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Vornado's operating results for quarter ended March 31, 2001.

PARAMUS, NEW JERSEY......VORNADO REALTY TRUST (NYSE:VNO) today reported that funds from operations for the quarter ended March 31, 2001 were \$81.9 million, or \$.84 per diluted share, compared to \$80.2 million, or \$.84 per diluted share, for the prior year's quarter.

Net income applicable to common shares for the quarter ended March 31, 2001 was \$46.8 million, or \$.52 per diluted share, versus \$47.5 million, or \$.54 per diluted share, for the quarter ended March 31, 2000.

This quarter's net income and funds from operations include (i) a charge of \$5.0 million or \$.05 per share for the costs of acquisitions not consummated and (ii) a charge of \$4.7 million or \$.04 per share resulting from the write-off of an equity investment in a technology company. Funds from operations before these items was \$91.6 million, or \$.93 per diluted share.

Further, net income for the current year's quarter includes (i) the Company's share of Alexander's net gain on sale of real estate of \$6.3 million or \$.07 per share, (ii) the Company's share of Alexander's extraordinary gain on early extinguishment of debt of \$1.2 million or \$.01 per share and (iii) a charge of \$4.1 million or \$.04 per share resulting from the cumulative effect of the application of SFAS 133, 'Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities'.

Last year's first quarter net income includes a net gain on the sale of real estate of \$2.6 million or \$.03 per share and an extraordinary charge of \$1.1 million or \$.01 per share in connection with the prepayment of debt as part of a refinancing.

Vornado Realty Trust is a fully-integrated equity real estate investment trust.

VORNADO REALTY TRUST OPERATING RESULTS FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2001

FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED (amounts in thousands, except per share amounts). March 31, March 31, 2001(1) 2000 (2) 242,610 195,279 Revenues..... Income before cumulative effect of change in accounting principle extraordinary item..... 59,449 58,321 (4,110)Cumulative effect of change in accounting principle...... 1,170 (1,125)(1) Extraordinary item 56,509 57,196 Net income (9,673) (9,673)Preferred stock dividends 46,836 47,523 Net income applicable to common shares..... 80,176 81,907 Funds from operations..... Per Common Share: Net income Basic Diluted..... Average number of common shares and share 89,381,000 87,755,000 equivalents outstanding Funds from operations Average number of common shares and share equivalents outstanding used for determining funds. 97,399,000 95,773,328 from operations per share

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