

# Visteon Announces Second-Quarter 2018 Results

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- Sales of \$758 million
- Net income of \$35 million
- Adjusted EBITDA of \$81 million
- Awarded \$2.2 billion in new business up 38 percent year-over-year
  - o Largest infotainment award in Visteon's history \$640 million
  - Largest instrument cluster award in Visteon's history \$585 million
- Increased order backlog to record \$21.1 billion

VAN BUREN TOWNSHIP, Mich., July 26, 2018 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Visteon Corporation (NASDAQ:VC) today announced second-quarter 2018 results, reporting sales of \$758 million, compared with \$774 million in the second quarter of 2017. Second-quarter net income attributable to Visteon was \$35 million or \$1.17 per diluted share for 2018, compared with \$45 million or \$1.41 per diluted share in 2017.

Adjusted EBITDA, a non-GAAP financial measure as defined below, was \$81 million for the second quarter, compared with \$84 million in the same period last year. Adjusted net income, a non-GAAP financial measure as defined below, was \$41 million for the second quarter or \$1.37 per diluted share, compared with \$44 million or \$1.38 per diluted share in the second quarter of 2017.

During the second quarter, global vehicle manufacturers awarded Visteon new business of \$2.2 billion in lifetime revenue. This new business included the largest infotainment win and the largest instrument cluster win in the company's history. The infotainment win is for a cross-platform, global system with a large European automaker, with anticipated lifetime revenue of \$640 million and launching in early 2020. The digital instrument cluster win is for high-volume, compact vehicles for a global European automaker, with expected lifetime revenue of \$585 million and launching in late 2020. Visteon's ongoing backlog, defined as cumulative remaining awarded life-of-program expected booked sales, was \$21.1 billion as of June 30, 2018, up from \$19.4 billion at the end of 2017.

"Our second-quarter results were impacted by lower vehicle production volumes, particularly in North America, and new emissions regulations in Europe, offset by continued strong performance in China," said Visteon President and CEO Sachin Lawande. "Our products and technology continue to enable us to win record levels of new business in the evolving cockpit and safety electronics segments. Visteon's core business remains strong and our order backlog keeps us on track to achieve our long-term targets despite near-term industry headwinds."

## Second Quarter in Review

Sales totaled \$758 million and \$774 million during the second quarter of 2018 and 2017, respectively, for a decrease of \$16 million. Sales decreased in the Americas, primarily reflecting lower vehicle production volumes. Sales increased in Europe, reflecting favorable currency, and in Asia, driven by new product launches. On a regional basis, Asia accounted for 39 percent of sales, Europe 34 percent, and the Americas 27 percent.

Gross margin for the second quarter of 2018 and 2017 was \$104 million and \$111 million, respectively, for a decrease of \$7 million. Adjusted EBITDA was \$81 million for the second quarter of 2018, compared with \$84 million for the same quarter last year, for a decrease of \$3 million. Adjusted EBITDA margin was 10.7 percent for the second quarter of 2018, 20 basis points lower than the prior year.

Gross margin and adjusted EBITDA were impacted by lower production volumes and product mix, partially offset by favorable currency and a positive business equation. Business equation is defined as cost performance net of customer pricing.

For the second quarter of 2018, net income was \$35 million or \$1.17 per diluted share, compared with net income of \$45 million or \$1.41 per diluted share for the same period in 2017. Adjusted net income, which excludes restructuring charges and discontinued operations, was \$41 million or \$1.37 per diluted share for the second quarter of 2018, compared with \$44 million or \$1.38 per diluted share for the same period in 2017.

## **Cash and Debt Balances**

As of June 30, 2018, Visteon had total cash of \$528 million. Total debt as of June 30, 2018, was \$378 million.

For the second quarter of 2018, cash from operations was \$45 million, and capital expenditures were \$25 million. For the first half of 2018, cash from operations was \$126 million, and capital expenditures were \$69 million. Total Visteon adjusted free cash flow, a non-GAAP financial measure as defined below, for the second quarter and first half of 2018 was \$29 million and \$77 million, respectively.

During the second quarter of 2018, the company repriced its \$350 million term facility to reduce the applicable margin by 25 basis points, from LIBOR plus 2.00 percent to 1.75 percent.

## **Share Repurchases**

During the first half of the year, the company executed agreements to purchase \$200 million of shares, including an accelerated share buyback program of \$150 million. As of June 30, 2018, the company had 29.9 million of diluted shares of common stock outstanding. Subsequent to the end of the quarter, the company concluded the accelerated share buyback program and received an additional 229,986 shares.

