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WILLIAM LEECH (BUILDERS), LIMITED STATEMENT OF ADJUSTMENTS

25 June 1976





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The Secretary
Quotations Department
The Stock Exchange
Throgmorton Street
London
EC2N 1NP

25 June 1976

Dear Sir,

WILLIAM LEECH (BUILDERS), LIMITED

We attach statements of the adjustments made to the profits and taxation thereon for the five years ended 29 February 1976 and to the nel tangible assets at 28 or 29 February in each of the six years ended 29 February 1976 as shown by the audited accounts of the above-named company which we have made for the purpose of our report dated 25 June 1975 to the directors of the company and J Henry Schroder Wagg & Co Limited in connection with the Offer for Sale dated 25 June 1976.

We confirm that all adjustments which in our opinion are appropriate have been made in respect of each year under review and that no other adjustments, has a been made.

Yours faithfully,

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WILLIAM LEECH (BUILDERS), LIMITED AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES
STATEMENT SETTING OUT THE ADJUSTMENTS MADE TO THE PROFITS AND TAXATION THEREON FOR THE FIVE YEARS ENDED 29 FEBRUARY 1976

SECTION A

INCREASE IN BALANCE OF RESERVES CARRIED FORWARD IN BALANCE SHEET

ADD (DEDUCT)

Dividends payable

Taxation:

Corporation tax

Taxation in respect of stock appreciation relief

Taxation deferred by capital allowances and other timing differences

Overprovision for corporation tax in prior years

Advance corporation tax irrecoverable (recoverable)

Items required to be shown separately by the Companies Acts 1948 and 1967

Depreciation

Hire of plant and wachinery

Directors' emoluments (all executive enoluments)

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Auditors, remuneration

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long term toan interest

bank and other short term interest

Profit on 5310 of fixed assets

Rents receiv ble less outgoings

Interest receivable

BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD TO SECTION B

		•	Years ended 28/2	9 February
1972	1973	1974	<u> 1975</u>	1976
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376,553	1,032,364	1,057,772	835,237	1,090,953
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374,514	808,621	192,254	659,373	111,876
		1,098,635	422,950	1,161,343
10,500	25,300	84,400	18,300	75,765
10,550		,		(13,668)
	7,400	(67,600)		
335,014	841,321	1,307,689	1,100,623	1,335,316
1,011,567	2,048,685	2,540,461	2,110,860	2,601,269
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144,311	184,183	235,968	236,626	607,459
•	91,483	105,104	115,072	100,737
53,403	3.35	77,532	u.	386
4,447	5,817	5,415	8,730	11,634
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	12,945	42,714	69 ₉ 312	108,359
אמה בש	143,559	422,173	586,198	183,941
71,396	(39,596)	(18,791)	(17,427)	(50,917)
(122,524)	(18,664)	(39,938)	(53,654)	(68,034)
(31,517)	(23,596)	(36,735)	(18,392)	(39,104)
(15,744)	(42,260)	(76,673)	(72,046)	(107,138
<u>(47,261)</u> 214,843	475,780	1,000,643	1,035,504	991,553
1,226,410	2,524,465	3,541,104	3,146,364	3,592,822

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WILLIAM LEECH (BUILDERS), LIMITED AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES STATEMENT SETTING OUT THE ADJUSTMENTS MADE TO THE PROFITS AND TAXATION THEREON AS SHOWN BY THE AUDITED GROUP ACCOUNTS FOR THE FIVE YEARS ENDED 29 FEBRUARY 1976

SECTION B

BALANCES BROUGHT FORWARD FROM SECTION A

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Items required to be shown separately by the Companies Accs 1948 and 1967 as shown in Statement 'A'

ADJUSTMENTS MADE IN ARRIVING AT THE PROFITS BEFORE TAXATION SHOWN IN THE ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT DATED 25 JUNE 1976

- (1) Re-allocation of proportion of profit before tax of subsidiary for fourteen wonths ended 29 February 1972 to correct period
- (2) Group share of losses of associated companies brought into accounts PROFITS BEFORE TAXATION AS SHOWN AND DETAILED IN THE ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT DATED 25 JUNE 1976

expressed as £'000

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AS SET OUT IN SECTION A

Adjustment made in arriving at the taxation charges Shown in the accountants' report dated 25 June 1976

Taxation applicable to re-allocated proportion of profit before tax of subsidiary for fourteen months ended 29 February 1972

