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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31st December 1989.

Results and dividend

The loss for the year after tax amounted to £8,512,317. The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

Principal activities and business review

The company is principally an investment holding company providing management, administration and development services.

The operating subsidiary companies continue to be engaged in the manufacture and application of products mainly for the building trade.

Directors and directors' interests

The directors who served during the year and subsequently were:

Sir Eric J. Pountain

B.W. Baker

T.H. Mason

I.G.S. McPherson

The Lord Stafford

C.J. Myatt

D.T. Watson

B.G. Duncan (appointed 17th January 1989)

P. Race (appointed 17th January 1989)

P. Simpson (appointed 17th January 1989)

P.G. Stanyard (appointed 17th January 1989)

W.K. Jackson (resigned 31st January 1989)

A.S. McKinlay (appointed 17th January 1989, resigned 30th June 1989)

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

Directors and directors' interests (continued)

The interests of those directors who are also directors of Tarmac PLC are shown in the directors' report of that company. The interests of the other directors in the share and loan capital of Tarmac PLC are set out below:

	At 31st December		At 1st January 1989 or date of appointment	
	Ordinary shares	Share options	Ordinary shares	Share options
The Lord Stafford	2,300	_	2,300	_
C.J. Myatt	5,392	128,035	5,392	69,096
D.T. Watson	-	48,655	-	16,000
B.G. Duncan	1,782	89,069	3,424	83,048
P. Race	-	72,000	1,000	68,000
P. Simpson		31,189	· _	3,189
P.G. Stanyard	2,120	19,668	2,120	1,784

No director had any beneficial interest in the share or loan capital of any subsidiary of Tarmac PLC.

Fixed assets

Movements in tangible fixed assets are set out in note 10 of the financial statements and movements in investments held as fixed assets are set out in note 11 of the financial statements.

Auditors

On 1st January 1990 the auditors changed the name under which they practise to KPMG Peat Marwick McLintock, and accordingly have signed their report in their new name. In accordance with Section 384(1) of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution concerning the re-appointment 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

12th March 1990

We have audited the financial statements set out on pages 4 to 16 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 31st December 1989 and of its loss for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Without qualifying our opinion above, we draw attention to the fact that the financial statements do not contain a statement of source and application of funds and thus do not comply with Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No. 10.

Klob Pert Ml Wolmel

Birmingham

KPMG Peat Marwick McLintock

12th March 1990

Chartered Accountants

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1989

	<u>Note</u>	1989 £	1988 £
OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE YEAR Interest receivable	3 4	2,230,727 381,654	(5,372,932) 40,715
Interest payable	5	(17,378,725)	
LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	6	(14,766,344)	(9,932,274)
Taxation credit/(charge)	9	6,254,027	(114,704)
LOSS TRANSFERRED TO RESERVES	17	(8,512,317)	(10,046,978)

BALANCE SHEET

AT 31st DECEMBER 1989

	<u>Note</u>	1989 £	1988 £
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible assets Investments	10 11	711,112 173,656,086	1,021,371
		174,367,198	193,436,655
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	12	43,775,300 16,937	30,667,022 14,563
		43,792,237	30,681,585
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE			
WITHIN ONE YEAR	13	(4,854,569)	(5,471,415)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		38,937,668	25,210,170
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		213,304,866	218,646,825
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE			
AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR	14	(207,182,468)	(200,856,624)
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES	15	(260,000)	(188,492)
		5,862,398	17,601,709
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital	16	25,000,000	25,000,000
Revaluation reserve	17	-	576,276
Profit and loss account	17	(19,137,602)	(7,974,567)
		5,862,398	17,601,709

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 12th March 1990.

DIRECTORS DIRECTORS

K.PMG Peat Marwick McLintock

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1989

1. Accounting policies

(a) Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of certain tangible assets.

(b) Fixed asset investments

Shareholdings in subsidiary companies are shown at cost less amounts written off.

(c) <u>Depreciation</u>

Freehold land and investment property is not depreciated.