Visteon is authorized to purchase an additional \$500 million of shares through Dec. 31, 2020, under the Board of Directors' Jan. 15, 2018, resolution.

#### Full-Year 2018 Outlook

Visteon updated its full-year 2018 guidance with sales in the range of \$3.10 billion to \$3.15 billion, adjusted EBITDA in the range of \$350 million to

\$360 million, and adjusted free cash flow in the range of \$160 million to \$170 million.

#### **About Visteon**

Visteon is a global technology company that designs, engineers and manufactures innovative cockpit electronics products and connected car solutions for most of the world's major vehicle manufacturers. Visteon is a leading provider of instrument clusters, head-up displays, information displays, infotainment, audio systems, SmartCore™ cockpit domain controllers, vehicle connectivity, and the DriveCore™ autonomous driving platform. Visteon also supplies embedded multimedia and smartphone connectivity software solutions to the global automotive industry. Headquartered in Van Buren Township, Michigan, Visteon has approximately 10,000 employees at more than 40 facilities in 18 countries. Visteon had sales of \$3.15 billion in 2017. Learn more at <a href="https://www.visteon.com">www.visteon.com</a>.

#### **Conference Call and Presentation**

Today, Thursday, July 26, 2018, at 9 a.m. ET, the company will host a conference call for the investment community to discuss the quarter's results and other related items. The conference call is available to the general public via a live audio webcast.

The dial-in numbers to participate in the call are:

U.S./Canada: 866-411-5196 Outside U.S./Canada: 970-297-2404

(Call approximately 10 minutes before the start of the conference.)

The conference call and live audio webcast, related presentation materials and other supplemental information will be accessible in the investors section of Visteon's website. A news release on Visteon's second-quarter results will be available in the news section of the website.

A replay of the conference call will be available through the company's website or by dialing 855-859-2056 (toll-free from the U.S. and Canada) or 404-537-3406 (international). The conference ID for the phone replay is 3594194. The phone replay will be available for one week following the conference call.

#### Forward-looking Information

This press release contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future results and conditions but rather are subject to various factors, risks and uncertainties that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those expressed in these forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to: (1) conditions within the automotive industry, including (i) the automotive vehicle production volumes and schedules of our customers, (ii) the financial condition of our customers and the effects of any restructuring or reorganization plans that may be undertaken by our customers or suppliers, including work stoppages, and (iii) possible disruptions in the supply of commodities to us or our customers due to financial distress, work stoppages, natural disasters or civil unrest; (2) our ability to satisfy future capital and liquidity requirements; including our ability to access the credit and capital markets at the times and in the amounts needed and on terms acceptable to us; our ability to comply with financial and other covenants in our credit agreements; and the continuation of acceptable supplier payment terms; (3) our ability to satisfy pension and other post-employment benefit obligations; (4) our ability to access funds generated by foreign subsidiaries and joint ventures on a timely and cost-effective basis; (5) our ability to execute on our transformational plans and cost-reduction initiatives in the amounts and on the timing contemplated; (6) general economic conditions, including changes in interest rates, currency exchange rates and fuel prices; (7) the timing and expenses related to internal restructurings, employee reductions, acquisitions or dispositions and the effect of pension and other post-employment benefit obligations; (8) increases in raw material and energy costs and our ability to offset or recover these costs, increases in our warranty, product liability and recall costs or the outcome of legal or regulatory proceedings to which we are or may become a party; and (9) those factors identified in our filings with the SEC (including our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 2017).

Caution should be taken not to place undue reliance on our forward-looking statements, which represent our view only as of the date of this release, and which we assume no obligation to update. The financial results presented herein are preliminary and unaudited; final financial results will be included in the company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2018. New business wins and rewins do not represent firm orders or firm commitments from customers, but are based on various assumptions, including the timing and duration of product launches, vehicle production levels, customer price reductions and currency exchange rates.

#### Use of Non-GAAP Financial Information

This press release contains information about Visteon's financial results which is not presented in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP"). Such non-GAAP financial measures are reconciled to their closest GAAP financial measures at the end of this press release. The provision of these comparable GAAP financial measures for 2018 is not intended to indicate that Visteon is explicitly or implicitly providing projections on those GAAP financial measures, and actual results for such measures are likely to vary from those presented. The reconciliations include all information reasonably available to the company at the date of this press release and the adjustments that management can reasonably predict.

