

SEI Reports 2007 Results

Revenues Up 16%, Net Income Up 10%

OAKS, Pa., Jan. 31 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- SEI Investments Company (Nasdaq: SEIC) today announced financial results for 2007, reporting increases in revenues, net income and earnings per share compared to 2006. Net income during the fourth-quarter was negatively affected by a \$25.1 million non-cash charge (approximately \$.08 per share) related to previously-disclosed support agreements covering holdings of structured investment products by SEI-sponsored money market funds.

Consolidated Overview	N					
(In thousands, except	t For the	e Three Mo	nths	For the	Twelve Mont	hs
earnings per share)	Ended	December	31,	Ended	December 31	,
	2007	2006	용	2007	2006	응
Revenues	\$353,409	\$315,514	12%	\$1,369,028	\$1,175,749	16%
Net Income Before						
Taxes	84 , 792	98,054	(14%)	409,540	358 , 756	14%
Net Income	53,632	63,624	(16%)	259 , 809	236,990	10%
Diluted Earnings Per						
Share	\$.27	\$.31	(13%)	\$1.28	\$1.17	9%

"We continue to be satisfied with the progress we are making, even in the face of difficulties created by the capital and credit markets," said Alfred P. West, Jr., SEI Chairman and CEO.

"During the fourth-quarter, SEI realized increased contributions from all of our core businesses, saw continued success in the first installation of our Global Wealth Platform, and made good progress on our other key investments. In the long run, we remain firm in our belief that what we are doing will provide our clients with increased opportunities for success and allow us to grow our future revenues and profits more rapidly."

Summary of Fourth-Quarter and Year to Date Results by Business Segment

Private Banks:						
Revenues	\$111,814	\$94,273	19%	\$413,922	\$367,449	13%
Expenses	89 , 255	74,423	20%	330,923	279,089	19%
Operating Profit	\$22,559	\$19,850	14%	\$82,999	\$88,360	(6%)
Operating Margin	20%	21%		20%	24%	
Investment Advisors:						
Revenues	66,564	60,070	11%	259 , 288	225,716	15%
Expenses	33 , 392	29 , 162	15%	124,942	111,907	12%
Operating Profit	33 , 172	30,908	7%	134,346	113,809	18%
Operating Margin	50%	51%		52%	50%	
Institutional						
Investors:						
Revenues	52 , 778	45,796	15%	199,593	164,962	21%
Expenses	32,031	28 , 563	12%	121,365	106,377	14%
Operating Profit	20 , 747	17 , 233	20%	78 , 228	58 , 585	34%
Operating Margin	39%	38%		39%	36%	
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Investment Managers:						
Revenues	38,244	32,826	17%	143,375	118,964	21%
Expenses	26 , 752	23,641	13%	101,401	90,799	12%
Operating Profit	11,492	9,185	25%	41,974	28,165	49%
Operating Margin	30%	28%		29%	24%	
Investments in New						
Businesses:						
Revenues	1,858	2,191	(15%)	7,205	7,537	(4%)
Expenses	5 , 073	6,048	(16%)	19,670	22,891	(14%)
Operating Loss	(3,215)	(3,857)	17%	(12,465)		
Operating Margin	n/a	n/a	1/0	n/a	n/a	100
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LSV						
Revenues	82 , 151	80 , 358	2%	345,645	291,121	19%
Expenses (1)	51,515	48,959	5%	213,926	178,727	20%
Operating profit	30,636	31,399	(2%)	131,719	112,394	17%
Operating Margin	37%	39%		38%	39%	
Consolidated Segment						
Totals:						
Revenues	\$353,409	\$315,514	12%	\$1,369,028	\$1,175,749	16%
Expenses	238,018	210,796	13%	912,227	789,790	16%
Operating Profit	\$115,391	\$104,718	10%	\$456,801	\$385,959	18%
Operating Margin	33%	33%		33%	33%	

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$42,387 and \$42,862 for the three month period ended December 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively, and \$181,591 and \$153,381 for the twelve month period ended December 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively, of minority interest to the other partners of LSV.

A reconciliation of the totals reported for the business segments to the applicable line items in the Consolidated Statements of Income for the three and twelve month periods ended December 31, 2007 and 2006 are as follows:

Total operating profit from business segments	\$115,391	\$104,718	\$456,801	\$385 , 959
Corporate overhead expenses Minority interest reflected	(11,586)	(10,221)	(42,045)	(38,842)
in segments	43,859	44,051	186 , 500	158 , 615
LSV Employee Group Expenses (1)	(1,821)	(1,864)	(7,281)	(7,281)
Income from operations	\$145,843	\$136,684	\$593 , 975	\$498,451

(1) Includes \$1,806 for the three month period ending December 31, 2007 and 2006, and \$7,222 for the twelve month period ending December 31, 2007 and 2006 of amortization expense related to intangible assets owned by LSV Employees Group LLC. The amortization is offset through Minority interest since SEI does not have any ownership in LSV Employee Group LLC.

