to obtain or retain regulatory approval for our products. The failure to obtain approvals for new or additional uses on a timely basis could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

OUR BUSINESS DEPENDS ON OUR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS, AND IF WE ARE UNABLE TO PROTECT THEM, OUR COMPETITIVE POSITION MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED.

Our business plan is predicated on our proprietary systems and technology, including our precision beam scanning microspot technology laser systems. We protect our proprietary rights through a combination of patent, trademark, trade secret and copyright law, confidentiality agreements and technical measures. We generally enter into non-disclosure agreements with our employees and consultants and limit access to our trade secrets and technology. We cannot assure you that the steps we have taken will prevent misappropriation of our intellectual property. Misappropriation of our intellectual property would have a material adverse effect on our competitive position. In addition, we may have to engage in litigation or other legal proceedings in the future to enforce or protect our intellectual property rights or to defend against claims of invalidity. These legal proceedings may consume considerable resources, including management time and attention, which would be diverted from the operation of our business, and the outcome of any such legal proceeding is inherently uncertain.

We are aware that certain competitors are developing products that may potentially infringe patents owned or licensed exclusively by us. In order to protect our rights in these patents, we may find it necessary to assert and pursue infringement claims against such third parties. We could incur substantial costs and diversion of management resources litigating such infringement claims and we cannot assure you that we will be successful in resolving such claims or that the resolution of any such dispute will be on terms that are favorable to us. See "--Patent infringement allegations may impair our ability to manufacture and market our products."

PATENT INFRINGEMENT ALLEGATIONS MAY IMPAIR OUR ABILITY TO MANUFACTURE AND MARKET OUR PRODUCTS.

There are a number of U.S. and foreign patents covering methods and apparatus for performing corneal surgery that we do not own or have the right to use. If we were found to infringe a patent in a particular market, we and our customers may be enjoined from manufacturing, marketing, selling and using the

infringing product in the market and may be liable for damages for any past infringement of such rights. In order to continue using such rights, we would be required to obtain a license, which may require us to make royalty, per procedure or other fee payments. We cannot be certain if we or our customers will be successful in securing licenses, or that if we obtain licenses, such licenses will be available on acceptable terms. Alternatively, we might be required to redesign the infringing aspects of these products. Any redesign efforts that we undertake could be expensive and might require regulatory review. Furthermore, the redesign efforts could delay the reintroduction of these products into certain markets, or may be so significant as to be impractical. If redesign efforts were impractical, we could be prevented from

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manufacturing and selling the infringing products, which would have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

Litigation involving patents is common in our industry. While we do not believe our laser systems or keratome products infringe any valid and enforceable patents that we do not own or have a license to, we cannot assure you that one or more of our other competitors or other persons will not assert that our products infringe their intellectual property, or that we will not in the future be deemed to infringe one or more patents owned by them or some other party. We could incur substantial costs and diversion of management resources defending any infringement claims. Furthermore, a party making a claim against us could secure a judgment awarding substantial damages, as well as injunctive or other equitable relief that could effectively block our ability to market one or more of our products. In addition, we cannot assure you that licenses for any intellectual property of third parties that might be required for our products will be available on commercially reasonable terms, or at all.

WE ARE SUBJECT TO CERTAIN RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH OUR INTERNATIONAL SALES.

Our international sales accounted for 73% and 45% of our total revenues during the nine months ended September 30, 2001 and year ended December 31, 2000, respectively. In the future, we expect that sales to international accounts will represent a lower percentage of our total sales as a result of our recent additional regulatory approval for our LaserScan LSX laser system in the U.S. and the commercial launch of our UltraShaper durable keratome in November 2001. See "--Industry and Competitive Risks--We cannot assure you that our keratome products will achieve market acceptance."

International sales of our products may be limited or disrupted by:

- o the imposition of government controls;
- o export license requirements;
- o economic or political instability;
- o trade restrictions;
- o difficulties in obtaining or maintaining export licenses;
- o changes in tariffs; and
- o difficulties in staffing and managing international operations.

Our sales have historically been and are expected to continue to be denominated in U.S. dollars. The European Economic Union's conversion to a common currency, the euro, is not expected to have a material impact on our business. However, due to our significant export sales, we are subject to exchange rate fluctuations in the U.S. dollar, which could increase the effective price in local currencies of our products. This could result in reduced sales, longer payment cycles and greater difficulty in collecting receivables relating to our international sales.

OUR SUPPLY OF CERTAIN CRITICAL COMPONENTS AND SYSTEMS MAY BE INTERRUPTED BECAUSE OF OUR RELIANCE ON A LIMITED NUMBER OF SUPPLIERS.

We currently purchase certain components used in the production, operation and maintenance of our laser systems and keratome products from a limited number of suppliers, and certain key components are provided by a single vendor. For example, all of our keratome blades are currently manufactured exclusively by

Becton Dickinson and the majority of our UltraShaper components are manufactured exclusively by Owens Industries pursuant to our agreement with them. We do not have long-term contracts with providers of some key laser system components, including TUI Lasertechnik und Laserintegration GmbH, which currently is a

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single source supplier for the laser heads used in our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system. Currently, SensoMotoric Instruments GmbH, Teltow, Germany, is a single source supplier for the eye tracker boards used in the LaserScan LSX. Any interruption in the supply of critical laser or keratome components could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations. If any of our key suppliers ceases providing us with products of acceptable quality and quantity at a competitive price and in a timely fashion, we would have to locate and contract with a substitute supplier and, in some cases, such substitute supplier would need to be qualified by the FDA. If substitute suppliers cannot be located and qualified in a timely manner or could not provide required products on commercially reasonable terms, it would have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

UNLAWFUL TAMPERING OF OUR SYSTEM CONFIGURATIONS COULD RESULT IN REDUCED REVENUES AND ADDITIONAL EXPENSES.

