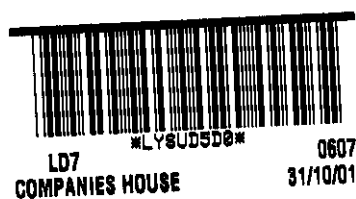


WATTS & COMPANY LIMITED
ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000



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ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2000

	Notes	2000 £	£	1999 £	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	2		16,769		21,954
Investments	2		30		30
			<u>16,799</u>		<u>21,984</u>
Current assets					
Stocks		68,584		93,163	
Debtors	3	73,753		77,883	
Cash at bank and in hand		79,013		42,027	
		<u>221,350</u>		<u>213,073</u>	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		<u>(73,978)</u>		<u>(72,575)</u>	
Net current assets			<u>147,372</u>		<u>140,498</u>
Total assets less current liabilities			<u>164,171</u>		<u>162,482</u>
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	4		10,000		10,000
Profit and loss account			154,171		152,482
Shareholders' funds			<u>164,171</u>		<u>162,482</u>

In preparing these abbreviated accounts:

- The directors are of the opinion that the company is entitled to the exemption from audit conferred by Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985;
- No notice has been deposited under Section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985, and
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:
 - ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, and
 - preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of Section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

The financial statements were approved by the board on 25 October 2001


M.G. Hoare
Director

WATTS & COMPANY LIMITED

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention.

1.2 Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services net of VAT and trade discounts.

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Leasehold properties	Straight line over the life of the lease
Wallpaper blocks	33.33% Reducing balance
Fixtures, fittings & equipment	20% Reducing balance

1.4 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value.

1.5 Stock

Stock and work in progress is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

1.6 Pensions

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contributions payable by the company during the year in accordance with SSAP 24.

1.7 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided at appropriate rates on all timing differences using the liability method only to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is a reasonable probability that a liability or asset will crystallise in the foreseeable future.

2 Fixed assets

	Tangible assets	Investments	Total
	£	£	£
Cost			
At 1 January 2000 & at 31 December 2000	60,647	30	60,677
Depreciation			
At 1 January 2000	38,693	-	38,693
Charge for the year	5,185	-	5,185
At 31 December 2000	43,878	-	43,878
Net book value			
At 31 December 2000	16,769	30	16,799
At 31 December 1999	21,954	30	21,984

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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

3 Debtors

Debtors include an amount of £10,500 (1999- £10,500) which is due after more than one year.

4 Share capital	2000 £	1999 £
Authorised		
1,000 Ordinary shares of £ 50 each	50,000	50,000
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Allotted, called up and fully paid		
200 Ordinary shares of £ 50 each	10,000	10,000
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