CHANGES FOR TAXATION AS SHOWN IN THE ACCCURTANTS! REPORT DATED 25 JUNE 1976

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Profits after taxation as shown in the accountants, report dated 25 june 1975

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Statement 1 (continued)

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			Years ended 28/	29 February
1972	1973	1974	<u> 1975</u>	1976
,226,410	2,524,465	3,541,104	3,145,364	3,592,822
214,843	475,780	1,000,643	1,035,504	991,553
,011,567	2,048,685	2,540,461	2,110,860	2,601,269
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<u>(3,916)</u> 998,500	<u>(14,351)</u> 2,034,334	2,526,950	2,102,944	2,601,269
£998,000	2,035,000	2,527,000	2,103,000	2,601,000
385,014	841,321	1,307,6 29	1.100,623	1,335,316
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381,357	841,321	1,207,689	1,100,623	1,335,316
£381,000	841,000	1,208,000	1,101,000	1,335,000
£617,143	1,193,013	1,219,251	1,002,321	1,265,953
£517,000	1,194,000	1,219,000	1,002,000	1,266,000

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WILLIAM LEECH (BUILDERS), LIMITED AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES
STATEMENT SETTING OUT THE ADJUSTMENTS MADE TO THE NET TANGIBLE ASSETS SHOWN BY THE AUDITED
ACCOUNTS AT 28 OR 29 FEBRUARY IN EACH OF THE SIX YEARS ENDED 29 FEBRUARY 1976

	1971
NET TANGIBLE ASSETS AS SHOWN BY AUDITED GROUP ACCOUNTS	1,967,269
ADJUSTMENTS MADE IN ARRIVING AT THE NET TANGIBLE ASSETS SHOWN IN THE ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT DATED 25 JUNE 1976	*** ****
(1) Goodwill arising on acquisition of subsidiary (acquired December 1970) and first consolidated in the group accounts	
tor the year ended 29 February 1072 but consolidated at 28 February 1971 for the purposes of the Accountants' Report	(82,949)
(2) Re-allocation of proportion of profit after tax of subsidiery for fourteen months ended 29 February 1972 to correct period.	5,494
(3) Accumulated post-acquisition losses of associated companies brought into accounts	(20,246)
ADJUSTED NET TANCIBLE ASSETS AS SHOWN IN THE ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT DATED 25 JUNE 1976	£1,869,568
expressed as £'000	£1,870,000

ASSETS SHOWN BY THE AUDITED GROUP 19 FEBRUARY 1976

Statement 2

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	(82,949)					
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,	1,967,269	2,260,873	3,301,515	4,411,572	5,246,809	6,277,822
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976

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Statement 3

WILLIAM LEECH (BUILDERS), LIMITED AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES

MOVEMENTS ON CONSOLIDATED NET TANGIBLE ASSETS DURING THE FIVE YEARS ENDED 29 FEBRUARY 1976

NET TANGIBLE ASSETS AS SHOWN BY AUDITED ACCOUNTS AT 28 FEBRUARY 1971

1,967,269

Less:

(1) Goodwill arising on acquisition of subsidiary (acquired December 1970) and first consolidated in the group accounts for the year ended 29 February 1972 but consolidated at 28 February 1971 for the purposes of the Accountants' Report

(82,949)

(2) Reallocation of proportion of profit after tax of subsidiary for fourteen months ended 29 February 1972 to correct period

5,494

(3) Share of post-acquisition losses of associated companies for periods to 28 February 1971

(20,246)

ADJUSTED HET TANGIBLE ASSETS AT 28 FEBRUARY 1971 Consolidated profits after taxation for the period

(97,701) 1,869,568

1 March 1971 to 29 February 1976 as shown by Statement 1 Section B profit before

		taxation	Taxation
28 February	1973 1974 1975	958,500 2,034,334 2,526,950 2,102,944 2,601,269	381,357 841,321 1,307,689 1,100,623 1,335,316
	V	£10,263,997	£4,956,306
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5,297,691

Goodwill written off on liquidation of subsidiary companies

60,563

Dividends paid in respect of the five years ended 29 February 1976 as shown by Statement 1 Section A

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NET TANGIBLE ASSETS AT 29 FEBRUARY 1976 AS SHOWN IN THE ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT DATED 25 JUNE 1976

£6,277,822

expressed to the hearest £'000

£6,278,000