We include a procedure counting mechanism on LaserScan LSX lasers manufactured for sale and use in the U.S. Users of our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system could tamper with the software or hardware configuration of the system so as to alter or eliminate the procedure counting mechanism that facilitates the collection of per procedure fees. Unauthorized tampering with our procedure counting mechanism by users could result in us being required to pay per procedure fees to Visx that we were not able to collect from users. If we are unable to prevent such tampering, our license agreement with Visx could be terminated after all applicable notice and cure periods have expired.

THE LOSS OF KEY PERSONNEL COULD ADVERSELY AFFECT OUR BUSINESS.

Our ability to maintain our competitive position depends in part upon the continued contributions of our executive officers and other key employees, especially Michael R. Farris, our president and chief executive officer. A loss of one or more such officers or key employees could have a material adverse effect on our business. We do not carry "key person" life insurance on any officer or key employee.

As we commercially launch our laser system and keratome products in the U.S., we will need to continue to implement and expand our operational, sales and marketing, financial and management resources and controls. While to date we have not experienced problems recruiting or retaining the personnel necessary to expand our business, we cannot assure you that we will not have such problems in the future. Our recent layoff may have a negative impact on our ability to attract and retain personnel. If we fail to attract and retain qualified individuals for necessary positions, and if we are unable to effectively manage growth in our domestic or international operations, it could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

INADEQUACY OR UNAVAILABILITY OF INSURANCE MAY EXPOSE US TO SUBSTANTIAL PRODUCT LIABILITY CLAIMS.

Our business exposes us to potential product liability risks and possible adverse publicity that are inherent in the development, testing, manufacture, marketing and sale of medical devices for human use. These risks increase with respect to our products that receive regulatory approval for commercialization. We have agreed in the past, and we will likely agree in the future, to indemnify certain medical institutions and personnel who conduct and participate in our clinical studies. While we maintain product liability insurance, we cannot be certain that any such liability will be covered by our insurance or that damages will not exceed the limits of our coverage. Even if a claim is covered by insurance, the costs of defending a product liability, malpractice, negligence or other action, and the assessment of damages in excess of insurance coverage in the event of a successful product liability claim, could have a material

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adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations. Further, product liability insurance may not continue to be available, either at existing or increased levels of coverage, on commercially reasonable terms.

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FINANCIAL AND LIQUIDITY RISKS

WE HAVE EXPERIENCED SIGNIFICANT LOSSES AND OPERATING CASH FLOW DEFICITS AND WE EXPECT THAT OPERATING CASH FLOW DEFICITS WILL CONTINUE THROUGH AT LEAST THE REMAINDER OF 2001.

We experienced significant net losses and deficits in cash flow from operations for the years ended December 31, 2000 and 1999 and the nine months ended September 30, 2001, as set forth in the following table. We cannot be certain that we will be able to achieve or sustain profitability or positive operating cash flow in the future.

| | Year Ended December 31, | | Nine Months Ended |
|---|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | September 30, 2001 |
| | ---- | ---- | ----- |
| Net loss | \$14.4 million | \$21.4 million | \$17.7 million |
| Deficit in cash flow from operations | \$11.7 million | \$15.7 million | \$15.8 million |

As of September 30, 2001, we had an accumulated deficit of \$77.3 million.

IF OUR UNCOLLECTIBLE RECEIVABLES EXCEED OUR RESERVES WE WILL INCUR ADDITIONAL UNANTICIPATED EXPENSES, AND WE MAY EXPERIENCE DIFFICULTY COLLECTING RESTRUCTURED RECEIVABLES WITH EXTENDED PAYMENT TERMS.

Although we monitor the status of our receivables and maintain a reserve for estimated losses, we cannot be certain that our reserves for estimated losses, which were approximately \$5.6 million at September 30, 2001, will be sufficient to cover the amount of our actual write-offs over time. At September 30, 2001, our net trade accounts and notes receivable totaled approximately \$14.3 million, and accrued commissions, the payment of which generally depends on the collection of such net trade accounts and notes receivable, totaled approximately \$2.2 million. Actual write-offs that exceed amounts reserved could have a material adverse effect on our consolidated financial condition and results of operations. The amount of any loss that we may have to recognize in connection with our inability to collect receivables is principally dependent on our customers' ongoing financial condition, their ability to generate revenues from our laser systems, and our ability to obtain and enforce legal judgments against delinquent customers.

Our ability to evaluate the financial condition and revenue-generating ability of our prospective customers located outside of the U.S., and our ability to obtain and enforce legal judgments against customers located outside of the U.S., is generally more limited than for our customers located in the U.S. Our agreements with our international customers typically provide that the contracts are governed by Florida law. We have not determined whether or to what extent courts or administrative agencies located in foreign countries would enforce our right to collect such receivables or to recover laser systems from customers in the event of a customer's payment default. When a customer is not paying according to established terms, we attempt to communicate and understand the underlying causes and work with the customer to resolve any issues we can control or influence. In most cases, we have been able to resolve the customer's issues and continue to collect our receivable, either on the original schedule or under restructured terms. If such issues are not resolved, we evaluate our legal and other alternatives based on existing facts and circumstances. In most

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such cases, we have concluded that the account should be written off as uncollectible.

