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I'd like to concentrate on our marketing and strategic opportunities. We need to aggressively increase market share. Because our marketing is run by engineers, it is normally aimed at the products we don't have yet but will have in two or three years. We are already bored with the products which we have today that excited us two years ago, and we have to concentrate on getting an enthusiastic, organized marketing and selling approach to our products. I think we should do this by scheduling two meetings, one in January and one in February.

For the first meeting, I'd like to work on the marketing of products. I'd like to look at this by product segments and, for the meeting, have the market segment manager responsible for the preparation and attendance for each segment. They would find the best unit or account managers, from the sales department, to be part of a team for each of these segments. Those three people will prepare and come to the WOODS meeting with their approach to marketing and selling.

I'd like to do the same thing in February, but, in that case, have ten to twelve applications. These could include office All-In-1, imaging, EDI, desktop publishing, banking/insurance, trader workstations, small business, science/laboratory, manufacturing, big accounting, telecommunications, CASE, and IS. Here to, I'd have three people on each preparation committee and have those same three people attend the WOODS meeting.

The purpose for the meeting is to come up with new, innovative ideas to sell our products and aggressively increase market share.

I'd like Jack Smith and Willow Shire to lay out the list of each of the applications and each of the segments and who would be the chairman of those committees. Then have that chairman search out

the best two sales people to be on their committee. These sales people should compliment the interest and experience of the engineer, they should be enthusiastic about selling what we have and matching it with the needs of the customer, and getting our message organized and communicated.

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