DGSE COMPANIES INC Form 10QSB April 27, 2004

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 10-QSB

(Mark One)	
(X) Quarterly Report pursuant to Section Exchange Act of 1934	13 or 15(d) of the Securities
For the quarterly period ended March 31, 20	004
() Transition Report under Section 13 or 15 Act of 1934	(d) of the Securities Exchange
For the transition period from to)
Commission File Number 1-11048	
DGSE Companies, Inc (Name of small business	
Nevada	88-0097334
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)
2817 Forest Lane, Dallas, Texas	75234
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)
(Issuer's telephone number, including area code)	(972) 484-3662
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securit the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter prequired to file such reports), and (2) has requirements for the past 90 days. Yes X No	cies Exchange Act of 1934 during period that the registrant was
Indicate the number of shares outstanding of eacommon stock, as of the latest practicable date.	ach of the issuer's classes of
Class	Outstanding at April 14, 2004
Common Stock, \$.01 per value	4,913,290

PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

DGSE Companies, Inc. and Subsidiaries

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS	(Unaudited)	
	March 31, 2004	December 31, 2003
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents		\$ 735,293
Trade receivables		774,586
Other receivables	204,430	
Inventories	6,887,659	6,673,865
Prepaid expenses	143,073	
Total current assets	8,004,855	8,537,451
MARKETABLE SECURITIES - AVAILABLE FOR SALE	349,818	243,446
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT - AT COST, NET	957 , 896	989,966
GOODWILL	1,151,120	1,151,120
OTHER ASSETS	150,497	149,546
	\$ 10.614.186	\$ 11,071,529
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LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Notes payable	\$ 2,403,059	\$ 541,546
Current maturities of long-term debt	197 , 315	197,315
Accounts payable - trade	512,864	
Accrued expenses	214,202	·
Customer deposits	91,499	•
Federal income taxes payable	308,654	512 , 991
Total current liabilities	3,727,593	2,966,965
Long-term debt, less current maturities	1,209,438	2,719,482
Deferred income taxes	58,911	22,743
Total liabilities	4,995,942	5,709,190
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY Common stock, \$.01 par value; authorized 10,000,000		
shares; issued and outstanding 4,913,290 shares at	40 100	40 100
shares; issued and outstanding 4,913,290 shares at March 31, 2004 and December 31, 2003 Additional paid-in capital	49,133 5,708,760	49,133 5,708,760

Retained earnings (deficit)	(209,855)	(395,554)
Total shareholders' equity	5,618,244	5,362,339
	\$ 10,614,186	\$ 11,071,529 =======

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements

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DGSE Companies, Inc. and Subsidiaries CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS Three months ended (Unaudited)

	March 31, 2004	March 31, 2003
Revenue		
Sales Pawn services charges	\$ 6,848,946 47,630	\$ 5,217,920 41,882
	6,896,576	5,259,802
Costs and expenses		
Cost of goods sold	5,486,910	4,190,058
Selling, general and administrative expenses		976,462
Depreciation and amortization		34,788
		5,201,308
Operating income	353,415	58,494
Other income (expense) Interest expense	(72,053)	(68,030)
Total other income (expense)		(68,030)
Income (loss) before income taxes	281,362	(9,536)
Income tax expense (benefit)	95 , 663	(3,242)
Net income (loss) from continuing operations	185,699	(6,294)
Loss from discontinued operations, net of income taxes		(15,149)
Net income (loss)	\$ 185,699	\$ (21,443)

Earnings per common share

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Basic and diluted	\$.04	
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Weighted average number of common shares: Basic		4,913,290	4,913,790
Diluted		5,137,431	4,913,790

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 ${\tt DGSE}$ COMPANIES, Inc. and Subsidiaries

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Unaudited)

		ths Ended h 31,
		2003
Cash Flows From Operations		
Reconciliation of net loss to net cash		
used in operating activities	¢ 105 600	ć (O1 442)
Net income (loss)	•	\$ (21,443)
Depreciation and amortization	·	42,018
Deferred taxes		(11,046)
(Increase) decrease in operating assets and liabilities		
Trade receivables		174,824
Inventories	(213 , 794)	(236,911)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	6,204	(3,488)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(837 , 959)	(620,937)
Federal income taxes payable		(150,000)
Other assets	(951)	(18,044)
Total net cash used in operating activities		
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchase of property and equipment	(4,164)	(2,393)
Change in deposits	(58, 589)	69,964
Net cash (used) provided by investing activities	(62,753)	67 , 571
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from notes issued	625,000	625,000
Payments on notes payable	(272,580)	(219,680)
Net cash provided by financing activities	352 , 420	•
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Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(680,855)	(372,136)

Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	735,293	498,408
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 54,438 =======	\$ 126 , 272

Supplemental schedule of non-cash, investing and financing activities:

Interest paid for the three months ended March 31, 2004 and 2003 was \$72,053 and \$68,030, respectively.