At September 30, 2001, we had extended the original payment terms of laser customer accounts totaling approximately \$2.1 million by periods ranging from 5 to 60 months. Such restructured receivables represent approximately 10.4% of our gross receivables as of that date. Our liquidity and operating cash flow would be adversely affected if additional extensions become necessary in the future. In addition, it would be more difficult to collect laser system receivables if the payment schedule extends beyond the expected or actual economic life of the system, which we estimate to be approximately five to seven years. To date, we do not believe any payment schedule extends beyond the economic life of the applicable laser system.

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WE COULD REQUIRE ADDITIONAL FINANCING, WHICH MIGHT NOT BE AVAILABLE IF WE NEED IT.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2001 and year ended December 31, 2000, we experienced deficits in cash flow from operations of \$15.8 million and \$15.7 million, respectively. In July 2001, we completed a \$3.0 million private placement of series F convertible participating preferred stock. We are exploring opportunities for additional equity financing through a private placement of our common stock. If our recent FDA approval for the treatment of myopic astigmatism doesn't result in an increase in U.S. sales of our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system or we experience unanticipated delays in the commercial release of our AstraMax diagnostic workstation, we will be required to seek additional debt or equity financing during the next 12 months. There can be no assurance that the assumptions underlying our business plan will be met or that additional financing will not be needed or that financing, if needed, would be available. Our belief regarding future working capital requirements is based on various factors and assumptions including: the successful reduction of a significant amount of expenses currently being implemented, the uncertain timing of additional supplemental FDA approvals for our LaserScan LSX excimer laser system, which could continue to negatively impact our sales during 2001 and 2002, potential growth in laser sales after receipt of further FDA approvals, increases in accounts receivable and inventory purchases when sales increase, the potential for borrowing under our revolving credit facility, the uncertain impact of the market introduction of our UltraShaper durable keratomes, commercial acceptance of our UltraEdge keratome blades and UniShaper single-use keratomes, which we believe is partially dependent upon the successful introduction of the UltraShaper, the anticipated timely collection of receivables, and the absence of unanticipated product development and marketing costs. See "--Industry and Competitive Risks--We cannot assure you that our keratome products will achieve market acceptance" and "--We cannot assure you that our LaserScan LSX laser system will achieve market acceptance in the U.S., and our business model for selling our laser system in the U.S. is new and unproven." These factors and assumptions are subject to certain contingencies and uncertainties, some of which are beyond our control. If we do not collect a material portion of current receivables in a timely manner, or experience less market demand for our products than we anticipate, our liquidity could be materially and adversely affected.

On March 12, 2001, we established a \$3.0 million term loan and \$10.0 million revolving credit facility with Heller. We borrowed \$3.0 million under the term loan at a rate per annum equal to two and one-half percent (2.5%) above the prime rate. Interest is payable monthly and the loan must be repaid on March 12, 2003. Under the credit facility, we have the option to borrow amounts at a rate per annum equal to one and one-quarter percent (1.25%) above the prime rate for short-term working capital needs or such other purposes as may be approved

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by Heller. Borrowings are limited to 85% of eligible accounts receivable related to U.S. sales. Eligible accounts receivable will primarily be based on future U.S. sales, which are expected to increase with the recent FDA approval of our laser for the treatment of nearsightedness with astigmatism. Borrowings under the loans are secured by substantially all of the Company's assets. The term loan and credit facility require us to meet certain covenants, including the maintenance of a minimum net worth. The terms of the loans extend to March 12, 2003. In addition to the costs and fees associated with the transaction, we issued to Heller a warrant to purchase 243,750 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$3.15 per share. The warrant expires on March 12, 2004. At November 13, 2001, we had no borrowings under the revolving credit facility.

We may seek additional equity financing in the future to implement our business plan or any changes thereto in response to future developments or unanticipated contingencies. Other than the \$10.0 million revolving credit facility with Heller, we currently do not have any commitments for additional financing. We cannot be certain that additional financing will be available in the future to the extent required or that, if available, it will be on commercially acceptable terms. If we raise additional funds by issuing equity or convertible debt securities, the terms of the new securities could have rights, preferences and privileges senior to those of our common stock. If we raise additional funds through debt financing, the terms of the debt could require a substantial portion of our cash flow from operations to be dedicated to the payment of principal and interest and may render us more vulnerable to competitive pressures and economic downturns. If we are not able to obtain financing necessary to meet our working capital needs, it could have a material adverse effect on our financial condition and results of operations.

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COMMON STOCK RISKS

VARIATIONS IN OUR SALES AND OPERATING RESULTS MAY CAUSE OUR STOCK PRICE TO FLUCTUATE.

Our operating results have fluctuated in the past, and may continue to fluctuate in the future, as a result of a variety of factors, many of which are outside of our control. For example, historically a significant portion of our laser system orders for a particular quarter have been received and shipped near the end of the quarter. As a result, our operating results for any quarter often depend on the timing of the receipt of orders and the subsequent shipment of our laser systems. Other factors that may cause our operating results to fluctuate include:

- o timing of regulatory approvals and the introduction or delays in shipment of new products;
- o reductions, cancellations or fulfillment of major orders;
- o the addition or loss of significant customers;
- o the relative mix of our business;
- o changes in pricing by us or our competitors;
- o costs related to expansion of our business; and
- o increased competition.

As a result of these fluctuations, we believe that period-to-period comparisons of our operating results cannot be relied upon as indicators of future performance. In some quarters our operating results may fall below the expectations of securities analysts and investors due to any of the factors described above or other uncertainties.

THE MARKET PRICE OF OUR COMMON STOCK MAY CONTINUE TO EXPERIENCE EXTREME FLUCTUATIONS DUE TO MARKET CONDITIONS THAT ARE UNRELATED TO OUR OPERATING

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PERFORMANCE.

