

KPMG PEAT MARWICK McLINTOCK 1 Puddle Dock, Blackfriars, London EC4V 3PD

#### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The directors present herewith the audited accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1990.

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The results for the period are set out in the profit and loss account on page 4.

The principal activity of the company, which is unchanged from last year, is in the field of precision engineering and involves the manufacture of components for truck, tractor, automobile, marine and stationary engines.

## BUSINESS REVIEW AND FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

Sales for the year were £8,745,473 (1989: £8,694,912) in line with the previous twelve months activity.

We are set to achieve further sales growth through increases in Original Equipment and Aftermarket Supply and are investing in new plant and equipment to provide the necessary capacity.

#### DIVIDENDS

The directors recommend "hat no dividends should be paid (1989: Nil).

## CHANGES IN FIXED ASSETS

The movements in fixed assets during the period are set out in note 8 to the accounts.

## DIRECTORS AND DIRECTORS! INTERESTS

The directors who served during the year were:

J. Psarouthakis J.L. Menson II		(resigned (resigned		
W. Bartel	(West Germany)	,	 ,	

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#### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

#### DIRECTORS AND DIRECTORS' INTERESTS (continued)

The following directors were appointed on the 23rd January, 1991:

Dr. A.J.P. Sabberwal

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The directors did not have at the beginning or end of the year any interests in shares which are required by the Act to be notified to the company.

None of the directors had a material interest in any contract of significance to which the company was party during the financial period.

#### EMPLOYMENT OF DISABLED PERSONS

The group's policy is to consider disabled workers for all suitable employment vacancies and to give appropriate training assistance necessary to introduce the worker to his job and to develop his skill and capacity.

#### AUDITORS

Coopers and Lybrand Deloitte resigned as auditors during the year. KPMG Peat Marwick McLintock were asked to fill the temporary vacancy by the directors of the company. KPMG Peat Marwick McLintock have expressed their willingness to continue in office and, in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution concerning their reappointment will be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

By order of the board

Secretary

F.K.H.A.S Elstead,

Godalming, Surrey.

13th March, 1991

# REPORT OF THE AUDITORS, KPMG PEAT MARWICK MCLINTOCK, TO THE MEMBERS OF WEYBURN-BARTEL LIMITED

We have audited the accounts on pages 4 to 15 in accordance with Auditing Standards.

In our opinion the accounts give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31st December, 1990 and of its profit and source and application of funds for the year to that date and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

LONDON

13th March, 1991

Chartered Accountants

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1990

	Note	1990 £'000	<u>1989</u> £'000
TURNOVER Cost of sales	2	8,745 (7,776)	
GROSS PROFIT		969	1,503
Distribution costs Administrative expenses Other operating (expenses)/income	3(b)	(158) (535) (3)	(175) (476) 758
OPERATING PROFIT	3(a)	273	1,610
Interest receivable Interest payable and similar charges	6	32 (116)	68 (20)
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION Tax on profit on ordinary activities	7	189 418	1,658 (265)
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		607	1,393

The amounts set aside to reserves are shown in note 15.

The notes on pages 7 to 15 form part of these accounts.

KPMG Peat Marwick McLintock

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## BALANCE SHEET AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1990

	Note	£'000	90 £'000	<u>198</u> £'000	9 £'000
FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets Investments	8 9		6,147 -		4,164
CURRENT ASSETS Stocks Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	10 11	802 3,175 197		1,280 4,312 133	
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CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	12	( <u>1,307</u> )		( <u>1,778</u> )	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			2,867		3,947
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			9,014		8,111
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR	13		(561)		(256)
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES					
Deferred taxation	14		-		(418)
NET ASSETS			8,453		7,437
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	15		2,500		2,500
Revaluation reserve	16		698		289
Profit and loss account	16		5,255		4,648
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These accounts were approved by the board of directors on 13th March, 1991.

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The notes on pages 7 to 15 form part of these accounts.

## STATEMENT OF SOURCE AND APPLICATION OF FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1990

SOURCE OF FUNDS	£'000	90 £'000	£'000	989 £'000
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		189		1,658
Adjustments for items not involving the movement of funds: Depreciation of tangible fixed assets Loss on sale of plant Profit on sale of freehold property	404 3 	407	364 3 ( <u>1,022</u> )	(655)
FUNDS GENERATED FROM OPERATIONS		596		1,003
FUNDS FROM OTHER SOURCES Finance lease funding Sale proceeds of fixed assets	470 7	477	206 <u>1,251</u>	1,457
APPLICATION OF FUNDS Group relief settled Taxes paid Purchase of fixed assets Repayments under finance leases	272 1,988 81	(2,341)	51 397 1,504	2,460
(DECREASE)/INCREASE IN WORKING CAPITAL COMPONENTS OF (DECREASE)/INCREASE IN		(1,268)		508
WORKING CAPITAL (Decrease)/increase in stocks (Decrease)/increase in debtors Decrease/(increase) in creditors, excluding taxation and obligations		(478) (1,137)		161 1,315
under finance leases Movement in net liquid funds: Increase/(decrease) in bank		283		(455)
and cash in hand		64		(513)
		(1,268)		508

The notes on pages 7 to 15 form part of these accounts.

