## **AutoCAD and Its Applications BASICS**

## **Exercise 17-8**

- 1. Continue from Exercise 17-7 or start AutoCAD.
- 2. Start a new drawing from scratch or use a decimal-unit template of your choice. Save the drawing as EX17-8.
- 3. Set up appropriate layers, including a layer for dimensions.
- 4. Create an appropriate dimension style. Draw and dimension a view similar to the view in Figure 17-18. Use the **DIM** command.
- Draw and dimension a view similar to the view in Figure 17-19. Use the **DIM** command.
- 6. Draw and dimension a view similar to the view on the right in Figure 17-16. Use the **DIM** command.
- 7. Resave and close the file.
- 8. To continue practicing dimensioning, complete the activity in act17-08.dwg available on the companion website.
- 9. Keep AutoCAD open for the next exercise, or exit AutoCAD if necessary.