The stock market, and in particular the securities of technology companies like us, could experience extreme price and volume fluctuations unrelated to our operating performance. Our stock price has historically been volatile. Factors such as announcements of technological innovations or new products by us or our competitors, changes in domestic or foreign governmental regulations or regulatory approval processes, developments or disputes relating to patent or proprietary rights, public concern as to the safety and efficacy of refractive vision correction procedures, and changes in reports and recommendations of securities analysts, have and may continue to have a significant impact on the market price of our common stock.

THE SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF SHARES ELIGIBLE FOR FUTURE SALE AND DILUTIVE STOCK ISSUANCES MAY ADVERSELY AFFECT OUR STOCK PRICE.

Sales, or the possibility of sales, of substantial amounts of our common stock in the public market could adversely affect the market price of our common stock. Substantially all of our 26,437,895 shares of common stock outstanding at November 13, 2001 were freely tradable without restriction or further registration under the Securities Act of 1933, except to the extent such shares are held by "affiliates" as that term is defined in Rule 144 under the Securities Act or subject only to the satisfaction of a prospectus delivery requirement.

Shares of common stock that we may issue in the future in connection with acquisitions or financings or pursuant to outstanding warrants or agreements could also adversely affect the market price of our common stock and cause significant dilution in our earnings per share and net book value per share. We may be required to issue more than 8,100,000 additional shares of common stock upon the conversion of outstanding preferred stock, the exercise of outstanding warrants and stock options, and the satisfaction of certain contingent contractual obligations.

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The anti-dilution provisions of certain of our existing securities and obligations require us to issue additional shares if we issue shares of common stock below specified price levels. If a future share issuance triggers these adjustments, the beneficiaries of such provisions effectively receive some protection from declines in the market price of our common stock, while our other stockholders incur additional dilution of their ownership interest. We may include similar anti-dilution provisions in securities issued in connection with future financings.

ANTI-TAKEOVER PROVISIONS UNDER DELAWARE LAW AND IN OUR CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, BY-LAWS AND STOCKHOLDER RIGHTS PLAN MAY MAKE AN ACQUISITION OF LASERSIGHT MORE DIFFICULT AND COULD PREVENT YOU FROM RECEIVING A PREMIUM OVER THE MARKET PRICE OF OUR STOCK.

Certain provisions of our certificate of incorporation, by-laws, stockholder rights plan and Delaware law could delay or frustrate the removal of incumbent directors, discourage potential acquisition proposals and delay, defer or prevent a change in control of us, even if such events could be beneficial, in the short term, to the economic interests of our stockholders. For example, our certificate of incorporation allows us to issue preferred stock with rights senior to those of the common stock without stockholder action, and our by-laws require advance notice of director nominations or other proposals by stockholders. We also are subject to provisions of Delaware corporation law that prohibit a publicly-held Delaware corporation from engaging in a broad range of business combinations with a person who, together with affiliates and

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associates, owns 15% or more of the corporation's common stock (an interested stockholder) for three years after the person became an interested stockholder, unless the business combination is approved in a prescribed manner. We also have adopted a stockholder rights agreement, or "poison pill," and declared a dividend distribution of one preferred share purchase right for each share of common stock. The rights would cause substantial dilution to a person or group that attempts to acquire 15% or more of our common stock on terms not approved by our board of directors.

ACQUISITION RISKS

PAST AND POSSIBLE FUTURE ACQUISITIONS THAT ARE NOT SUCCESSFULLY INTEGRATED WITH OUR EXISTING OPERATIONS MAY ADVERSELY AFFECT OUR BUSINESS.

We have made several significant acquisitions since 1994, and we may in the future selectively pursue strategic acquisitions of, investments in or enter into joint ventures or other strategic alliances with companies whose business or technology complement our business. We may not be able to identify suitable candidates to acquire or enter into joint ventures or other arrangements with entities, and we may not be able to obtain financing on satisfactory terms for such activities. In addition, we could have difficulty assimilating the personnel, technology and operations of any acquired companies, which could prevent us from realizing expected synergies, and may incur unanticipated liabilities and contingencies. This could disrupt our ongoing business and distract our management and other resources.

AMORTIZATION AND CHARGES RELATING TO OUR SIGNIFICANT INTANGIBLE ASSETS COULD ADVERSELY AFFECT OUR STOCK PRICE AND REPORTED NET INCOME OR LOSS.

Of our total assets at September 30, 2001, approximately \$8.5 million, or 20%, were goodwill or other intangible assets. Any reduction in net income or increase in net loss resulting from the amortization of goodwill and other intangible assets resulting from future acquisitions by us may have an adverse impact upon the market price of our common stock. In addition, in the event of a sale of LaserSight or our assets, we cannot be certain that the value of such intangible assets would be recovered.

In accordance with FASB Statement No. 121, we review intangible assets for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances, including a history of operating or cash flow losses, indicate that the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable. If we determine that an intangible asset is impaired, a non-cash impairment charge would be recognized. We continue to assess the current results and future prospects of TFG, our subsidiary that provides health care and vision care consulting services, in view of the substantial reduction in the subsidiary's operating results in 1997. Though TFG's operating results

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improved in 1998 when compared to 1997, operating losses similar to those incurred during the first half of 1998 continued during 1999. Since 1999, TFG's operations have reflected financial improvement. If TFG is unsuccessful in continuing to improve its financial performance, some or all of the carrying amount of goodwill recorded, \$3.0 million at September 30, 2001, may be subject to an impairment adjustment. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations--New Accounting Pronouncements."