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# VISTEON CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(Dollars in Millions, Except Per Share Data) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended June 30			Six Months Ended June 30				
	2018		2017		2018		2017	
Sales	\$ 758		\$ 774		\$ 1,572		\$ 1,584	
Cost of sales	(654	)	(663	)	(1,339	)	(1,344	)
Gross margin	104	ŕ	111	,	233	ŕ	240	,
Selling, general and administrative expenses	(55	)	(54	)	(99	)	(106	)
Restructuring expense	(5	)	(3	)	(10	)	(4	)
Interest expense, net	(2	)	(4	)	(4	)	(9	)
Equity in net income of non-consolidated affiliates	4		3		7		5	
Other income, net	3		5		10		7	
Income before income taxes	49		58		137		133	
Provision for income taxes	(12	)	(10	)	(33	)	(26	)
Net income from continuing operations	37		48		104		107	
(Loss) income from discontinued operations, net of tax	(1	)	_		1		8	
Net income	36		48		105		115	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests	(1	)	(3	)	(5	)	(7	)
Net income attributable to Visteon Corporation	\$ 35		\$ 45		\$ 100		\$ 108	
Earnings per share data:								
Basic earnings per share								
Continuing operations	\$ 1.22		\$ 1.43		\$ 3.29		\$ 3.12	
Discontinued operations	(0.03	)	_		0.03		0.25	
Basic earnings per share attributable to Visteon Corporation	\$ 1.19		\$ 1.43		\$ 3.32		\$ 3.37	
Diluted earnings per share								
Continuing operations	\$ 1.20		\$ 1.41		\$ 3.26		\$ 3.07	
Discontinued operations	(0.03	)	_		0.03		0.24	
Diluted earnings per share attributable to Visteon Corporation	\$ 1.17		\$ 1.41		\$ 3.29		\$ 3.31	
Average shares outstanding (in millions)								
Basic	29.6		31.5		30.1		32.1	
Diluted	29.9		32.0		30.4		32.6	
Comprehensive income:								
Comprehensive income	\$ (9	)	\$ 56		\$ 83		\$ 146	
Comprehensive income attributable to Visteon Corporation	\$ (3	)	\$ 52		\$ 79		\$ 137	

VISTEON CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Dollars in Millions) (Unaudited)

	June 30 2018	December 31 2017
ASSETS		
Cash and equivalents	\$ 525	\$ 706
Restricted cash	3	3
Accounts receivable, net	438	530
Inventories, net	197	189
Other current assets	173	175
Total current assets	1,336	1,603
Property and equipment, net	372	377
Intangible assets, net	125	132
Investments in non-consolidated affiliates	48	41
Other non-current assets	155	151
Total assets	\$ 2,036	\$ 2,304
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Short-term debt, including current portion of long-term debt	\$ 30	\$ 46
Accounts payable	435	470
Accrued employee liabilities	76	105
Other current liabilities	162	180
Total current liabilities	703	801
Long-term debt	348	347
Employee benefits	260	277
Deferred tax liabilities	22	23
Other non-current liabilities	87	95
Stockholders' equity		
Common stock	1	1
Additional paid-in capital	1,302	1,339
Retained earnings	1,545	1,445
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(195 )	(174 )
Treasury stock	(2,137 )	(1,974 )
Total Visteon Corporation stockholders' equity	516	637
Non-controlling interests	100	124
Total equity	616	761
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 2,036	\$ 2,304

# **VISTEON CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES** CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS <sup>1</sup> (Dollars in Millions) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended June 30				Six Months Ended June 30			
	2018		2017		2018		2017	
OPERATING								
Net income	\$ 36		\$ 48		\$ 105		\$ 115	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided from operating activities:								
Depreciation and amortization	23		22		45		41	
Equity in net income of non-consolidated affiliates, net of dividends remitted	(4	)	(3	)	(7	)	(5	)
Non-cash stock-based compensation	6		4		_		6	
Gain on India operations repurchase			_		_		(7	)
Gains on divestitures and impairments	_		(3	)	(3	)	(2	)
Other non-cash items	2		_		2		3	
Changes in assets and liabilities:								
Accounts receivable	37		47		85		8	
Inventories	(8	)	_		(14	)	(8	)
Accounts payable	(38	)	(38	)	(8	)	(20	)

