

## Executive annual pay,\* 1989-2007 (2007 dollars)

						Percent change			
	1989	1995	2000	2002	2007	1995-2000	2000-07	2002-07	1989-2007
	\$ Thousands								
<i>Median</i>	\$4,200	\$4,963	\$7,573	\$7,034	\$8,685	52.6%	14.7%	23.5%	106.8%
<i>Average</i>	4,606	5,444	15,196	6,285	12,309	179.2	-19.0	95.8	167.3

\* Total direct compensation, including salary and bonuses, incentive awards, stock options exercised, and stock granted.

Source: Authors' analysis of *Wall Street Journal*/Mercer, Hay Group (2008).

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