Depreciation is provided to write off the cost or revaluation of tangible fixed assets by equal annual instalments over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Freehold buildings - up to 50 years
Short leasehold - period of lease
Long leasehold - up to 50 years
Plant and equipment - from 3 to 15 years

(d) <u>Deferred taxation</u>

Deferred taxation is provided using the liability method in respect of capital allowances on tangible fixed assets and other timing differences to the extent that these are expected to result in tax liabilities becoming payable in the foreseeable future.

(e) Exchange rates

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling and recorded at the rates of exchange ruling at the transaction dates. Balances outstanding at the year end, denominated in foreign currencies, are translated into sterling at the exchange rates ruling at the balance sheet date.

Exchange differences arising in respect of trading transactions are taken to the profit and loss account. Exchange differences arising on loans to fund overseas subsidiaries are taken directly to reserves.

(f) Operating leases

Operating lease costs are charged to the profit and loss account as they are incurred. Assets which are subject to operating leases are not recorded in the balance sheet.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 3ist DECEMBER 1989 (continued)

1. Accounting policies (continued)

(g) Consolidated accounts

Group accounts have not been prepared as the company is a wholly owned subsidiary of another body corporate. In the opinion of the directors, the valuation of investments in subsidiary companies at 31st December 1989 is not less than the amount at which they are stated in the balance sheet.

(h) Source and application of funds

The company does not prepare a statement of source and application of funds as the directors do not consider this statement appropriate to a wholly owned subsidiary.

2. Floating charge

A first floating charge has been created on the assets and undertaking of the company as collateral security for the issue of the following debenture stocks by Tarmac PLC.

£1,674,485 - 7.50% - 1987/1992 £1,098,860 - 6.25% - 1989/1994 £501,667 - 6.75% - 1989/1994 £1,342,836 - 7.50% - 1992/1997

3. Operating profit/(loss) for the year

	1989 £	1988 £
Income net of administrative expenses Net amounts written off loans to	3,396,225	3,749,958
and investments in group companies	(6,410,755)	(9,827,470)
	(3,014,530)	(6,077,512)
Income from shares in group companies Profit on sale of tangible fixed assets	4,640,919 604,338	704,580
	2,230,727	(5,372,932)

4. <u>Interest receivable</u>

	1989 £	1988 £
Interest receivable from group companies Other interest receivable	- 381,654	18,588 22,127
	381,654	40,715

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1989 (continued)

Interest payable

	£	1988 £
Interest payable to group companies Interest payable on bank loans and overdrafts Interest payable on other loans wholly	16,705,964	3,272,936 778,923
repayable within five years Other interest payable	672,761	546,327 1,871
	17,378,725	4,600,057

6. Loss on ordinary activities before taxation

The loss on ordinary activities before taxation has been arrived at after charging/(crediting) the following:

	1989 £	1988 £
Depreciation (note 10) Auditors' remuneration	88,247 36,000	78,021 30,550
Refund of pension contribution Directors' remuneration (note 8) Operating leases:	•	(1,098,291) 279,549
Land and buildings Other assets	28,500 73,473	28,500 62,404

7. Staff numbers and costs

The average number of employees during the year was 38 (1988: 40).

Staff costs during the year amounted to:

	1989 £	1988
Wages and salaries Social security costs Other pension costs	661,388 64,173 22,084	803,233 66,400 107,209
	747,645	976,842

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1989 (continued)

7. Staff numbers and costs (continued)

Excluding pension contributions, the number of employees whose emoluments fell within the following ranges were as follows:

	1989 Number	1988 Number
£30,001 - £35,000 £35,001 - £40,000 £50,001 - £55,000	1 1	- 1

8. <u>Directors' remuneration</u>

Directors' remuneration comprises:

	1989 £	1988 £
Fees Management remuneration	4,292 273,419	4,292 275,257
	277,711	279,549
Excluding pension contributions the remuneration		

of the directors were as follows:

Chairman	Nil	Nil
Highest paid director	72,323	95,195

The remun. ration of the other directors were within the following ranges:

	Number	<u>Number</u>
£0 - £5,000	. 8	4
£40,C01 - £45,000	1	_
£45,001 - £50,000	1	_
£50,001 - £55,000	_	1
£55,001 - £60,000	1	1
£65,001 - £70,000	_	1
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9. <u>Taxation credit/(charge)</u>

	1989	<u>1988</u>
Group relief receivable on loss for the		
year at 35%	4,612,500	135,296
Prior year adjustment	1,641,527	(250,000)
		
	6,254,027	(114,704)

The tax credit for the year has been reduced by £191,400 and the tax charge in 1988 was reduced by £400 in respect of capital allowances and other timing differences for which no deferred tax asset has been created.

