Fiscal 2016 First Quarter Reconciliation of Earnings Before Interest and Taxes to Earnings from Continuing Operations

	Quarter Ended 8/30/15				Quarter Ended 8/24/2014				
(\$ in millions)	Reported		Adjusted		Reported		Adjusted		-
Earnings from continuing operations	\$	81.0	\$	87.6 (1)	\$	(19.3)	\$	41.8	(2)
Interest, net		22.4		22.4		111.3		31.3	(3)
Income taxes		30.8		33.0 (4)		(24.4)		9.5	(4)
Earnings before interest and taxes from continuing operations	\$	134.2	\$	143.0	\$	67.6	\$	82.6	_
Sales	\$	1,687.0	\$	1,687.0	\$	1,595.8	\$	1,595.8	-
EBIT margin		8.0%		8.5%		4.2%		5.2%	
Change from prior year		3.80%							
Adjusted change from prior year				3.30%					

- (1) Adjustments relate to the impact of the strategic real estate plan implementation
- (2) Adjustments relate to the impact of Red Lobster related shared support costs, impairments and other strategic action costs
- (3) Adjustment relates to debt breakage costs associated with the retirement of debt
- (4) Adjustments relate to the tax effects of the adjustments