Company No: 461238

# **FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

for the year ended

31 MARCH 2002

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COHEN ARNOLD & CO
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
REGISTERED AUDITOR
LONDON W1S 2HL

#### **DIRECTORS**

B S E Freshwater D Davis

#### **SECRETARY**

M R M Jenner, F.C.I.S.

# **REGISTERED OFFICE**

Freshwater House 158 – 162 Shaftesbury Avenue LONDON WC2H 8HR

# **AUDITORS**

Cohen Arnold & Co 13 - 17 New Burlington Place Regent Street LONDON W1S 2HL

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#### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors have pleasure in presenting their Annual Report together with the Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2002.

#### BUSINESS REVIEW

The Company has not traded during the year, has received no income and incurred no expenditure, and consequently has made neither a profit or a loss.

#### DIVIDEND

The Directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend for the year under review.

#### **DIRECTORS AND DIRECTORS' INTERESTS**

Neither the directors nor any member of their families have any interest in the share capital of the Company.

The interests of the directors in other group companies are disclosed in the Financial Statements of the ultimate parent company.

The Directors who served throughout the year and who are still in office are:

Mr B S E Freshwater Mr D Davis

The Articles of Association do not require the Directors to retire by rotation.

Neither Director has a service contract with the Company, nor do they receive any emoluments from the Company.

#### DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Company law requires the Directors to prepare Financial Statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of its profit or loss for that year. In preparing the Financial Statements, the Directors are required to:

- i) select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently.
- ii) make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent.

#### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT (Cont'd)**

#### **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES (Cont'd)**

- iii) follow applicable Accounting Standards, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the Financial Statements.
- iv) prepare the Financial Statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

The Directors are responsible for maintaining proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and to enable them to ensure that the Financial Statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

# **DONATIONS**

During the year, the Company made no charitable donations nor political contributions.

#### **INCOME AND CORPORATION TAXES ACT 1988**

The Directors are advised that the Company is a close company within the meaning of the Act.

#### **AUDITORS**

The auditors, Cohen Arnold & Co. are willing to continue in office and a resolution reappointing them in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985 and authorising the Board to fix their remuneration will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

Head Office: Freshwater House 158 – 162 Shaftesbury Avenue London WC2H 8HR

Date: 26 July 2002

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

M R M JENNER

Secretary

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

#### TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

- OF -

#### **ALSAM LIMITED**

We have audited the Financial Statements on pages 5 to 7.

#### RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTORS AND THE AUDITORS

As described on pages 1 and 2, the Directors of the company are responsible for the preparation of the Financial Statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards.

It is our responsibility to audit the Financial Statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

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 not consistent with the Financial Statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if 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 United Kingdom Auditing Standards 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 to 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.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (Continued)

# **TO THE SHAREHOLDERS**

- <u>OF</u> -

# **ALSAM LIMITED**

#### **OPINION**

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31 March 2002 and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies' Act 1985.

London

Date: . 2.6... July 2002

COHEN ARNOLD & CO

Chartered Accountants and

Registered Auditor

# **BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2002**

	Notes	$\frac{2002}{\mathfrak{L}}$	2001 £
FIXED ASSETS			
Investment in Subsidiaries	2	1,500	1,500
CURRENT ASSETS			
Amounts due from group undertakings		25,075	25,075
		£26,575	£26,575
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up Share Capital	3	100	100
Profit and Loss Account	4	26,475	26,475
		£26,575	£26,575
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The Financial Statements were approved by the Board of Directors on **26** July 2002 and were signed on its behalf by:

B S E FRESHWATER

Director

The notes on pages 6 and 7 form part of this Financial Statement.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2002

#### 1. PRINCIPLE ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following is a statement of the Principle Accounting Policies of the Company.

#### 1.1 BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The Financial Statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards.

#### 2. INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARY UNDERTAKINGS

The Company owns the whole of the allotted ordinary share capital in Mineral and General Investments Limited.

No group accounts are submitted as the company, being a wholly owned subsidiary of another body corporate, is exempt under Section 229(2) of the Companies act 1985.

The subsidiary company did not trade during the year.

In the opinion of the directors, the value of the company's investment in its subsidiary is not less than the amount at which it is stated in the Balance Sheet.

#### 3. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

	$\frac{2002}{\mathtt{£}}$	<u>2001</u> €
Authorised 100 ordinary shares of £1 each	£100 ———	£100
Allotted, called up and fully Paid 100 ordinary shares of £1 each	£100	£100
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#### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2002

#### 4. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

No Profit and Loss Account has been prepared as the Company has not received any income nor incurred any expenditure during the year.

#### 5. PROPERTIES

The Company has a legal title to certain properties which have been transferred to its immediate parent company and included in the Financial Statements of that Company.

#### 6. PARENT UNDERTAKINGS

The Company's parent undertaking is City and Country Properties (Midlands) Limited and its Ultimate Parent Undertaking is Daejan Holdings Plc. Both companies are incorporated in the United Kingdom and registered in England and Wales.

Daejan Holdings Plc is a close company within the meaning of the Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1988.