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BOOKER FITCH FOOD SERVICES LIMITED (previously Snowdon & Bridge Limited)

Company No 239718

DIRECTORS' REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

29 APRIL 1990 TO 31 DECEMBER 1990



#### DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their annual report and the audited accounts for the period 29 April 1990 to 31 December 1990.

#### 1. BUSINESS REVIEW

The company did not trade during the period.

On 2 January 1991, the company acquired the business of Booker Food Services from Booker Belmont Wholesale Ltd and on the same day, acquired the business of Fitch Food Services from Fitch Food Services Ltd and commenced to trade.

On 1 July 1991, the company changed its name to Booker Fitch Food Services Limited.

#### 2. DIVIDENDS

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

#### 3. DIRECTORS

The directors of the company during the period were:

- W R Brown (resigned 3 October 1990)
- P Sargison (resigned 31 October 1990)
- R Webster
- J M Flexen (appointed 31 October 1990)
- N E Holt (appointed 31 October 1990)
- A H Noble (appointed 31 October 1990)

The interest in the shares of Booker plc, the ultimate colding company, of those persons who were directors of the company on 31 December 1990 was as follows:

|  | Ordinary shares                  |                                      | Options to purchase<br>Ordinary shares |                                      |
|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
|  | 31.12.90                         | 28.4.90<br>or date of<br>appointment | 31.12.90                               | 28 4.90<br>or date of<br>appointment |
| R Webster<br>J M Flexen<br>N E Holt<br>A H Noble | 5,573<br>nil<br>15,140<br>14,500 | nil<br>nil<br>15,953<br>6,805        | nil<br>22,500<br>3,053<br>92,202       | nil<br>17,500<br>21,674<br>100,309   |

#### DIRECTORS' REPORT

### DIRECTORS (continued)

Since the balance sheet date R Webster resigned as director on 14 January 1991 and the following were appointed as directors on 1 July 1991:

I J Bell

A J R Black

D I Claxton

M B C Ford

N J Grogan

A J Moss

S N Noble

C W Pearce

J E Shedden B J Skipper

A M Turner

## 4. AUDITORS

A resolution to appoint Pannell Kerr Forster as Auditors to the Company and a resolution authorising the Directors to fix their remuneration will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

Equity House Irthlingborough Road Wellingborough Northants NN8 1NZ

15 July 1991

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Secretary

### REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF BOOKER FITCH FOOD SERVICES LIMITED (previously Snowdon & Bridge Limited)

We have audited the accounts on pages 4 and 5 in accordance with  ${\tt Auditing\ Standards.}$ 

In our opinion the accounts give a true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the company at 31 December 1990 and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

London

Registered Auditors Chartered Accountants

10 February 1992

## BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 1990

|  | Note | 31 December<br>1990<br>£        | 28 April<br>1990<br>£           |
|--|------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| FIXED ASSETS   |      |                                 |                                 |
| Investments  | 1    | 20,506,400                      | 103,684                         |
| CURRENT ASSETS   |      |                                 |                                 |
| Debtors:   |      |                                 |                                 |
| Amounts owed by group undertakings                                   |      | 4,018,897                       | 3,362,745                       |
| TOTAL NET ASSETS   |      | 24,525,297                      | 3,466,429                       |
| CREDITORS: amounts falling duafter more than one year                | ue   |                                 |                                 |
| Loan from group undertaking  |      | ( <u>21,058,868)</u>            |                                 |
| NET ASSETS   |      | 3,466,429                       | 3,466,429                       |
| •  |      |                                 |                                 |
|  |      |                                 |                                 |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES   |      |                                 |                                 |
| Called up share capital<br>Share premium account<br>Revenue reserves | 2    | 655,850<br>323,090<br>2,487,489 | 655,850<br>323,090<br>2,487,489 |
|  |      | 3,466,429                       | 3,466,429                       |

Approved by the Board of Directors on 15 July 1991

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## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

#### 1. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

|   | Subsidiaries<br>Shares at Cost<br>f |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Balance 29 April 1990<br>Additions<br>Disposals | 103,684<br>20,480,000<br>(77,284)   |
| Balance 31 December 1990                        | 20,506,400                          |

Consolidated financial statements have not been prepared as the company is itself a wholly-owned subsidiary.

#### 2. INVESTMENTS

The company's subsidiaries are:

|  | <u>Activity</u>    | <u>Percentage</u><br>of Equity |
|--|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| Fitch Food Services Limited Mrs Smith's Frozen Foods Limited | Trading<br>Dormant | 100<br>100                     |
| Both subsidiaries are registered                             | in England.        |                                |

#### 3. SHARE CAPITAL

|   | 31 Dece<br>199 |      | 28 April<br>1990<br>£ |
|---|----------------|------|-----------------------|
| Authorised:<br>Ordinary shares of 10p each        | 850,           | ,000 | 850,000               |
| Share capital allotted, called up and fully paid: |                |      |                       |
| Ordinary shares of 10p each                       | 655,           | ,850 | 655,850               |

### 2. ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY

The ultimate holding company is Booker PLC, a company incorporated in England.