Income taxes paid for the three months ended March 31, 2004 and 2003 was \$300,000 and \$150,000, respectively.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(1) Basis of Presentation:

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements of DGSE Companies, Inc. and Subsidiaries include the financial statements of DGSE Companies, Inc. and its wholly-owned subsidiaries, DGSE Corporation, National Jewelry Exchange, Inc., Silverman Consultants, Inc.and Charleston Gold And Diamond Exchange, Inc. In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring accruals) considered necessary for a fair presentation have been included.

The Company's operating results for the three months ended March 31, 2004, are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ended December 31, 2004. For further information, refer to the consolidated financial statements and footnotes thereto included in the Company's annual report on Form 10-KSB for the year ended December 31, 2003. Certain reclassifications were made to the prior year's consolidated financial statements to conform to the current year presentation.

(2) Earnings per share

No reconciliation is provided for the periods ended March 31 2004 and 2003 because the effect is not dilutive.

(3) Business segment information

The Company's operations by business segment for the three months ended March 31, were as follows:

Jewelry	Liquidations	Operations	& Other	Consolidat
		Discontinued	Corporate	

Revenues

2004	\$ 6,799,082	\$ 97,494	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 6,896,5
2003	\$ 5,141,927	\$ 117,875	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 5,259,8
Net income (loss)					
2004	\$ 237,729	\$ (31,995)	\$ 	\$ (20,035)	\$ 185 , 6
2003	\$ 19,269	\$ (9 , 722)	\$ (15,149)	\$ (15,841)	\$ (21,4
Identifiable assets					ļ
2004	\$ 9,673,272	\$ 331 , 678	\$ 	\$ 609,236	\$ 10,614,1
2003	\$ 9,499,275	\$ 775,700	\$ 	\$ 3,002	\$ 10,277,9
Capital expenditures					
2004	\$ 4,164	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 4,1
2003	\$ 2,393	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 2,3
Depreciation and					
amortization					
2004	\$ 33,410	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 1,875	\$ 35,2
2003	\$ 40,143	\$ 1,875	\$ 	\$ - <u>-</u>	\$ 42,0

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(4) Other Comprehensive income:

Other comprehensive income is as follows:

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Other comprehensive income at December 31, 2003	\$	\$	\$
Unrealized holding gains arising during the Three months ended March 31, 2004	106,373	(36,167)	70,206
Other comprehensive income at March 31, 2004	\$ 106,373	\$ (36,167) ======	\$ 70,206
Other comprehensive income loss at December 31, 2002 Unrealized holding gains arising during the	\$(1,728,130)	\$ 593,180	\$(1,134,950)
Three months ended March 31, 2003	75 , 278	(25,594)	49,684
Other comprehensive income (loss) at March 31, 2003	\$(1,652,852) =======	\$ 567 , 586	\$(1,085,266) =======

(5) Stock-based Compensation:

The Company accounts for stock-based compensation to employees using the intrinsic value method. Accordingly, compensation cost for stock options to employees is measured as the excess, if any, of the quoted market price of the Company's common stock at the date of the grant over the amount an employee must pay to acquire the stock.

The following table illustrates the effect on net income and earnings per share if the Company had applied the fair value recognition provisions of FASB Statement No. 123, Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation, to stock-based employee compensation.

	Thr	ee Months E	nded	March 31,
		2004		2003
Net income(loss) as reported Deduct: Total stock-based employee compensation Expense determined under fair value based method	\$	185 , 699	\$	(21,443)
For all awards, net of related tax effects				
Pro forma net loss	\$	185,699	\$	(21,443)
Earnings per share:				
Basic - as reported	\$.04		
Basic - pro forma	\$.04		
Diluted - as reported	\$.04		
Diluted pro forma	\$.04		

The fair value of these options was estimated at the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model with the following weighted average assumptions used for grants after 1998, expected volatility of 70% to 96%, risk-free rate of 3.9% to 6.6%, no dividend yield and expected life of 5 to 8 years.