Other assets and other liabilities	(9	)	19		(79	)	(46	)
Net cash provided from operating activities	45		96		126		85	
INVESTING								
Capital expenditures, including intangibles	(25	)	(15	)	(69	)	(47	)
India operations repurchase	_		_		_		(47	)
Proceeds from asset sales and business divestitures	_		3		_		13	
Loan repayments from non-consolidated affiliates	_		_		2		_	
Settlement of net investment hedge	_		5		1		5	
Net cash used by investing activities	(25	)	(7	)	(66	)	(76	)
FINANCING								
Short-term debt, net	(4	)	(8	)	(16	)	7	
Principal payments on debt	_		_		_		(2	)
Distribution payments	_		_		(14	)	(1	)
Repurchase of common stock	_		(35	)	(200	)	(160	)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	_		(11	)	(1	)	(11	)
Other	1		_		(2	)	(3	)
Net cash used by financing activities	(3	)	(54	)	(233	)	(170	)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	(15	)	7		(8	)	13	
Net increase (decrease) in cash	2		42		(181	)	(148	)
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash at beginning of period	526		692		709		882	
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash at end of period	\$ 528		\$ 734		\$ 528		\$ 734	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Company has combined cash flows from discontinued operations with cash flows from continuing operations within the operating, investing and financing categories. 2017 cash flow statement recast for adoption of Accounting Standards Update No. 2016-15, "Statement of Cash Flows (Topic 230): Classification of Certain Cash Receipts and Cash Payments."

# VISTEON CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES

(Unaudited, Dollars in Millions)

Adjusted EBITDA: Adjusted EBITDA is presented as a supplemental measure of the Company's performance that management believes is useful to investors because the excluded items may vary significantly in timing or amounts and/or may obscure trends useful in evaluating and comparing the Company's operating activities across reporting periods. The Company defines Adjusted EBITDA as net income attributable to the Company adjusted to eliminate the impact of depreciation and amortization, restructuring expense, net interest expense, equity in net income of non-consolidated affiliates, loss on divestiture, gain on non-consolidated affiliate transactions, provision for income taxes, discontinued operations, net income attributable to non-controlling interests, non-cash stock-based compensation expense, and other gains and losses not reflective of the Company's ongoing operations. Because not all companies use identical calculations, this presentation of Adjusted EBITDA may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies.

	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended				<b>Estimated</b>		
	June 30				June 30				Full Year	
Visteon	2018		2017		2018		2017		2018	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 81		\$ 84		\$ 185		\$ 185		\$350 - \$360	
Depreciation and amortization	(23	)	(22	)	(45	)	(41	)	(92)	
Restructuring expense	(5	)	(3	)	(10	)	(4	)	(20)	
Interest expense, net	(2	)	(4	)	(4	)	(9	)	(8)	
Equity in net income of non-consolidated affiliates	4		3		7		5		13	
Provision for income taxes	(12	)	(10	)	(33	)	(26	)	(58)	
(Loss) income from discontinued operations, net of tax	(1	)	_		1		8		1	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests	(1	)	(3	)	(5	)	(7	)	(12)	
Non-cash, stock-based compensation	(6	)	(4	)	_		(6	)	(10)	
Other	_		4		4		3		4	
Net income attributable to Visteon	\$ 35		\$ 45		\$ 100		\$ 108		\$168 - \$178	

Adjusted EBITDA is not a recognized term under U.S. GAAP and does not purport to be a substitute for net income as an indicator of operating performance or cash flows from operating activities as a measure of liquidity. Adjusted EBITDA has limitations as an analytical tool and is not intended to be a measure of cash flow available for management's discretionary use, as it does not consider certain cash requirements such as interest payments, tax payments and debt service requirements. In addition, the Company uses Adjusted EBITDA (i) as a factor in incentive compensation decisions, (ii) to evaluate the effectiveness of the Company's business strategies, and (iii) because the Company's credit agreements use similar measures for compliance with certain covenants.

Free Cash Flow and Adjusted Free Cash Flow: Free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow are presented as supplemental measures of the Company's liquidity that management believes are useful to investors in analyzing the Company's ability to service and repay its debt. The Company defines Free cash flow as cash flow provided from operating activities less capital expenditures. The Company defines Adjusted free cash flow as

cash flow provided from operating activities less capital expenditures, as further adjusted for restructuring and transformation-related payments. Free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow include amounts associated with discontinued operations. Because not all companies use identical calculations, this presentation of Free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow may not be comparable to other similarly titled measures of other companies.