Fourth-Quarter Business Commentary:

- -- All four core business segments (Private Banks, Investment Advisors, Institutional Investors and Investment Managers) reported double-digit percentage revenue gains versus fourth-quarter, 2006.
- -- The Private Banks, Institutional Investors and Investment Managers segments all reported double-digit percentage gains in operating profit versus fourth-quarter, 2006 levels.
- -- The Global Wealth Platform was placed into service during the third-quarter, 2007. Fourth-quarter expenses reflect an increase of approximately \$3.4 million for amortization versus fourth-quarter, 2006 levels. The amortization is primarily recognized in the Private Banks and Investment Advisors segments.
- -- The company's percentage ownership in LSV remained at approximately 43 percent. In the fourth-quarter, 2007, the company recognized \$30.6 million as its portion of the earnings from LSV versus \$31.4 million in the fourth-quarter, 2006.
- -- Assets under management declined by \$4.9 billion during fourth-quarter, 2007 to \$196.8 billion, due to market depreciation.
- -- In the fourth-quarter 2007, SEI purchased 706,000 shares of its common stock for \$21.2 million. Stock repurchases totaled 7.2 million shares for approximately \$205 million for the 2007 calendar year.
- -- The fourth-quarter results include a \$25.1 million non-cash charge related to money market funds support agreements. Additional information about the capital support agreements is contained in SEI's third-quarter, 2007 Form 10-Q filed November 9, 2007.

Earnings Conference Call

A conference call to review earnings is scheduled for 2:00 PM ET on January 31, 2008. Investors may listen to the call at www.seic.com, or listen at www.earnings.com, a service of Thomson Streetevents. The call may also be accessed at numerous financial services web sites including AOL and Yahoo. Investors may also listen to replays at these web sites, or by telephone at (USA) 1-800-475-6701; (International) 320-365-3844, access code 889135.

About SEI

SEI (Nasdaq: SEIC) is a leading global provider of outsourced asset management, investment processing and investment operations solutions. The company's innovative solutions help corporations, financial institutions, financial advisors, and affluent families

create and manage wealth. As of December 31, 2007, through its subsidiaries and partnerships in which the company has a significant interest, SEI administers \$426 billion in mutual fund and pooled assets and manages \$197 billion in assets. SEI serves clients, conducts or is registered to conduct business and/or operations from more than 20 offices in over a dozen countries. For more information, visit www.seic.com.

Many of our responses may be considered "forward looking statements" and include discussions about future operations, strategies and financial results. Forward-looking statements are based upon estimates and assumptions that involve risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond our control or are subject to change. Although we believe our assumptions are reasonable, they could be inaccurate. Our actual future revenues and income could differ materially from our expected results. We have no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements.

SEI INVESTMENTS COMPANY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (In thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

	Three Months 2007	Ended December 31, 2006
Asset management, admin. and		40.40
distribution fees	\$278 , 086	\$249,810
Information processing and	62 170	E2 602
software servicing fees Transaction-based and	62 , 170	53,693
trade execution fees	13,153	12,011
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Total revenues	353,409	315,514
Commissions and fees	46,666	39,937
Compensation, benefits and		
other personnel	88 , 857	84,128
Consulting, outsourcing and		
professional fees	27,443	
Data processing and computer related	10,785	
Facilities, supplies and other costs	22,546	
Depreciation and amortization	11,269	7,298
Total expenses	207,566	178,830
Income from operations	145,843	136,684
Minority interest	(41,440)	(41,104)
Net loss on investments (1)	(23,880)	
Interest and dividend income	5,282	4,372
Interest expense	(1,013)	(1,386)
Income before taxes	84,792	98,054
Income taxes	31,160	34,430
Net income	\$53,632	\$63,624
Diluted earnings per common share	\$.27	\$.31
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Shares used to calculate diluted earnings per common share	200 , 297	204,660
Basic earnings per common share	\$.28	\$.32
Shares used to calculate basic earnings per common share	194,321	197,808
Dividends declared per common share	.07	.06

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$25,122 non-cash charge related to money market funds support agreements.

SEI INVESTMENTS COMPANY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (In thousands, except per share data)

	Twelve Months 2007 (Unaudited)	Ended December 31, 2006
Asset management, admin. and distribution fees	\$1,091,424	\$918,142
Information processing and software servicing fees Transaction-based and	230,301	213,066
trade execution fees	47,303	44,541
Total revenues	1,369,028	1,175,749
Commissions and fees Compensation, benefits and other	176,523	147,835
personnel Consulting, outsourcing and	350,150	315,502
professional fees	94,642	77,753
Data processing and computer related	42,189	37,755
Facilities, supplies and other costs	74,413	69 , 306
Depreciation and amortization	37,136	29,147
Total expenses	775,053	677 , 298
Income from operations	593 , 975	498,451
Minority interest	(175 , 879)	(146,962)
Net loss on investments (1)	(25 , 395)	(2,378)
Interest and dividend income	18 , 596	13,521
Interest expense	(4 , 709)	(5,464)
Other income	2,952	1,588
Income before taxes	409,540	358,756
Income taxes	149,731	121,766
Net income	\$259 , 809	\$236,990
Diluted earnings per common share	\$1.28	\$1.17

Shares used to calculate diluted

earnings per common share	202,231	203,266
Basic earnings per common share	\$1.32	\$1.20
Shares used to calculate basic earnings per common share	196,120	197,364
Dividends declared per common share	\$.14	\$.12

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$25,122 non-cash charge related to money market funds support agreements.