OTHER RISKS

The risks described above are not the only risks facing LaserSight. There may be additional risks and uncertainties not presently known to us or that we have deemed immaterial which could also negatively impact our business

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operations. If any of the foregoing risks actually occur, it could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations. In that event, the trading price of our common stock could decline, and you may lose all or part of your investment.

ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

We believe that our exposure to market risk for changes in interest and currency rates is not significant. Our investments are limited to highly liquid instruments generally with maturities of three months or less. At September 30, 2001, we had approximately \$4.1 million of short-term investments classified as cash and equivalents. All of our transactions with international customers and suppliers are denominated in U.S. dollars.

PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Certain legal proceedings against LaserSight are described in Item 3 (Legal Proceedings) of LaserSight's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000.

FORMER MRF, INC. SHAREHOLDER. On May 14, 2001, a motion for summary judgment was granted in favor of Michael R. Farris in connection with a lawsuit that was filed on November 12, 1999 in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri on behalf of a former shareholder of MRF, Inc. (the "Subsidiary"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of LaserSight. The lawsuit names Mr. Farris, LaserSight's chief executive officer, as the sole defendant and alleges fraud and breach of fiduciary duty by Mr. Farris in connection with the redemption by the Subsidiary of the former shareholder's capital stock in the Subsidiary. At the time of the redemption, which redemption occurred prior to LaserSight's acquisition of the Subsidiary, Mr. Farris was the president and chief executive officer of the Subsidiary. LaserSight's Board of Directors authorized LaserSight to retain and, to the fullest extent permitted by the Delaware General Corporation Law, pay the fees of counsel to defend Mr. Farris, the Subsidiary and LaserSight in the litigation so long as a court has not determined that Mr. Farris failed to act in good faith and in a manner Mr. Farris reasonably believed to be in the best interest of the Subsidiary at the time of the redemption. The plaintiff appealed the U.S. District Court's order granting summary judgment in favor of Mr. Farris to the United States Court of Appeals for the 8th Circuit. All briefing has been completed, and the parties are waiting for the Court of Appeals to set a date for oral argument.

DISTRIBUTORS. In October 2001, three entities that previously served as distributors for LaserSight's excimer laser system in the United States, Balance, Inc. d/b/a Bal-Tech Medical, Sun Medical, Inc. and Surgical Lasers, Inc., filed a lawsuit in the Circuit Court of the Ninth Judicial Circuit, Orange County, Florida. The lawsuit names LaserSight Technologies, Inc. ("LST"), Mr. Farris and James Spivey, LST's Vice President of Sales, as defendants. The lawsuit alleges

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various claims related to LST's termination of the distribution arrangements with the plaintiffs including breach of contract, breach of the covenant of good faith and fair dealing, tortious interference with business relationships, fraudulent misrepresentation, conversion and unjust enrichment. Plaintiffs request actual damages in excess of

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\$5,000,000, punitive damages, prejudgment interest, attorneys' fees and costs and other equitable relief. Management believes that LST has satisfied its obligations under the distribution agreements, and that the allegations against LST, Mr. Farris and Mr. Spivey are without merit and intend to vigorously defend this lawsuit. Management believes that the outcome of this litigation will not have a material adverse impact of LaserSight's business, financial condition or results from operations. However, the outcome of litigation is inherently uncertain, and an unfavorable outcome in this litigation could have a material adverse effect on LaserSight's business, financial condition and results from operations.

ITEM 2. CHANGES IN SECURITIES

- a) Not applicable.
- b) Not applicable.
- c) During the third quarter ended September 30, 2001, the Company sold the following unregistered securities:

In July 2001, LaserSight closed a transaction for the sale of 1,276,596 shares of Series F convertible participating preferred stock, convertible into common stock on a share for share basis, to a total of two investors in exchange for the Company receiving \$3.0 million in cash. In addition, the investors received a total of 838,905 shares of common stock under price protection provisions of the Company's September 2000 private placement. Reference is made to the Securities Purchase Agreement filed as exhibits to LaserSight's Form 8-K filed with the SEC on July 18, 2001, for more detailed information regarding these private placements.

The issuance and sale of all such shares was exempt from the registration and prospectus delivery requirements of the Securities Act of 1933 by virtue of Section 4(2) thereof due to, among other things, (i) the limited number of persons to whom the shares were issued, (ii) the distribution of disclosure documents to all investors, (iii) the fact that each such person represented and warranted to LaserSight, among other things, that such person was acquiring the shares for investment only and not with a view to the resale or distribution thereof, and (iv) the fact that certificates representing the shares were issued with a legend to the effect that such shares had not been registered under the Securities Act or any state securities laws and could not be sold or transferred in the absence of such registration or an exemption therefrom.

ITEM 3. DEFAULTS UPON SENIOR SECURITIES

Not applicable.

ITEM 4. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS

On July 12, 2001, at the Company's annual meeting of shareholders, the following members were elected to the Board of Directors:

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| | Votes For | Votes Against |
|---------------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Michael R. Farris | 22,239,790 | 180,778 |
| Terry Fuller, Ph.D. | 22,239,890 | 180,678 |
| D. Michael Litscher | 22,239,790 | 180,778 |
| Guy W. Numann | 22,239,890 | 180,678 |
| Francis E. O'Donnell, Jr., M.D. | 22,239,890 | 180,678 |
| David T. Pieroni | 22,239,890 | 180,678 |

Amendment to the Company's 1996 Equity Incentive Plan adjusting the aggregate number of shares available for issuance was ratified as follows:

| | |
|---------------|------------|
| Votes For | 10,946,014 |
| Votes Against | 772,783 |
| Abstain | 82,911 |

A proposal to appoint KPMG LLP as auditors was ratified as follows:

| | |
|---------------|------------|
| Votes for | 22,247,836 |
| Votes Against | 88,775 |
| Abstain | 83,957 |

ITEM 5. OTHER INFORMATION

Not applicable.

