Shareholders' and Other Information

Financial Information

Whirlpool Corporation's Annual Report on Form 10-K, a cassette-tape recording of the annual report to shareholders and other financial information is available free of charge to stockholders of record.

The Financial Summary contained in this Annual Report should be read together with the Company's Consolidated Financial Statements and related notes, and the "Management's Discussion and Analysis." This information appears in the Financial Supplement to the Company's Proxy Statement and in the Financial Supplement to the 2005 Annual Report on Form 10-K, both of which are available through the Internet at www.whirlpoolcorp.com.

This Annual Report contains forward-looking statements. These statements are based on current expectations and assumptions that are subject to risks and uncertainties. Actual results could differ materially because of the factors discussed in the "Risk Factors" section of the Form 10-K.

Company earnings releases for each quarter – typically issued in April, July, October and February – can be obtained by contacting: Larry Venturelli *Corporate Vice President and Controller* Whirlpool Corporation 2000 N. M-63, Mail Drop 2800 Benton Harbor, MI 49022-2692 Telephone: 269.923.4678 Fax: 269.923.3525 larry.venturelli@whirlpool.com

Certifications

The most recent certifications by the Company's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 are filed as exhibits to our Annual Report on Form 10-K. The Chief Executive Officer's most recent certification to the New York Stock Exchange pursuant to Section 303A.12(a) of the NYSE's Listed Company Manual was submitted May 9, 2005.

Stock Exchanges

Common stock of Whirlpool Corporation (exchange symbol: WHR) is listed on the New York and Chicago stock exchanges.

Annual Meeting

Whirlpool Corporation's next annual meeting is scheduled for April 18, 2006, at 8:00 a.m. (Central Time), at 120 East Delaware Place, 8th Floor, Chicago, IL.

Transfer Agent, Shareholder Records, Dividend Disbursements and Corporate Secretary

For information about or assistance with individual stock records, transactions, dividend checks or stock certificates, contact:

Computershare Trust Company, N.A. Shareholder Services P.O. Box 43069 Providence, RI 02940-3069 Telephone: 877.498.8861 Outside the United States: 781.575.2879 TDD/TTY for hearing impaired: 201.222.4955 www.computershare.com

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Direct Stock Purchase Plan

As a participant in the DirectSERVICE Investment and Stock Purchase PROGRAM, you can be the direct owner of your shares of Whirlpool Common Stock. Non-shareholders may purchase their initial shares through the plan for a minimum investment of \$250, or through automatic bank account debits of \$50 for five months. Participants may make cash contributions of up to \$250,000 annually, invested daily, with or without reinvesting their dividends, and can sell part of the shares held in the program without exiting the plan. There are modest transaction processing fees and brokerage commissions for purchases, sales and dividend reinvestment.

For details, contact Computershare or visit their Direct Stock Purchase Plan Website to enroll.

Stock-Split and Dividend History

March 1952 :	2-for-1 stock exchange
December 1954 :	100% stock dividend
May 1965 :	2-for-1
May 1972 :	3-for-1
December 1986 :	2-for-1

Example: 100 shares of Whirlpool common stock purchased in February 1952 equaled 4,800 shares in January 2006.

For each quarter during 2004 and 2005, Whirlpool paid a dividend of \$0.43 per share.

Common Stock

Market Price	High	Low	Close
4Q 2005	\$86.52	\$ 67.89	\$ 83.76
3Q 2005	\$85.70	\$69.01	\$75.77
2Q 2005	\$74.05	\$60.78	\$ 70.11
1Q 2005	\$71.25	\$61.53	\$67.73
4Q 2004	\$69.77	\$ 54.53	\$ 69.21
3Q 2004	\$68.88	\$58.15	\$ 60.09
2Q 2004	\$70.98	\$61.05	\$68.60
1Q 2004	\$80.00	\$66.60	\$ 68.87

As of February 22, 2006, the number of holders of record of the common stock of Whirlpool was approximately 7,438.

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Product and Service Information

(North America) *KitchenAid* brand: 800.422.1230 *Whirlpool* brand: 800.253.1301

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Directors (as of January 2006)

Herman Cain 3,4 *Chief Executive Officer and President*, T.H.E. New Voice, Inc.

Gary T. DiCamillo 1,2 *President and Chief Executive Officer*, American Crystal, Inc.

Jeff M. Fettig Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, Whirlpool Corporation

Allan D. Gilmour 1,3 *Former Vice Chairman of the Board* Ford Motor Company

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Miles L. Marsh 2,4 Former Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, Fort James Corporation

Paul G. Stern 3,4 Partner, Arlington Capital Partners, L.L.P. and Thayer Capital Partners, L.L.P. and *Chairman of the Board*, Claris Capital Partners

Janice D. Stoney 1,4 *Former Executive Vice President*, US WEST Communications Group, Inc.

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Michael A. Todman President, Whirlpool International, Whirlpool Corporation

Michael D. White 1,2 Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, PepsiCo International

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Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee
Finance Committee
Human Resources Committee

Executive Committee

Jeff M. Fettig Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer

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