#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

### 1. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## (a) Basis of preparation

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain fixed assets and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

## (b) Fixed assets and depreciation

Fixed assets are stated at cost or valuation less accumulated depreciation. The basis of valuation is explained in note 8. Depreciation on plant and machinery is provided at rates varying between 10% and 33 1/3% per annum on a straight line basis on cost or valuation, depending on type of asset. Leased plant under finance leases is depreciated over 10 years. Buildings are depreciated over 40 years on cost or, where applicable, valuation.

## (c) Stocks and work in progress

Stocks and work in progress are stated at the lower of cost or net realisable value. In the case of finished goods and work in progress, cost includes all direct expenditure and production overheads based on the normal level of activity. Net realisable value is the price at which stocks can be realised in the normal course of business after allowing for the costs of realisation and, where appropriate, the cost of conversion from their existing state to a finished condition. Provision is made for obsolete, slow moving and defective stocks.

#### (d) Foreign exchange

Assets and liabilities expressed in foreign currencies are translated to sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the end of the financial year.

## (e) <u>Turnover</u>

Turnover, which excludes value added tax, represents the invoiced value of goods delivered, less returns and allowances.

### (f) <u>Deferred taxation</u>

Deferred taxation calculated using the liability method is provided where there is a reasonable probability that a liability will become payable.

## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

## 3. OPERATING PROFIT (continued)

## (c) <u>Exceptional items</u>:

Sale of Eashing site:

On 22nd December, 1989 the company sold its freehold interest in the production site at Eashing for a profit of £761,000 after deduction of relocation costs of £261,000.

## 4. <u>DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS</u>

Directors' emoluments including pension contributions were as follows:

	1990 £	<u>1989</u> £
For management services	60,493	67,036
Directors' emoluments (excluding pension contribution	ns) are as	follows:
	1990 £	<u>1989</u> £
Chairman	Nil	Nil
Highest paid director	60,493	58,342
The emoluments of the other directors were within the	ranges:	
	1990	1989
	No.	No.
£ 0 - £ 5,000 £ 5,001 - £10,000	2	2 1

Three of the directors are employed by other group companies and receive remuneration for their services to the group as a whole.

#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

## 5. <u>EMPLOYEE INFORMATION</u>

(a) The average number of persons employed by the group during the period, including executive directors was as follows:

	<u>1990</u> <u>Number</u>	<u>1989</u> Number
Production	195	202
Selling, distribution and administration	17	18
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	212	220

(b) Company employment costs for all employees, including executive directors:

	£'000	1989 £1000
Aggregate gross wages and salaries paid Employer's national insurance contributions	3,338 280	3,192 265
Employer's pension contributions under the	200	203
company pension scheme	131	118
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	3,749	3,575

The pension cost is after a credit of £37,569 attributable to amortisation of a pension fund surplus which is being spread over the average remaining service lives of current employees. The most recent actuarial valuation of the Scheme was in May, 1988. The valuation used the projected unit method and was based on membership and pensionable salaries as at 1st October, 1988. It assumed an average effective rate of interest of 9% and an annual increase in pensionable salaries of 8%. The main results of the valuation were:

- (i) the market value of scheme assets was £2,035,010.
- (ii) the actuarial assessed value of these assets represented 142% of the benefits that had accrued to Members; and
- (iii) a contribution rate of 15% of pensionable payroll was recommended.

## 6. <u>INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES</u>

These comprise:

	<u>1990</u> £'000	<u>1989</u> £'000
Interest payable - bank loans and overdrafts Finance charges payable - finance leases	29 87	_ 20
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	116	20

## 7. TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

	1990	1989
****	£'000	£'000
UK Corporation tax based on the taxable profit		
for the year at 34% (1989: 35%)	-	(316)
Transfer to deferred tax	-	51
Release of deferred tax provision (see note 14)	418	-
	418	(265)

The charge to Corporation tax has been reduced by £37,000 as a result of group relief receivable from Cranhold Ltd for nil consideration.