10. <u>Tangible fixed assets</u>

	Land and	Plant and	
	<u>buildings</u> £	<u>equipment</u> £	<u>Total</u> £
Cost or valuation	·····		
At 1st January 1989	894,500	343,490	1,237,990
Additions	-	112,988	112,988
Disposals	(335,000)		(335,000)
At 31st December 1989	559,500	456,478	1,015,978
Gross amounts of depreciable			
assets	314,500	456,478	770,978
Accumulated depreciation			
At 1st January 1989	27,722	188,897	216,619
Provision for the year	9,849	78,398	98,247
At 31st December 1989	37,571	267,295	304,866
Net book value			
At 31st December 1989	521,929	189,183	711,112
At 31st December 1988	866,778	154,593	1,021,371

The net book value of land			

The net book value of land and buildings comprises:

and buildings comprises:		
	1989	1988
	£	£
Freehold	332,125	669,750
Long leasehold	9,200	9,200
Short leasehold	180,604	187,828
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	521,929	866,778

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1989 (continued)

10. Tangible fixed assets (continued)

Certain freehold and long leasehold land and buildings are held as investment properties and are stated at directors' valuation. In accordance with Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No. 19 no depreciation has been charged. The carrying value of investment properties is £245,000.

The gross book value of land and buildings	1989 £	1988 £
comprises:		
Historical cost	314,500	314,500
Valuations at 31st December 1985	245,000	580,000
	559,500	894,500
Land and buildings determined according to the historic cost accounting rules are as follows:	and minimals are taken	
At cost	559,078	1,150,078
Accumulated depreciation	(37,571)	(27,722)
Net book value	521,507	1,122,356
		

11. <u>Investments</u>

	Shares in group	Shares in related	
	companies	companies	Total
Cost	<u> £ </u>	£	£
At 1st January 1989 Over accrual in respect of	217,767,123	40	217,767,163
prior year acquisitions	(526,998)	_	(526,998)
Disposals	(16,848,217)	-	(16,848,217)
At 31st December 1989	200,391,908	40	200,391,948
Provisions against cost			
At 1st January 1989	25,351,879		25,351,879
Profit and loss account	3,335,246	_	3,335,246
Disposals	(1,951,263)	_	(1,951,263)
At 31st December 1989	26,735,862	-	26,735,862
Net book value			
At 31st December 1989	173,656,046	40	173,656,086
At 31st December 1988	192,415,244	40	192,415,284

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1989 (continued)

11. <u>Investments</u> (continued)

<u>Principal subsidiary companies</u> (all wholly owned unless otherwise stated)

	Country of incorporation	Identity of shares held
Owned by the company: Aquaseal Limited Briggs Amasco Limited Feb International Limited Morceau Holdings plc Neuchatel Holding B.V. Pollards of London Limited Pollastrip Limited Ruberoid Limited TBP Industries Limited	England Scotland England England Netherlands England England England England	Ordinary Ordinary Ordinary Ordinary Ordinary Ordinary Ordinary Ordinary Ordinary
Owned by subsidiaries: Aaronite A/S Aaronite Limited Antwerps Teer & Asphaltbedrijf N.V. (79%) Compagnie de Materiaux et de Services S.A. Irish Roofing Felts Limited Meple S.A. (79%) Nebiprofa B.V. (75%) Ruberoid Building Products Limited Ruberoid Contracts Limited Tarmac Roofing Systems Inc.	Norway England Belgium France Eire France Netherlands England England USA	Ordinary

The above companies are either holding companies of groups engaged in or are directly engaged in the manufacture and application of products mainly for the building trade.

