# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2005

Company Registration No. 318001

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# REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

# YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2005

#### Directors

The Directors of the Company during the financial year were -

A Day

K Penton

A Reed

R Robertson

P Kılfoyle

D Norman

**B** Sumner

M Seddon

M Foot

#### **Review of Business**

The principal activity of the Company is that of newspaper publishing and there has been no significant change in this activity during the year

The Directors submit the financial statements for the year to 31st December 2005 and report a loss for the year of £136,591

#### **Directors' Interest**

Shareholdings held by the Directors are as follows -

M Foot

60 Ordinary Shares

S Marsh

1 Ordinary Share

#### Auditors

The auditors, Appleby & Wood are willing to continue in office and resolutions concerning their appointment and remuneration will be submitted to the Annual General Meeting

Signed on Behalf of the Board

Chairman

Director

Secretary

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

# YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2005

		2005		2004		
	Notes	£	£	£	£	
Turnover	2		178,246		172,358	
Cost of Sales Gross Profit			<u>( 114,808 )</u> 63,438		( 104,634 ) 67,724	
Gloss Flott			03,130		-	
Distribution Expenses		3,787		5,102		
Administration Expenses		209,680		233,829	_	
			( 213,467)		( 238,931 )	
Other Occupancy Income			( 150,029 ) 11,210		( 171,207 ) 5,552	
Other Operating Income Operating (Loss)	4		( 138,819 )		( 165,655 )	
Income from Fixed Assets Investment	5	369		898		
Other Interest Receivable		1,859			_	
			2,228		898_	
Retained (Loss) for the year before tax	12		( 136,591 )		( 164,757 )	
Corporation Tax	12		( 136,591 )		( 164,757 )	
			( 150,571 )		(101,737)	

The above amounts relate to continuing operations

# **BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2005**

		2005		2004	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets					
Tangible Assets Investments	6(a) 6(b)		1,407 3,919 5,326	-	2,640 3,919 6,559
Current Assets					
Stock Debtors Cash at Bank and in Hand	7	49 35,008 11,412 46,469	-	49 66,598 62,257 128,904	
Bank overdraft Creditors - Amounts falling due within one year	8	<u>( 78,347 )</u>	( <u>.</u>	( 11,946 ) ( 68,997 )	
Net Current Assets		<u>(</u>	31,878 ) 26,552 )	-	47,961 54,520
Creditors - Amounts falling due after more than one year	9	<u>(</u>	10,953 ) 37,505 )	<u>(</u>	10,953 ) 43,567
Capital and Reserves					
Called Up Share Capital Share Premium Account	10		6,964 396,437		6,964 340,918
Profit and Loss Account - Accumulated (Loss)	11	<u>(</u>	440,906 ) 37,505 )	_	304,315 ) 43,567

Chairman

- (Co. Sec. pp. Chairman)

Director

Date Approved Nos 17th '07

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2005

#### 1. Accounting Policies

- a) Depreciation has been provided on office equipment on the straight line basis at 33 3% per annum
- b) Corporation Tax has been provided at the rate of 0% on the retained profit for the 3 months to 31st March 2005 and 0% thereafter for the year ended 31st December 2005
- c) Stock of books has been valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value

#### 2 Turnover

Turnover is in respect of newspaper sales and advertising

#### 3 Promotional grant

Promotional grants received during the year has now been included under donations

4. Operating (Loss)/Profit	2005		2004		
a) The (loss)/profit is stated after charging	£	£	£	£	
Staff Costs-					
Salaries	120,238		141,910		
Social Security Costs	26,393	445.504	30,554	.=0.464	
		146,631		172,464	
Auditors' Remuneration		2,426		1,977	
Auditors Remuneration		2,720		1,277	
b) The average number of employees during the year was 10					
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5 Income from Fixed Assets Investment					
Unquoted		369		898	
	•	369		898	
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6. Fixed Assets					
a) Office Equipment					
Cost b/fwd		16,935		13,573	
Additions		400		3,362	
Write off of asset				· <u>-</u>	
	_	17,335		16,935	
Depreciation b/fwd		14,295		12,785	
Charge for the period		1,633		1,510	
Write back	-	15,928	-	14,295	
	•	13,920	•	14,233	
Net Book Value		1,407		2,640	
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b) Investment					
Unquoted		3,919		3,919	
•	•	3,919	-	3,919	
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The market value of the investments at 31st December 2005 was £3,919