	Three Months	s Ended	Six Months Ended	Estimated
	June 30		June 30	Full Year
Total Visteon	2018	2017	2018 2017	2018
Cash provided from operating activities total Visteon	\$ 45	\$ 96	\$ 126	\$240 - \$250
Capital expenditures, including intangibles	(25 )	(15 )	(69 ) (47 )	(110 - 105)
Free cash flow	\$ 20	\$ 81	\$ 57	\$130 - \$145
Restructuring/transformation-related payments	9	6	20 18	30 - 25
Adjusted free cash flow	\$ 29	\$ 87	\$ 77	\$160 - \$170

Free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow are not recognized terms under U.S. GAAP and do not purport to be a substitute for cash flows from operating activities as a measure of liquidity. Free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow have limitations as analytical tools as they do not reflect cash used to service debt and do not reflect funds available for investment or other discretionary uses. In addition, the Company uses Free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow (i) as factors in incentive compensation decisions and (ii) for planning and forecasting future periods.

Adjusted Net Income and Adjusted Earnings Per Share: Adjusted net income and Adjusted earnings per share are presented as supplemental measures that management believes are useful to investors in analyzing the Company's profitability, providing comparability between periods by excluding certain items that may not be indicative of recurring business operating results. The Company believes management and investors benefit from referring to these supplemental measures in assessing company performance and when planning, forecasting and analyzing future periods. The Company defines Adjusted net income as net income attributable to Visteon adjusted to eliminate the impact of restructuring expense, loss on divestiture, gain on non-consolidated affiliate transactions, discontinued operations and related tax effects and other gains and losses not reflective of the Company's ongoing operations. The Company defines Adjusted earnings per share as Adjusted net income divided by diluted shares. Because not all companies use identical calculations, this presentation of Adjusted net income and Adjusted earnings per share may not be comparable to other similarly titled measures of other companies.

Net income attributable to Visteon:	Three Months June 30	Six Months Ended June 30				
	2018	2017	2018	2017		
Electronics	\$ 36	\$ 45	\$ 99	\$ 100		
Discontinued operations	(1	) —	1	8		
Net income attributable to Visteon	\$ 35	\$ 45	\$ 100	\$ 108		

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	Electronics	s Ended June 30 Discontinued Operations	Total Visteon	Electronics	Inded June 30, 20 Discontinued Operations	Total Visteon
Diluted earnings per share:						
Net income attributable to Visteon	\$ 36	\$ (1 )	\$ 35	\$ 99	\$ 1	\$ 100
Average shares outstanding, diluted (in millions)	29.9	29.9	29.9	30.4	30.4	30.4
Diluted earnings per share	\$ 1.20	\$ (0.03)	\$ 1.17	\$ 3.26	\$ 0.03	\$ 3.29
Adjusted earnings per share:						
Net income attributable to Visteon	\$ 36	\$ (1 )	\$ 35	\$ 99	\$ 1	\$ 100
Restructuring expense	5	_	5	10	_	10
Other	_	_	_	(4)	_	(4)
Loss (income) from discontinued operations, net of tax	_	1	1	_	(1 )	(1 )
Adjusted net income *	\$ 41	\$ <b>—</b>	\$ 41	\$ 105	\$ —	\$ 105
Average shares outstanding, diluted (in millions)	29.9	29.9	29.9	30.4	30.4	30.4
Adjusted earnings per share	\$ 1.37	\$ <b>—</b>	\$ 1.37	\$ 3.45	\$ —	\$ 3.45
*Tax impacts of adjustments less than \$1M.						
	Three Month	s Ended June 30	, 2017	Six Months E	nded June 30, 20	017
	Electronics	Discontinued Operations	Total Visteon	Electronics	Discontinued Operations	Total Visteon
Diluted earnings per share:		-				
Net income attributable to Visteon	\$ 45	\$ <b>—</b>	\$ 45	\$ 100	\$ 8	\$ 108
Average shares outstanding, diluted (in millions)	32.0	_	32.0	32.6	32.6	32.6
Diluted earnings per share	\$ 1.41	\$ —	\$ 1.41	\$ 3.07	\$ 0.24	\$ 3.31

# Adjusted earnings per share:

Net income attributable to Visteon	\$ 45	\$ —	\$ 45	\$ 100	\$ 8	\$ 108
Restructuring expense	3	_	3	4	_	4
Other	(4	) —	(4)	(3	) —	(3 )
Income from discontinued operations, net of tax	_	_	_	_	(8	) (8 )
Adjusted net income *	\$ 44	\$ —	\$ 44	\$ 101	\$ —	\$ 101
Average shares outstanding, diluted (in millions)	32.0	_	32.0	32.6	32.6	32.6
Adjusted earnings per share	\$ 1.38	\$ —	\$ 1.38	\$ 3.10	\$ —	\$ 3.10

<sup>\*</sup>Tax impacts of adjustments less than \$1M.

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