SEI INVESTMENTS COMPANY CONDENSED BALANCE SHEETS (In thousands)

	(Unaudited) December 31, 2007	December 31, 2006
Assets		
Cash and short-term investments Restricted cash Receivables Securities owned Other current assets	\$360,921 10,250 275,109 16,777 31,877	\$286,948 10,250 244,599 16,431 28,245
Total current assets	694,934	586,473
Property and equipment, net Investments available for sale Capitalized software, net Goodwill Intangible assets Other assets, net Total assets	143,516 77,169 231,684 22,842 60,177 22,043 \$1,252,365	130,732 71,690 180,014 22,842 67,836 20,118 \$1,079,705
Liabilities		
Current liabilities (1) Long-term debt Deferred income taxes Long term liabilities Minority interest	\$230,367 43,971 73,600 11,895 136,149	\$196,127 67,538 76,148 109,380
Shareholders' Equity	756 , 383	630,512
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$1,252,365	\$1,079,705

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$25,122 accrual related to money market funds support agreements.

(Unaudited)

	Dec. 31, 2006	Mar. 31, 2007	Jun. 30, 2007	Sep. 30, 2007	Dec. 31, 2007
Private Banks: Equity/Fixed Income					
prgms. Collective Trust Fund	\$16 , 806	\$18 , 196	\$20,666	\$21 , 816	\$21 , 160
prgm. Liquidity funds	1,251 8,513	•	1,078 8,224	1,056 8,836	1,007 8,886
Total assets under mgmt.	\$26 , 570	\$27 , 585	\$29 , 968	\$31,708	\$31 , 053
Client assets under admin.	14,738	14,864	15,019	15 , 655	14,235
Total assets	\$41,308	\$42,449	\$44,987	\$47,363	\$45,288
Investment Advisors:					
Equity/Fixed Income prgms. Collective Trust Fund	\$34,096	\$35 , 225	\$36 , 923	\$37 , 751	\$36 , 378
prgm.	2,480	2,491		2,325	2,295
Liquidity funds Total assets under	1,421	1,404	1,400	1,619	2 , 079
mgmt.	\$37 , 997	\$39,120	\$40,657	\$41 , 695	\$40 , 752
<pre>Institutional Investors: Equity/Fixed Income</pre>					
prgms. Collective Trust Fund	\$37 , 720	\$39,504	\$40,771	\$43,504	\$44,833
prgm.	1,081		895	907	897
Liquidity funds Total assets under	3,371	5 , 072	4,128	4,342	3 , 629
mgmt.	\$42,172	\$45 , 654	\$45 , 794	\$48 , 753	\$49 , 359
<pre>Investment Managers: Equity/Fixed Income</pre>					
prgms. Collective Trust Fund	\$30	\$29	\$32	\$24	\$24
prgm.	8,675	8,300	7,990	6,814	6,651
Liquidity funds Total assets under	215	178	271	360	325
mgmt.	\$8 , 920	\$8 , 507	\$8 , 293	\$7 , 198	\$7 , 000
Client assets under admin.	170,344	180,745	192 , 931	205,251	215,124
Total assets	\$179,264	\$189,252	\$201,224	\$212,449	\$222,124
Investments in New Businesses:					
Equity/Fixed Income prgms.	\$805	\$843	\$887	\$907	\$929
Liquidity funds Total assets under	53	43	43	40	74
mgmt.	\$858	\$886	\$930	\$947	\$1,003
LSV Asset Management Equity/Fixed Income prgms.	\$64 , 970	\$68 , 225	\$73 , 100	\$71,349	\$67 , 599
Consolidated:	•		•	•	•

Consolidated:
 Equity/Fixed Income

prgms (A)	\$154 , 427	\$162,022	\$172 , 379	\$175 , 351	\$170 , 923
Collective Trust Fund					
prgm.	13 , 487	13,017	12 , 297	11,102	10,850
Liquidity funds	13,573	14,938	14,066	15,197	14,993
Total assets under					
mgmt.	\$181,487	\$189 , 977	\$198,742	\$201,650	\$196 , 766
Client assets under					
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admin. (B)	185,082	195,609	207,950	220,906	229,359
Total assets	\$366 , 569	\$385 , 586	\$406 , 692	\$422,556	\$426,125

- (A) Equity/Fixed Income programs include \$3,717 of assets invested in SEI's Asset Allocation Funds at December 31, 2007.
- (B) In addition to the numbers presented, SEI also administers an additional \$6,326 in Funds of Funds assets (as of December 31, 2007) on which SEI does not earn an administration fee.

SOURCE SEI Investments Company