

1 **Q. Please provide the short and long-term sick leave statistics for the corporation since**
2 **1998.**

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4 A. Table 1 provides the short-term sick leave statistics for the Company from 1998 to
5 forecast 2002 in sick days per full-time equivalent employee.
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Table 1 Short-Term Sick Leave Statistics 1998 – 2002F	
Year	Sick Days Per FTE
1998	5.70
1999	8.10
2000	8.00
2001	7.40
2002F	6.70

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8 Table 2 provides the long-term disability (LTD) statistics for the Company from 1998 to
9 forecast 2002.
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Table 2 Long-Term Sick Leave Statistics 1998 – 2002F		
Year	Number of Employees commencing LTD	Number of Employees returning from LTD
1998	4	5
1999	11	7
2000	9	6
2001	10	11
2002F	9	4