## 8. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

		Assets			
	Freehold	in the		_	
	land and	course of	Plant and	Leased	
		construction		<u>plant</u>	<u>Total</u>
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£1000
Cost or valuation:					
At ist January, 1990	974	794	2,771	1,478	6,017
Additions	809	-	842	338	1,989
Revaluation	123	-	213	-	336
Transfers	794	(794)	(132)	132	-
Disposals	-	-	(21)	-	(21)
At 31st December, 1990	2,700		3,673	1,948	8,321
Depreciation:					<u>-</u>
At 1st January, 1990	66	-	1,095	692	1,853
Charge for year	14	-	236	153	403
Revaluation	(72)	-	-	-	(72)
Disposals	-	-	(10)	-	(10)
At 31st December, 1990	8	-	1,321	845	2,174
Net book value:		<del></del>	<del></del>	<del></del>	<del></del>
At 31st December, 1990	2,692	-	2,352	1,103	6,147
At 31st December, 1989	908	794	1,676	786	4,164
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#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

## 8. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS (continued)

(a) The amount of freehold land and buildings and plant and machinery reflects certain revaluations (see note (c)). The historical cost and related accumulated depreciation of tangible fixed assets are set out below:

	Freehold land and buildings £'000	Plant and machinery £'000	Leased plant £'000	Total £'000
Cost Less: Accumulated depreciation	1,824 (157)	4,705 (2,812)	1,948 (845)	8,477 (3,814)
At 31st December, 1990	1,667	1,893	1,103	4,663
Net book value: At 31st December, 1989	881	1,690	786	3,357

- (b) Depreciation has not been charged on freehold land which is stated at its revalued amount of £1,800,000.
- (c) Freehold land and buildings have been revalued as at 21st August, 1990 by Jonathan M. Batten, Chartered Surveyor on the basis of open market value. Plant and machinery have been revalued according to the directors' valuation as at 31st December, 1990.

## 9. <u>INVESTMENTS</u>

	<u>1990</u> £	<u>1989</u> £
Cost	2	2

The company's only subsidiary is E.D. Parts Limited, a dormant company. As the company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Cranhold Limited, which is registered in England and Wales, it is not required to produce consolidated accounts.

## 10. STOCKS

	<u> 1990</u>	1989
	£'000	£'000
Raw materials and consumables	114	415
Work in progress	555	626
Finished goods and goods for resale	133	239
	802	1,280

## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

11. <u>DEBTORS</u>		
	<u>1990</u> £'000	1989
Trade debtors	2 000	£'000
Amount owed by fellow subsidiaries	1,418	1,639
Prepayments and accrued income	1,749	1,648
The accorded income	8	1,025
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	3,175	4,312
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	<u> 1990</u>	1989
	£1000	£ 000
Obligations under finance leases (see note 18)		
ado Cieditors	113	29
Amount owed to fellow subsidiaries	544	812
Other creditors including taxation	149	7
and social security (see helow)	0.1	•
Accruals and deferred income	91 410	455 135
	710	475
	1,307	1,778
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#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

## 14. <u>DEFERRED TAXATION</u>

Balance brought forward 1st January, 1990
(represented full provision)
Released to profit and loss account

Balance carried forward 31st December, 1990

No provision for deferred taxation has been made at 31st December, 1990 as no liability is expected to arise in the foreseeable future. The full potential liability at that date is £436,000, being £475,000 in respect of accelerated capital allowances less £39,000 in respect of other timing differences.

## 15. <u>CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL</u>

	<u>1990 and</u>	1989
		Allotted,
		called up
		and fully
	Authorised	puid
	£'000	£'000
4,875 Ordinary shares of 50p each 4,995,000 deferred shares of 50p each	2 2,498	2 2,498
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	2,500	2,500
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## 16. RESERVES

	Revaluation <u>reserve</u>	Profit and loss
	£'000	£1000
At 1st January, 1990 Retained profit for the	289	4,648
financial year	_	607
Revaluation surplus in year	409	
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At 31st December, 1990	698	5,255
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## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

## 17. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

Contracted for, but not provided	<u>1990</u> £'000	1989 £'000
in these accounts Authorised but not contracted for	204 36	930 1,805
	240	2,735

## 18. LEASING COMMITMENTS

The future minimum lease payments to which the company is committed as at 31st December, 1990 under finance leases and non-cancellable operating leases are as follows:

	Finance <u>leases</u> £'000	Operating lease £'000
Less than one year	182	10
Two to five years	661	8
Less: finance charges allocated to future periods	843	18
	(181)	***
	662	18
Shown as:		
Amount falling due within one year	113	
Amounts falling due after more than one year	549	
	662	

## 19. <u>ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY</u>

The company's ultimate holding company at 31st December, 1990 was T&N Plc, a company registered in England and Wales.

## 20. RESERVATION OF TITLE

Part of the amounts owing to trade creditors may be secured by the reservation by the supplier of legal title to the goods supplied and to the proceeds of their sale. The amount secured in this way depends on the legal interpretation of individual contracts and cannot readily be determined.