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GRH LIMITED

DIRECTORS' REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

31 DECEMBER 1988

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The Directors present their report and the audited financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 1988.

REVIEW OF THE BUSINESS

The company has various leasehold interests which it has managed throughout the year.

RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The company's results are set out in the profit and loss account on page 4. The Directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS

The Directors during the year were as follows:

D.J. Gormley (resigned 16th September 1988)
A.J. Scrine (resigned 29th July 1988)

N. Bird

G.H. Turvey

G.W. King (appointed 29th July 1988)

During the year none of the Directors had any interests in the shares of the company. Directors interests in shares of Guinness PLC were as follows:

		1988	1987
<u>Shares</u>		-	
G. H. Turvey	- Ordinary stock 25p units	533	254
N. Bird	Ordinary stock25p units	1,750	1,363
G.W. King	- Ordinary stock 25p units	616	616 *

^{*} At date of the appointment

CHARITABLE AND POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

There were no charitable or political contributions.

AUDITORS

The auditors, Price Waterhouse, have indicated their willingness to continue in office and a resolution concerning their re-appointment will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

By Order of the Board

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S.L. Pirozzolo Secretary Stu Ackil 1989 AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF GRH LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 7 in accordance with approved Auditing Standards.

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at 31 December 1988 and of the results for the year then ended and comply with the Companies Act 1985.

The financial statements do not include a statement of source and application of funds as required by Statement of Standard Accounting Practice number 10.

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1988

	<u>Notes</u>	1988 £ 000	£'000
Operating Income		95	. 66
Net operating costs		(95)	(334)
External interest - receivable		1	-
Operating Profit/(loss)		1	(268)
Exceptional items	2	-	44
			
PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACT	FIVITIES	1.	(224)
Taxation on ordinary activities	3	-	-
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AFTER TAXATION	LTATITED	1	(224)
Extraordinary items	4	-	(500)
RETAINED EARNINGS/(LOSS) FOR	•		
THE FINANCIAL PERIOD	8	1	(724)

The notes set out on pages 6 and 7 form part of these accounts.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 1988

	Notes	1988 £ [†] 000	1987 £'000
CURRENT ASSETS Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	5	246 24	320
CREDITORS (amount		270	321
falling due within one year)	6	(13)	(3)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		257	318
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITI AND CHARGES	ES		
Provision against long term leases	4	(438)	(500)
		(181)	(182)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called up share			
capital Profit and Loss	7	270	270
Account	8 .	(451)	(452)
	•	(181)	(182)

Approved by the Board on 5th Aren 1989

Directors

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS - 31 DECEMBER 1988

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the historical cost accounting convention. The parent company has agreed to continue to provide financial support to allow the company to meet its liabilities as they fall due.

2. EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS

	1988 £'000	1987 £'000
Write back of provisions for legal expenses	-	32
Write off loan to fellow subsidiary	-	(8)
Disposal of leasehold interest	-	20
		
	-	44
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3. TAXATION ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

No corporation tax liability arises due to losses incurred in prior years.

4. EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS

	<u>1988</u> £'000	<u>1987</u> £ 000
Provision against long term leases	-	(500)

During the year costs of £62,000 were charged against the provision created in 1987.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS - 31 DECEMBER 1988 (Continued)

5.	DEBTORS		
	Duo sithin	1988 £'000	1987 £'000
	Due within one year: Prepayments	3	11
	Due after one year: Amount owed by holding		
	company	243	309
		246	320
6.	CREDITORS (amount falling due within one year)		
	Accruals and deferred income	13	3
7.	CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL Allotted and fully paid:		
	Ordinary shares of £1 each 1% cumulative preference shares of £1 each	250	250
		20	20
		270	270
	Authorised	270 =====	270 ====
8.	PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT		
	Balance at 1 January 1988 Profit/(Loss) for the period	(452) 1	272 (724)
	Balance at 31 December 1988	(451)	(452)
9.	ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY		
	The holding company is Guinness in England.	PLC, which is inco	rporated
10.	DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS		
	No director received any remune services to the company during the	ration in respect he year.	of his