ITEM 6. EXHIBITS AND REPORTS ON FORM 8-K

a) Exhibits

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

| Exhibit Number | Description |
|-------------------|--|
| ----- | ----- |
| 2.1 | See Exhibits 10.1, 10.2, 10.6, 10.7, 10.15, 10.20, 10.23, 10.24, 10.27, 10.28, 10.48 and 10.55. |
| 3.1 | Certificate of Incorporation, as amended (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 1 of Form 8-A/A (Amendment No. 6) filed by the Company on August 10, 2001*). |
| 3.2 | Bylaws, as amended (filed as Exhibit 3.2 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 20, 1999*). |
| 3.3 | Rights Agreement, dated as of July 2, 1998, between LaserSight Incorporated and American Stock Transfer & Trust Company, as Rights Agent, which includes (i) as Exhibit A thereto the form of Certificate of Designation of the Series E Junior Participating Preferred Stock, (ii) as Exhibit B thereto the form of Right Certificate (separate certificates for the Rights will not be issued until after the Distribution Date) and (iii) as Exhibit C thereto the Summary of Stockholder Rights Agreement (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99.1 to the Form 8-K filed by the Company on July 8, 1998*). |
| 3.4 | First Amendment to Rights Agreement, dated as of March 22, 1999, between LaserSight Incorporated and American Stock Transfer & Trust Company, as Rights Agent (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2 to Form 8-A/A filed by the Company on March 29, 1999*). |

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- 3.5 Second Amendment to Rights Agreement, dated as of January 28, 2000, between LaserSight Incorporated and American Stock Transfer & Trust Company, as Rights Agent (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99.6 to Form 8-K filed by the Company on February 8, 2000*).
- 3.6 Third Amendment to Rights Agreement, dated as of June 29, 2001, between LaserSight Incorporated and American Stock Transfer & Trust Company, as Rights Agent (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99.5 to Form 8-K filed by the Company on July 18, 2001*).
- 4.1 See Exhibits 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 10.17, 10.21, 10.26, 10.31, 10.32, 10.33, 10.40, 10.42, 10.43, 10.44, 10.45, 10.46, 10.47, 10.51, 10.52, 10.53, 10.54, 10.56, 10.57, 10.59, 10.60, 10.63, 10.64 and 10.65.
- 10.1 Agreement for Purchase and Sale of Stock by and among LaserSight Centers Incorporated, its stockholders and LaserSight Incorporated dated January 15, 1993 (filed as Exhibit 2 to the Company's Form 8-K/A filed on January 25, 1993*).
- 10.2 Amendment to Agreement for Purchase and Sale of Stock by and among LaserSight Centers Incorporated, its stockholders, and LaserSight Incorporated dated April 5, 1993 (filed as Exhibit 2 to the Company's Form 8-K/A filed on April 19, 1993*).
- 10.3 Royalty Agreement by and between LaserSight Centers Incorporated and LaserSight Partners dated January 15, 1993 (filed as Exhibit 10.5 to the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1995*).
- 10.4 Exchange Agreement dated January 25, 1993 between LaserSight Centers Incorporated and Laser Partners (filed as Exhibit 10.6 to the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1995*).
- 10.5 Stipulation and Agreement of Compromise, Settlement and Release dated April 18, 1995 among James Gossin, Francis E. O'Donnell, Jr., J.T. Lin, Wen S. Dai, Emanuela Dobrin-Charlton, C.H. Huang, W. Douglas Hajjar, and LaserSight Incorporated (filed as Exhibit 10.7 to the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1995*).
- 10.6 Agreement for Purchase and Sale of Stock dated December 31, 1993, among LaserSight Incorporated, MRF, Inc., and Michael R. Farris (filed as Exhibit 2 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 31, 1993*).
- 10.7 First Amendment to Agreement for Purchase and Sale of Stock by and among MRF, Inc., Michael R. Farris and LaserSight Incorporated dated December 28, 1995 (filed as Exhibit 10.9 to the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1995*).
- 10.8 LaserSight Incorporated 1995 Stock Option Plan (filed as Exhibit 10.5 to the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 1995*).
- 10.9 Modified Promissory Note between LaserSight Incorporated, EuroPacific Securities Services, GmbH and Co. KG and Wolf Wiese (filed as Exhibit 10.6 to the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 1995*).

