CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORPORATION RECONCILIATION OF CERTAIN FINANCIAL MEASURES (in 000's)

(unaudited)

(undudited)				
THREE MONTHS ENDED:	June 30, 2005		June 30, 2004	
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$	566,781	\$	328,787
Adjustments: Changes in assets and liabilities	_	(53,498)		(20,614)
OPERATING CASH FLOW*	\$	513,283	\$	308,173

*Operating cash flow represents net cash provided by operating activities before changes in assets and liabilities. Operating cash flow is presented because management believes it is a useful adjunct to net cash provided by operating activities under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP). Operating cash flow is widely accepted as a financial indicator of an oil and gas company's ability to generate cash which is used to internally fund exploration and development activities and to service debt. This measure is widely used by investors and rating agencies in the valuation, comparison, rating and investment recommendations of companies within the oil and gas exploration and production industry. Operating cash flow is not a measure of financial performance under GAAP and should not be considered as an alternative to cash flows from operating, investing, or financing activities as an indicator of cash flows, or as a measure of liquidity.

THREE MONTHS ENDED:		June 30, 2005		June 30, 2004	
Net income	\$	193,779	\$	97,155	
Income tax expense		111,387		54,654	
Interest expense		53,902		28,806	
Depreciation and amortization of other assets		11,807		6,716	
Oil and gas depreciation, depletion and amortization	_	209,371		136,743	
EBITDA**	\$	580,246	\$	324,074	

**Ebitda represents net income (loss) before cumulative effect of accounting change, income tax expense (benefit), interest expense, and depreciation, depletion and amortization expense. Ebitda is presented as a supplemental financial measurement in the evaluation of our business. We believe that it provides additional information regarding our ability to meet our future debt service, capital expenditures and working capital requirements. This measure is widely used by investors and rating agencies in the valuation, comparison, rating and investment recommendations of companies. Ebitda is also a financial measurement that, with certain negotiated adjustments, is reported to our lenders pursuant to our bank credit agreement and is used in the financial covenants in our bank credit agreement and our senior note indentures. Ebitda is not a measure of financial performance under GAAP. Accordingly, it should not be considered as a substitute for net income, income from operations, or cash flow provided by operating activities prepared in accordance with GAAP. Ebitda is reconciled to cash provided by operating activities as follows:

THREE MONTHS ENDED:	June 30, 2005		June 30, 2004	
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$	566,781	\$	328,787
Changes in assets and liabilities Interest expense Unrealized gains (losses) on oil and gas derivatives Other non-cash items		(53,498) 53,902 84,054 (70,993)		(20,614) 28,806 (20,150) 7,245
EBITDA	<u>\$</u>	580,246	\$	324,074

CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORPORATION RECONCILIATION OF CERTAIN FINANCIAL MEASURES (in 000's) (unaudited)

(diladated)			
SIX MONTHS ENDED:	June 30, 2005	June 30, 2004	
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ 1,080,307	\$ 670,557	
Adjustments: Changes in assets and liabilities	(61,561)	(28,830)	
OPERATING CASH FLOW*	\$ 1,018,746	<u>\$ 641,727</u>	

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SIX MONTHS ENDED:	June 30, 2005	June 30, 2004	
Net income	\$ 318,789	\$ 209,745	
Income tax expense	183,243	117,981	
Interest expense	97,030	75,351	
Depreciation and amortization of other assets	21,889	12,455	
Oil and gas depreciation, depletion and amortization	390,339	<u>256,651</u>	
EBITDA**	<u>\$ 1,011,290</u>	<u>\$ 672,183</u>	

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SIX MONTHS ENDED:	June 30, 2005	June 30, 2004	
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ 1,080,307	\$ 670,557	
Changes in assets and liabilities Interest expense Unrealized gains (losses) on oil and gas derivatives Other non-cash items	(61,561) 97,030 (33,073) (71,413)	(28,830) 75,351 (34,150) (10,745)	
EBITDA	<u>\$ 1,011,290</u>	<u>\$ 672,183</u>	

CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORPORATION RECONCILIATION OF ADJUSTED NET INCOME AVAILABLE TO COMMON & ADJUSTED EBITDA (\$ in 000's, except per share amounts) (unaudited)

(unaudited)			
	Three Months Ended	Six Months Ended	
	June 30, 2005	June 30, 2005	
Net income available to common shareholders	\$ 179,177	\$ 298,724	
Adjustments: Loss on conversion/exchange of preferred stock Net Income	4,74 <u>3</u> \$ 183,920	\$ 303,467	
Adjustments, net of tax: Unrealized (gains) losses on derivatives Loss on repurchases or exchanges of debt	(53,458) 43,434	18,985 <u>44,006</u>	
Adjusted net income available to common*	<u>\$ 173,896</u>	<u>\$ 366,458</u>	
Adjusted earnings per share assuming dilution**	\$ 0.50	<u>\$ 1.06</u>	
EBITDA	\$ 580,246	\$ 1,011,290	
Adjustments, before tax: Unrealized (gains) losses on oil and gas derivatives Loss on repurchases or exchanges of debt	(84,054) 68,400	33,073 69,300	
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$ 564,592	<u>\$ 1,113,663</u>	

^{*}Adjusted net income available to common and adjusted earnings per share assuming dilution and adjusted EBITDA exclude certain items that management believes affect the comparability of operating results. The company discloses these non-GAAP financial measures as a useful adjunct to GAAP earnings and EBITDA because:

- Management uses adjusted net income available to common and adjusted EBITDA to evaluate the company's operational trends and performance relative to other oil and gas producing companies.
- b. Adjusted net income available to common and adjusted EBITDA are more comparable to earnings and EBITDA estimates provided by securities analysts.
- c. Items excluded generally are one-time items, or items whose timing or amount cannot be reasonably estimated. Accordingly, any guidance provided by the company generally excludes information regarding these types of items.

^{**}For purposes of calculating fully diluted shares and earnings per share assuming dilution for the three and six months ended June 30, 2005, accounting rules prohibit the company from assuming the conversion of the 4.125% preferred stock for common shares prior to conversion or exchange for either period since the effect would have been anti-dilutive. In determining adjusted earnings per share, we have reflected the converted shares as though they were converted at the beginning of the period (fully diluted share count of 366.7 million and 359.1 million for the three and six months ended June 30, 2005, respectively).