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Provincial Printing and Publishing Company Limited Abbreviated Accounts 31 August 2006

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Provincial Printing and Publishing Company Limited Abbreviated Balance Sheet as at 31 August 2006

| No | tes | | 2006 £ | | 2005 £ |
|---------------------------------------|-----|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Fixed assets | | | ~ | | - |
| Tangible assets | 2 | | 1,086,348 | | 1,097,535 |
| Current assets | | | | | |
| Stocks | | 8,400 | | 8,400 | |
| Debtors | | 180,218 | | 160,906 | |
| | | 188,618 | | 169,306 | |
| Creditors: amounts falling | | | | | |
| due within one year | 3 | (390,009) | | (331,484) | |
| Net current liabilities | | | (201,391) | | (162,178) |
| Total assets less current liabilities | | - | 884,957 | - | 935,357 |
| Creditors: amounts falling | | | | | |
| due after more than one year | 3 | | (470,216) | | (527,694) |
| Provisions for liabilities | 5 | | (80,700) | | (63,000) |
| Net assets | | | 334,041 | | 344,663 |
| Capital and reserves | | | | | |
| Called up share capital | 4 | | 3,334 | | 5,000 |
| Revaluation reserve | • | | 91,573 | | 91,573 |
| Capital redemption reserve | | | 1,666 | | , - |
| Profit and loss account | | | 237,468 | | 248,090 |
| Shareholders' funds | | | 334,041 | • | 344,663 |

The directors' statements required by Section 249B(4) are shown on the following page which forms part of this Balance Sheet

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Directors' statements required by Section 249B(4) for the year ended 31 August 2006

The directors are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption under Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985 and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 249B(2) of the Act

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for

- ensuring that the company keeps proper accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, and
- preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to small companies within Part VII of the Companies Act 1985

I R Fitzgerald

Approved by the board on 15 June 2007

Provincial Printing and Publishing Company Limited Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts for the year ended 31 August 2006

1 Accounting policies

Accounting convention

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005)

Turnover

Turnover represents the invoiced value of goods and services supplied by the company, net of value added tax and trade discounts. Turnover in respect of contracts for uninvoiced services is recognised by reference to the stage of completion at the year end.

Depreciation

Depreciation has been provided at the following rates in order to write off the assets over their estimated useful lives

Land and Buildings Plant and machinery Motor vehicles Straight line over fifty years 20% straight line 25% straight line

Stocks

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value

Deferred taxation

Full provision is made for deferred taxation resulting from timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the accounts and their recognition for tax purposes. Deferred taxation is calculated on an un-discounted basis at the tax rates which are expected to apply in the periods when the timing differences will reverse

Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts, which are those where substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset have passed to the company, are capitalised in the balance sheet and depreciated over their useful lives

The interest element of the rental obligations is charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to income on a straight line basis over the lease term

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Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions are charged to the profit and loss account as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the scheme.

| 2 | Tangible fixed assets | | | £ | |
|---|------------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------|---------|
| | Cost | | | | |
| | At 1 September 2005 | | | 1,876,395 | |
| | Additions | | | 106,741 | |
| | Disposals | | | (26,696) | |
| | At 31 August 2006 | | | 1,956,440 | |
| | Depreciation | | | | |
| | At 1 September 2005 | | | 778,860 | |
| | Charge for the year | | | 100,088 | |
| | On disposals | | | (8,856) | |
| | At 31 August 2006 | | | 870,092 | |
| | | | | | |
| | Net book value | | | | |
| | At 31 August 2006 | | | 1,086,348 | |
| | At 31 August 2005 | | | 1,097,535 | |
| 3 | Creditors | | | 2006 | 2005 |
| | | | | £ | £ |
| | Creditors include | | | | |
| | Secured creditors | | | 769,544 | 752,390 |
| 4 | Share capital | | | 2006 | 2005 |
| | · | | | £ | £ |
| | Authorised | | | | |
| | Ordinary shares of £1 each | | | 5,000 | 5,000 |
| | | 2006 | 2005 | 2006 | 2005 |
| | | No | No | £ | £ |
| | Allotted, called up and fully paid | | | | |
| | Ordinary shares of £1 each | 3,334 | 5,000 | 3,334 | 5,000 |

On 31 August 2006 the Company repurchased and subsequently cancelled 1,666 Ordinary Shares, representing 33 3% of the called up share capital, at a price of £30 per share

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5 Provisions for liabilities and charges

| Deferred taxation | 2006 £ | 2005 £ |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| At 1 September | 63,000 | 56,000 |
| Deferred tax charge in profit and loss account | 17,700 | 7,000 |
| · | 80,700 | 63,000 |

6 Related parties

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Debtors include amounts outstanding from a director at the year end of £15,753 (2005 £nil) This amount was repaid after the year end