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- 10.10 Patent License Agreement dated December 21, 1995 by and between Francis E. O'Donnell, Jr. and LaserSight Centers, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 10.21 to the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1995*).
- 10.11 LaserSight Incorporated Amended and Restated 1996 Equity Incentive Plan (filed as Exhibit 10.11 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 14, 2000*).
- 10.12 LaserSight Incorporated Amended and Restated Non-Employee Directors Stock Option Plan (filed as Exhibit 10.12 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 14, 2000*).
- 10.13 Agreement dated January 1, 1997, between International Business Machines Corporation and LaserSight Incorporated (filed as Exhibit 10.37 to the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1996*).
- 10.14 Addendum dated March 7, 1997 to Agreement between International Business Machines Corporation and LaserSight Incorporated (filed as Exhibit 10.38 to the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1996*).
- 10.15 Second Amendment to Agreement for Purchase and Sale of Stock by and among LaserSight Centers Incorporated, its stockholders and LaserSight Incorporated dated March 14, 1997 (filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on March 27, 1997*).
- 10.16 Amendment to Royalty Agreement by and between LaserSight Centers Incorporated, Laser Partners and LaserSight Incorporated dated March 14, 1997 (filed as Exhibit 99.2 to the Company" Form 8-K filed on March 27, 1997*).
- 10.17 Warrant to purchase 500,000 shares of common stock dated March 31, 1997 by and between LaserSight Incorporated and Foothill Capital Corporation (filed as Exhibit 10.44 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on August 14, 1997*).
- 10.18 License Agreement dated May 20, 1997 by and between Visx Incorporated and LaserSight Incorporated (filed as Exhibit 10.45 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on August 14, 1997*).
- 10.19 Patent Purchase Agreement dated July 15, 1997 by and between LaserSight Incorporated and Frederic B. Kremer, M.D. (filed as Exhibit 2.(I) to the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 13, 1997*).
- 10.20 Agreement and Plan of Merger dated July 15, 1997 by and among LaserSight Incorporated, Photomed Acquisition, Inc., Photomed, Inc., Frederic B. Kremer, M.D., Linda Kremer, Robert Sataloff, Trustee for Alan Stewart Kremer and Robert Sataloff, Trustee for Mark Adam Kremer (filed as Exhibit 2.(ii) to the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 13, 1997*).
- 10.21 Warrant to purchase 750,000 shares of common stock dated August 29, 1997 by and between LaserSight Incorporated and purchasers of Series B Convertible Participating Preferred Stock of LaserSight Incorporated (filed as Exhibit 10.39 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 14, 1997*).
- 10.22 Independent Contractor Agreement by and between Byron Santos, M.D. and LaserSight Technologies, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 10.42 to the Company's

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Form 10-Q filed on November 14, 1997*).

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- 10.23 Stock Purchase Agreement, dated December 30, 1997, by and among LaserSight Incorporated, LSI Acquisition, Inc., MEC Health Care, Inc. and Vision Twenty-One, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 2.(I) to the Company's Form 8-K filed on January 14, 1998*).
- 10.24 Stock Distribution Agreement, dated December 30, 1997, by and among LaserSight Incorporated, LSI Acquisition, Inc., MEC Health Care, Inc. and Vision Twenty-One, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 2.(ii) to the Company's Form 8-K filed on January 14, 1998*).
- 10.25 Agreement dated April 1, 1992 between International Business Machines Corporation and LaserSight Incorporated (filed as Exhibit 10.1 on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1995*).
- 10.26 Securities Purchase Agreement, dated June 5, 1998, by and between LaserSight Incorporated and TLC The Laser Center, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on June 25, 1998*).
- 10.27 Letter Agreement dated September 11, 1998, amending the Agreement and Plan of Merger dated July 15, 1997, by and among LaserSight Incorporated, Photomed Acquisition, Inc., Photomed, Inc., Frederic B. Kremer, M.D., Linda Kremer, Robert Sataloff, Trustee for Alan Stewart Kremer and Robert Sataloff, Trustee for Mark Adam Kremer (filed as Exhibit 10.31 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 16, 1998*).
- 10.28 Exclusive License Agreement dated August 20, 1998, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and TLC The Laser Center Patents Inc. (filed as Exhibit 10.32 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 16, 1998*).
- 10.29 Manufacturing Agreement, dated September 10, 1997, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and Frantz Medical Development Ltd. (filed as Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Form S-3, Pre-Effective Amendment No. 1 filed on February 1, 1999*).
- 10.30 Employment Agreement by and between LaserSight Incorporated and Michael R. Farris dated October 30, 1998 (filed as Exhibit 10.37 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 31, 1999*).
- 10.31 Securities Purchase Agreement by and between LaserSight Incorporated and purchasers of common stock dated March 22, 1999 (filed as Exhibit 10.38 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 31, 1999*).
- 10.32 Warrant to purchase 225,000 shares of common stock dated March 22, 1999 by and between LaserSight Incorporated and purchasers of common stock of LaserSight Incorporated (filed as Exhibit 10.39 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 31, 1999*).
- 10.33 Warrant to purchase 67,500 shares of common stock dated February 22, 1999 by and between LaserSight Incorporated and Guy Numann (filed as Exhibit 10.40 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on May 17, 1999*).
- 10.34 Manufacturing and Marketing Agreement, and Addendum thereto, dated May 14, 1999, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and Becton, Dickinson and Company (filed as Exhibit 10.40 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on August 11, 1999*)**.

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- 10.35 First Amendment to Manufacturing and Marketing Agreement, dated October 23, 1999, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and Becton, Dickinson and Company (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's 8-K, filed on October 27, 1999**)**.
- 10.36 Distribution Agreement, dated October 23, 1999, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and Becton, Dickinson and Company (filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's 8-K, filed on October 27, 1999**)**.
- 10.37 Employment Agreement, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and J. Richard Crowley, dated as of July 3, 1997 (filed as Exhibit 10.43 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 15, 1999*).
- 10.38 Employment Agreement, by and between LaserSight Incorporated and Michael P. Dayton, dated November 10, 1998 (filed as Exhibit 10.44 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 15, 1999*).
- 10.39 Relocation Agreement, by and between LaserSight Incorporated and Gregory L. Wilson, dated October 13, 1999 (filed as Exhibit 10.45 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 15, 1999*).
- 10.40 Technology Development and License Agreement, dated October 23, 1999, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and Quadrivium, L.L.C. (filed as Exhibit 10.46 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 15, 1999*).
- 10.41 Employment Agreement, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and Jack T. Holladay, dated October 27, 1999 (filed as Exhibit 10.47 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on November 15, 1999*).
- 10.42 Securities Purchase Agreement by and between LaserSight Incorporated and TLC Laser Eye Centers Inc. dated January 31, 2000 (filed as Exhibit 99.2 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on February 8, 2000*).
- 10.43 Registration Rights Agreement dated January 31, 2000 by and between LaserSight Incorporated and TLC Laser Eye Centers Inc. (filed as Exhibit 99.3 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on February 8, 2000*).
- 10.44 Securities Purchase Agreement by and between LaserSight Incorporated, BayStar Capital, L.P. and BayStar International, Ltd. dated January 31, 2000 (filed as Exhibit 99.4 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on February 8, 2000*).
- 10.45 Registration Rights Agreement dated January 31, 2000 by and between LaserSight Incorporated, BayStar Capital, L.P. and BayStar International, Ltd. (filed as Exhibit 99.5 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on February 8, 2000*).
- 10.46 Securities Purchase Agreement by and between LaserSight Incorporated, Engmann Options, Inc. and MDNH Partners, L.P. dated February 18, 2000. The Company undertakes to provide to the Commission upon its request the schedules omitted from this exhibit (filed as Exhibit 10.54 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 30, 2000*).
- 10.47 Registration Rights Agreement dated February 18, 2000 by and between LaserSight Incorporated, Engmann Options, Inc. and MDNH Partners, L.P. (filed as Exhibit 10.55 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 30, 2000*).