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2005

	2005 £		2004 £	
7 Debtors				
Trade Debtors Provision for bad debts Other Debtors and Prepayments	38,570 ( 20,000 ) 16,438 35,008		74,829 ( 20,000 ) 11,769 66,598	
Trade debtors are stated after making provision for doubtful debts in respect of advertising	circularisation a	ind		
8 Creditors - Amounts falling due within one year				
Trade Creditors Taxation and Social Security Costs Other Creditors Deferred Income (Subscriptions) Corporation Tax Customs and Excise	40,755 3,127 4,956 28,497 - 1,012 78,347		23,384 5,076 8,405 28,497 - 3,635 68,997	
9 Creditors - Amounts falling due after more than one year				
Various Loans Deed of Convenant Loan from M Foot	2,053 900 8,000 10,953		2,053 900 8,000 10,953	
The loans are interest free and repayable on demand				
10 Share Capital				
Authorised Ordinary Share of 1p each	10,000		10,000	
Issued and Fully Paid Ordinary Share of 1p each	6,964		6,964	
Shares issued during the year	Number	Nominal Value	Consideration Received	
'A' Ordinary Shares of 1p each 'B' Ordinary Shares of 1p each	196,400 500,000	1,964 5,000	240,918 100,000	
11 Reserves	Accumulated Reserve £		Accumulated Reserve £	
Balance b/forward (Loss) for the Year	( 304,315 ) ( 136,591 ) ( 440,906 )		( 139,558) ( 164,757) ( 304,315)	
12 Corporation Tax				
Year ended 31 12 2005				
13 Girobank receipts				

13 Girobank receipts

The girobank receipts have been allocated between subscriptions and donations

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2005

		2005		2004		
	Notes	£	£	£	£	
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Income						
Sales & Advertising			80,628		84,017	
Subscriptions			94,895		88,341	
Miscellaneous sales income		_	2,723			
			178,246	-	172,358	
Less Expenditure						
Newsprint, Printing, Photographs etc		67,386		54,092		
Despatch		3,787		5,102		
Editorial Expenses		47,422		50,542		
Datettal Depended		17,122	( 118,595 )	30,312	( 109,736 )	
Gross Profit		-	59,651	•	62,622	
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Less Overheads						
Salaries and National Insurance		146,631		172,464		
Circularisation and Sales Promotion		4,369		4,330		
Office Rent, Rates, Telephone and Insurance		24,554		25,604		
Office Stationery		3,941		5,975		
Travelling and Sundry Expenses		500		2,882		
Audit and Accountancy Fees		2,426		1,977		
Bank Charges		1,765		1,464		
Depreciation		1,633		1,510		
Legal & Professional		17,860		7,490		
Repairs & Renewals		1,978		1,071		
Recruitment		-		2,298		
Miscellaneous Expenses		4,023		6,764	_	
		<u>. (</u>	( 209,680 )		( 233,829 )	
Trading (Loss) for the year		(	( 150,029 )		( 171,207 )	
Less Other Income						
Interest Received		2,228		898		
Donations	3	11,210		5,552		
Corporation Tax for current year		<del>-</del>		<u>-</u>		
Net (Loss)		<u> </u>	13,438		6,450 ( 164,757 )	

#### **AUDITORS' REPORT**

#### Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Tribune Publications Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Tribune Publications for the year ended 31st December 2005 which are set out on pages 1 to 4. These financial statements have been prepared with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out therein

This report is made solely to the Company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 235 Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Company and the Company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

#### Respective Responsibilities of Directors and Auditors

As described on the Directors' report, the Directors are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and UK Accounting Standards (Uk and Ireland)

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Auditing Standards (Uk and Ireland)

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements. In addition, we report to you if, in our opinion the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed

We read the Directors' Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it

#### **Basis of Audit Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Accounting Standards on Auditing (Uk and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed

We planned and performed our audit so as obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

#### AUDITORS' REPORT (continued)

#### Fundamental Uncertainty

In forming our opinion we have considered the adequacy of the disclosure made in the financial statements concerning the possible outcome of the Company being unable to continue trading due to the fact that the Company's accumulated reserves are in deficit by £440,906 and is relying on support from its bankers and shareholders. Our opinion is not qualified in this respect and we consider that it is appropriate for the Committee to prepare financial statements drawn up on the going concern

#### Opinion

In our opinion

- The financial statements give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally
  Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31st December 2005
  and of its (loss) for the year then ended, and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act Act 1985
- the information given in the Director's Report is consistent with the financial statements

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