Related company

The company owns 40% of the issued share capital of Velmac Limited. Velmac Limited did not trade during the year and its aggregate share capital and reserves as at 31st December 1989 amounted to £100.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1989 (continued)

	(continued)	CEMBER 1909	
12.	<u>Debtors</u>		
		1989	1988
		£	£
	Amounts owed by group companies:		
	Subsidiaries	38,012,428	29,916,234
	Other group companies	22,369	53,524
	Group relief	4,612,500	-
	Amounts owed by related companies	108,869	134,165
	Other debtors	647,287	510,753
	Prepayments and accrued income	371,847	52,346
		43,775,300	30,667,022
	Included in the above are debtors		
	falling due after more than one year:		
	Amounts owed by subsidiaries	30,510,243	29,731,191
13.	Creditors: amounts falling due within one	e year	
		1989	1988
		£	£
	Amounts owed to group companies:		
	Subsidiaries	459,545	1,978,089
	Other group companies	1,643,647	1,568,989
	Amounts owed to related companies		22,194
	Corporation tax	753,734	756,776
	Social security and other taxation	805,654	535,770
	Other creditors	66,695	255,716
	Accruals and deferred income	1,125,294	353,881
		4,854,569	5,471,415
14.	Creditors: amounts falling due after more	than one year	
		1989	1988
		£	£
	Amounts owed to group companies:		
	Subsidiaries	75,459,493	34,710,732
	Other group companies	131,722,935	166,145,852
	Amounts owed to related companies	40	40
		207,182,468	200,856,624

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15. Provisions for liabilities and charges

				Provisions £
At 1st January 1989 Expenditure during ye Transfer to profit an		:		188,492 (29,243) 100,751
At 31st December 1989				260,000
The amounts provided asset are set out belo	ow:			-
	1989		19	988
		Full		Ful1
	- · · · ·	potential		potential
	Provided	liability	Provided	liability
	in accounts £	/(asset) £	in accounts	
	L	<u>L</u>	£	<u>£</u>
Accelerated capital				
allowances	_	(2,500)		400
Other timing	_	(2,300)	_	400
differences		(320,000)		(121 500)
arrerences		(320,000)		(131,500)
	-	(322,500)	_	(131,100)
		(522,500)	-	(131,100)
Called up share capita	<u> </u>			
			1989 £	1988 £
Authorised, allotted, fully paid:	called up and		_	
25,000,000 ordinary sh	ares			
of £l each			25,000,000	25,000,000
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17. Reserves

	Revaluation reserve £	Profit and loss account £
At 1st January 1989	576,276	(7,974,567)
Exchange adjustment	~	(3,226,994)
Loss for the year	-	(8,512,317)
Transfer in respect of realisations	(576,276)	576,276
At 31st December 1989	~	(19,137,602)

- 18. Financial and capital commitments
- (a) Annual commitments under non-cancellable operating lease:

	1989		1988	
	Land and buildings	Other £	Land and buildings	Other £
Operating leases which expire:				
Within one year	-	4,713	14	10,684
In second to fifth years	_	54,600	-	54,028
Over five years	34,000		28,500	_
	34,000	59,313	28,500	64,712

(b) Commitments for capital expenditure for which no provision has been made in the accounts were as follows:

	1989 £	1988 £
Authorised but not contracted	· _	150,000

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19. Pensions

The pension schemes to which the company contributes are of the defined benefit type and are for the benefit of all relevant employees of Tarmac PLC and its U.K. subsidiary and related companies ("the group"). The assets of the schemes are held in trustee administered funds separate from those of the group. Details of the latest actuarial valuation of the principal schemes are given in the group's consolidated annual accounts. The contributions to the schemes made by the company represent the regular cost of providing the benefits without any recognition of fund surpluses or deficits which are dealt with by Tarmac PLC.

20. <u>Ultimate holding company</u>

The company's ultimate holding company is Tarmac PLC incorporated in England.