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10.48 Technology Purchase Agreement dated as of March 8, 2000 by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc., Premier Laser Systems, Inc. and Eyesys-Premier, Inc. The Company undertakes to provide to the Commission upon its request the schedules omitted from this exhibit (filed as Exhibit 10.56 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 30, 2000*).

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10.49 Employment Agreement, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc and Donald M. Litscher dated February 23, 2000 (filed as Exhibit 10.57 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on May 12, 2000*).

10.50 Amended and Restated Employment Agreement, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and L. Stephen Dalton dated effective as of August 1, 2001 (filed as Exhibit 10.50 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on August 14, 2001*).

10.51 Securities Purchase Agreement dated September 8, 2000 among LaserSight Incorporated, BayStar Capital, L.P. and BayStar International, Ltd. The Company undertakes to provide to the Commission upon its request the schedules omitted from this exhibit (filed as Exhibit 99.2 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on September 22, 2000*).

10.52 Warrant agreement dated September 8, 2000 among LaserSight Incorporated and BayStar Capital, L.P. (filed as Exhibit 99.3 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on September 22, 2000*).

10.53 Warrant agreement dated September 8, 2000 among LaserSight Incorporated and BayStar International, Ltd. (filed as Exhibit 99.4 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on September 22, 2000*).

10.54 Registration Rights Agreement dated September 8, 2000 among LaserSight Incorporated, BayStar Capital, L.P. and BayStar International, Ltd. (filed as Exhibit 99.5 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on September 22, 2000*).

10.55 Assignment Agreement dated as of February 27, 2001 among LaserSight Patents, Inc. and Alcon Laboratories, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on March 16, 2001*)**.

10.56 Amended and Restated License and Royalty Agreement dated as of January 3, 2001 by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc., Luis A. Ruiz, M.D. and Sergio Lenchig (filed as Exhibit 10.56 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 30, 2001*).

10.57 Registration Rights Agreement dated January 3, 2001 among LaserSight Incorporated, Luis A. Ruiz, M.D. and Sergio Lenchig (filed as Exhibit 10.57 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 30, 2001*).

10.58 Loan and Security Agreement dated March 12, 2001 among LaserSight Incorporated and subsidiaries and Heller Healthcare Finance, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 10.58 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 30, 2001*).

10.59 Warrant agreement dated March 12, 2001 among LaserSight Incorporated and Heller Healthcare Finance, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 10.59 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 30, 2001*).

10.60 Registration Rights Agreement dated March 12, 2001 among LaserSight Incorporated and Heller Healthcare Finance, Inc. (filed as Exhibit

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10.60 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 30, 2001*).

10.61 Employment Agreement, by and between LaserSight Technologies, Inc and Christine A. Oliver effective as of October 30, 2000 (filed as Exhibit 10.61 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on August 14, 2001*).

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10.62 Settlement and License Agreement dated as of May 25, 2001 between LaserSight Incorporated and Visx, Incorporated (filed as Exhibit 10.62 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on August 14, 2001*).***

10.63 Securities Purchase Agreement dated July 6, 2001 among LaserSight Incorporated, BayStar Capital, L.P. and BayStar International, Ltd. (file as Exhibit 99.2 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on July 18, 2001*).

10.64 Series F Registration Rights Agreement dated July 6, 2001 among LaserSight Incorporated, BayStar Capital, L.P. and BayStar International, Ltd. (filed as Exhibit 99.3 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on July 18, 2001*).

10.65 Series G Registration Rights Agreement dated July 6, 2001 among LaserSight Incorporated, BayStar Capital, L.P. and BayStar International, Ltd. (filed as Exhibit 99.6 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on July 18, 2001*).

10.66 Non-Exclusive License Agreement dated September 7, 2001 among LaserSight Incorporated, LaserSight Technologies, Inc. and Bausch & Lomb Incorporated.

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15 Copy of letter from independent accountants' regarding unaudited interim financial information

b) Reports on Form 8-K

On July 18, 2001, we filed a Current Report on Form 8-K including a press release announcing that we had completed an equity financing involving Series F convertible participating preferred stock.

* Incorporated herein by reference. File No. 0-19671.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

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the undersigned have duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

LaserSight Incorporated

Dated: November 14, 2001

By: /s/ Michael R. Farris

Michael R. Farris,
Chief Executive Officer

Dated: November 14, 2001

By: /s/ Gregory L. Wilson

Gregory L. Wilson,
Chief Financial Officer