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Item 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OR PLAN OF OPERATION

Results of Operations
----Quarter ended March 31, 2004 vs 2003:

Revenue for the first quarter of 2004 increased by \$1,636,774 or 31.1% when compared to the corresponding quarter of 2003. The increase was the result of a \$1,657,155 increase in sales from the jewelry segment. The increase in jewelry segment sales was the result of a \$630,214 increase in precious metal sales and a \$1,026,941 increase in jewelry sales. These increases were due to a nation-wide improvement in the retail environment and significant price increases in precious metal products. Pawn service fees increased by 13.7% due to an increase in loan volume. Cost of sales increased primarily due to the

increase in sales. Gross margins increased from 19.7% in 2003 to 19.9% in 2004 due to the increase in sales of jewelry products.

Selling, general and administration expenses increased by \$44,504\$ due an increase in sales staff. Income taxes are provided at the corporate rate of 34% for both 2004 and 2003

Loss from discontinued operations during 2003 in the amount of \$ 15,149 net of income taxes is the combined results of two subsidiaries of the Company, DLS Financial Services, Inc. and eye media, inc. The operations of these two companies were discontinued during 2003.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

The Company's short-term debt, including current maturities of long-term debt totaled \$2,600,374 as of March 31, 2004. The ability of the Company to finance its operations and working capital needs are dependent upon management's ability to negotiate extended terms or refinance its short-term debt. The Company has historically renewed, extended or replaced short-term debt as it matures and management believes that it will be able to do so in the future as short-term debt matures.

Management of the Company expects capital expenditures to total approximately \$50,000 during the balance of 2004. It is anticipated that these expenditures will be funded from working capital.

From time to time, management has adjusted the Company's inventory levels to meet seasonal demand or in order to meet working capital requirements. Management is of the opinion that if additional working capital is required, additional loans can be obtained from individuals or from commercial banks. If necessary, inventory levels may be adjusted or a portion of the Company's investments in marketable securities may be liquidated in order to meet working capital requirements.

Contractual Cash Obligations						Ра	yments du	ıe by	year e
	Total		2004		2005		2006		2007
Notes payable	\$2,403,059	\$	278 , 059	\$2	2,125,000				
Long-term debt and capital leases	1,406,753		185,224	\$	484,737	\$	137,906	\$	135,33
Federal income taxes	308,654		308,654						!
Operating leases	354,027		175,570		148,205		18,886		11,36
	\$4,472,493	\$	947 , 507	\$2	2,757,942	\$	156 , 792	\$	146,69
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This report contains forward-looking statements which reflect the view of Company's management with respect to future events. Although management believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, it can give no assurance that such expectations will prove to have been correct. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from such expectations are a down turn in the current strong retail climate and the potential for fluctuations in precious metals prices. The forward-looking statements contained herein reflect the current views of the Company's management and the Company assumes no obligation to update the forward-looking statements or to update the reasons actual results could differ from those contemplated by such forward-looking statements.

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ITEM 3. Controls and Procedures

Under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our principal executive officer and principal financial officer, we have evaluated the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures within 90 days of the filing date of this quarterly report, and, based on their evaluation, our principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that these controls and procedures are effective. There are no significant changes in our internal controls or other factors that could significantly affect these controls subsequent to the date of their evaluation. Disclosure controls and procedures are our controls and other procedures that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by us in the reports that we file or submit under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported, within the time period specified in the Securities and Exchange Commission's rules and forms. Disclosure controls and procedures include, without limitation, controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by us in the reports that we file under the Exchange Act is accumulated and communicated to our management, including our principal executive officer and principal financial officer, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 6. EXHIBITS AND REPORTS ON FORM 8-K

- 31.1 Certificate of L.S. Smith pursuant to Section 3026 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, Chief Executive Officer.
- 31.2 Certificate of John Benson pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, Chief Financial Officer .
- 32.1 Certificate of L.S. Smith pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, Chief Executive Officer.
- 32.2 Certificate of John Benson pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, Chief Financial Officer.

Reports on Form 8-K - None

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SIGNATURES

In accordance with Section 13 and $15\,(d)$ of the Exchange Act, the Registrant caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

DGSE Companies, Inc.

By: /s/ L. S. Smith Dated: April 26, 2004

L. S. Smith
Chairman of the Board,
Chief Executive Officer and
Secretary

In accordance with the Exchange Act, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the Registrant and in the capacities and on the date indicated.

By: /s/ L. S. Smith Dated: April 26, 2004

L. S. Smith Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive Officer and Secretary

By: /s/ W. H. Oyster Dated: April 26, 2004

W. H. Oyster Director, President and Chief Operating Officer

By: /s/ John Benson Dated: April 26, 2004

John Benson Chief Financial Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)