BURGERKING (HOLDINGS) LIMITED (Registered Number: 376107)

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

30 SEPTEMBER 1990

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

DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors have pleasure in submitting their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 30 September 1990.

Activities

The company acts as a holding company and did not trade during the period. The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (1989: inil).

Directors

The directors during the year (together with those subsequently appointed) are as follows:

CR Petty (resigned 13 March 1990)
J Robinson (resigned 31 October 1989)
J Rollo
RT Snead
SA Moffat (appointed 2 October 1989; resigned 5 June 1990)
D Richards (appointed 5 June 1990)
CJ Wyatt (appointed 3 December 1990)

Mr Rollo retires by rotation in accordance with the Articles of Association and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election.

None of the directors who held office at the end of the financial year had any interests in the shares of the company or Grand Metropolitan PLC, except as noted below:

Director Options held Exercisable options granted Price

between 3/1/93 between 485p

D Richards GMPLC, ordinary 50p and 14/6/97 11,593 and 667p

Mr Richards held no options at the date of his appointment.

Post balance sheet events

Subsequent to the year end the authorised share capital of the company was increased to £85,770,000 by the creation of £35,770,000 new ordinary shares of £1, these shares ranking pari passu with the existing ordinary shares. Minneapolis (Holdings) Limited, the immediate holding company transferred its shareholding in Burgerking (Holdings) Limited to Grand Metropolitan plc, the ultimate holding company at the year end. The board of directors approved the purchase of the entire issued share capital of Pillsbury (UK) Limited and Haagen-Dazs UK Limited from Minneapolis (Holdings) Limited.

Auditors

In accordance with Section 384 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution for the reappointment of KPMG Peat Marwick McLintock as auditors of the company is to be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

By order of the board

Secretary

30 September 1991

20 Kew Road Richmond Surrey

REPORT OF THE AUDTIORS, KPMG PEAT MARWICK McLINTOCK, TO THE MEMBERS OF BURGERKING (HOLDINGS) LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 3 to 5 in accordance with Auditing Standards.

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 30 September 1990 and of its result for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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Chartered Accountants

London

30 September 1991

BALANCE SHEET

As at 30 September 1990

No	tes			30 September 1990	30 September 1989
FIXED ASSETS Investment in subsidiary	2			£ 34,153,882	£ 34,153,882
CURRENT ASSETS Debtors: Amount due from group companies		£	1,246		1,246
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year Amount owed to holding company	3	(15,	200,000)		(15,200,000)
NET CURRENT (LIABILITIES)				(15,198,754)	(15,198,754)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITY	TIES			£ 18,955,128	£ 18,955,128
CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called up share capital Reserves Capital Profit and loss account	4			£ 18,973,882 27,256 (46,010) £ 18,995,128	£ 18,973,882 27,256 (46,010) £ 18,955,128
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Director

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The notes on pages 4 and 5 form part of these financial statements.

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1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements of the company are prepared under the historical cost convention. They have been drawn up to comply in all material respects with UK Statements of Standard Accounting Practice in force at the relevant time. The bases used are consistent with those used in the previous year. No profit and loss account has been prepared since the company did not trade during the period. Group accounts are not presented as the company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Grand Metropolitan PLC, a company incorporated in the United Kingdom.

Investments

Investments are stated at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value. Net realisable value is estimated by the directors in the case of unlisted investments and is market value in the case of listed investments.

2 FIXED ASSETS - INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARY

The investment in subsidiary represents the whole of the issued share capital of Burgerking (UK) Limited, a company operating fast food restaurants which is incorporated in the United Kingdom. In the opinion of the directors the investment in subsidiary is worth at least the amount at which it is stated in the financial statements.

3 CREDITORS

The amount due to the holding company represents a non interest bearing loan with no fixed repayment term.

4 CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

	Authorised 1989 and 1990		fully paid 9 and 1990
Ordinary shares of £1 each Redeemable preferences shares of £1 each	£ 3,000,000	20,000	£ 20,000
	47,000,000	18,953,882	18,953,882
	£50,000,000	18,973,882	£18,973,882

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5 IMMEDIATE AND ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY

The immediate holding company is Minneapolis (Holdings) Limited. The ultimate holding company is Grand Metropolitan plc, a company incorporated in Great Britain.

6 POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

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7 APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 30 September 1991.