JPR (1994) LIMITED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

31ST DECEMBER 1998

Registered number: 00734683

SULLY & CO

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Barnstaple



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for the year ended 31st December 1998

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COMPANY INFORMATION

31st December 1998

NUMBER 00734683

CHAIRMAN Mr A J Ruhleman

OTHER DIRECTORS Mr P Ruhleman

Mrs M B Ruhleman Mrs D Ruhleman

SECRETARY Mr P Ruhleman

REGISTERED OFFICE Seven Brethren Trading Estate

Barnstaple

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AUDITORS Sully & Co

Chartered Accountants

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Barnstaple

Devon EX31 1RP

DIRECTORS' REPORT

31st December 1998

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31st December 1998.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company is the leasing of assets, marketing artwork and design, and the ownership of property.

Group

The company owns 82.45% of the share capital of P M Clarke Limited. P M Clarke Limited is engaged in haulage, commercial vehicle repairs and property ownership. The subsidiary is discussed in detail in note 8 to the accounts.

The accounts present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. The company has not prepared group accounts as it is exempt from the requirement to do so by Section 228 of the Companies Act 1985.

Directors

The directors of the company during the year and their interests in the shares of the company as recorded in the register of directors' interests were as follows:

	31st December 1998 Ordinary shares	1st January 1998 Ordinary shares
Mr A J Ruhleman	25,100	25,100
Mr P Ruhleman	25,100	25,100
Mrs M B Ruhleman	-	-
Mrs D Ruhleman	-	-

Auditors

The Company has elected to dispense with the annual appointment of auditors. In the absence of a specific resolution to the contrary, Sully & Co will continue in office.

Small company exemptions

This report is prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

Year 2000

The company is aware of the Year 2000 problems and has addressed them. The company is taking all action deemed to be necessary to address any problems. The cost of dealing with any problems is not thought to be material.

On behalf of the board

Mr P Ruhleman Secretary

Seven Brethren Trading Estate

Barnstaple Devon

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STATEMENT OF 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 the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- 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 keeping 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.

On behalf of the board

Mr A J Ruhleman Chairman

AUDITORS' REPORT

Auditors' report to the members of

JPR (1994) Limited

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 12 which have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities, under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 7.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 3, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with 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 judgements 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 error or other irregularity. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31st December 1998 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Sully & Co Registered Auditors

Chartered Accountants

Barnstaple

25th October 1999

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

for the year ended 31st December 1998

	Note	1998 £	1997 £
		-	
Turnover	2	97,371	85,855
Cost of sales		(57,152)	(65,743)
Gross profit		40,219	20,112
Net operating expenses			
Distribution costs		(33,717)	(44,385)
Administrative expenses		(82,963)	(77,443)
Other operating income		53,270	52,873
Operating loss	3	(23,191)	(48,843)
Less prior year provision		- 26,	. 453
		-	26,453
Loss on ordinary activities			
before interest		(23,191)	(22,390)
Investment income		75,000	_
Interest payable		(1)	(6)
Profit/(loss) on ordinary act	ivities		
before taxation		51,808	(22,396)
Taxation	6	(1,639)	-
Profit/(loss) on ordinary act	ivities		
after taxation		50,169	(22,396)
retained for the year	14		
		=====	

Movements in reserves are shown in the notes to the financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET

at 31st December 1998

	1998		1998		1997
	Note	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets Investments	7 8		251,186 143,119		274,638 143,119
			394,305		417,757
Current assets					
Stocks Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	9 10	1,450 170,370 83,428		1,033 107,714 60,895	
Creditors: amounts falling due	1.1	255,248		169,642	
within one year	11	(117,813)		(105,828)	
Net current assets			137,435		63,814
Total assets less current liabilitie	ອ ຮ		531,740	:	481,571
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital Share premium account Profit and loss account	12 13 14		55,200 6,350 470,190		55,200 6,350 420,021
Total shareholders' funds			531,740		481,571

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999).

The financial statements on pages 7 to 12 were approved by the board of directors on 13mgc 1999 and signed on its behalf by:

Mr Á J Ruhleman

Chairman

NOTES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

31st December 1998

1 Accounting policies

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost accounting rules.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement as conferred by Financial Reporting Standard No. 1 (Revised 1996) on the grounds that it qualifies as a small company under the Companies Act 1985.

Turnover

Turnover represents the amount derived from the provision of goods and services falling within the company's activities after deduction of trade discounts and value added tax.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation of fixed assets is calculated to write off their cost or valuation less any residual value over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Freehold land	Nil
Freehold buildings	Nil
Leasehold land and buildings	Straight line over period of lease
Plant and machinery	20% reducing balance
Motor vehicles - retained	25% reducing balance
- as lessor	33.3% straight line
Fixtures and fittings	10% reducing balance

Freehold land and buildings are not depreciated. This is not in accordance with Statement of Standard Accounting Practice number 12. However the market value is so high and the property maintained to such a standard that any depreciation would be immaterial to the financial statements.

Leases and hire purchase contracts

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to income as incurred.

Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided on the liability method in respect of the taxation effect of all timing differences to the extent that tax liabilities are likely to crystallise in the foreseeable future.

Pensions

Defined contribution scheme

Contributions are charged to the profit and loss account as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the scheme.

Group accounts

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43,355

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2 Turnover

In the opinion of the directors, none of the turnover of the company is attributable to geographical markets outside the UK (1997 nil).

3	Operating loss		
		1998	1997
		£	£
	Operating loss is stated after crediting:		
	Interest receivable	4,746	4,794
	Profit on sale of assets	4,398	5,782
	and after charging:		
	Auditors' remuneration	5,935	4,095
			
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets		
	(note 7):		
	Owned assets	35,531	61,377
		=======================================	
4	Directors		
		1998	1997

Defined contribution pension scheme

The company operates a defined contribution scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the company to the fund and amounted to £1,789 (1997 £1,946). Contributions totalling £0 (1997 £0) were payable to the fund at 31st December 1998 and are included in creditors.

£

44,105

5 Exceptional items

Directors' emoluments

less prior year provision	1998 £ -	1997 £ (26,453)
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6 Taxation	1998 £	1997 £
Corporation tax on profit on ordinary activities at 21% (1997 21%)	1,639	-

The corporation tax charge has been calculated after £28,480 of losses have been surrendered under group relief from the subsidiary undertaking, P M Clarke Limited for nil payment.

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7 Tangible fixed assets

	Land and	Plant and Machinery	
	Buildings	etc	Total
Cost	£	£	£
1st January 1998	130,284	639,102	769,386
Additions	~	20,631	20,631
Disposals		(28,870)	(28,870)
31st December 1998	130,284	630,863	761,147
Depreciation			
1st January 1998	830	493,918	494,748
Charge for the year	415	35,116	35,531
Disposals		(20,318)	(20,318)
31st December 1998	1,245	508,716	509,961
Net book amount			
31st December 1998	129,039	122,147	251,186
	=======================================	====	
1st January 1998	129,454	145,184	274,638
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Included in plant and machinery above assets with a cost of £273,514 and an accumulated depreciation charge of £262,837. These assets are used in operating leases.

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8 Fixed asset investments

	Investments other than loans
Cost	£
1st January 1998 and at 31st December 1998	143,119
Net book amount	
31st December 1998	143,119
1st January 1998	143,119

The company has a subsidiary undertaking, P M Clarke Limited. Its aggregate capital and reserves at 31st December 1998 amounted to £186,826, and its loss for the year ended 31st December 1998 after taxation was £ 9,529. The company holds 3,523 £1 ordinary shares, representing 82.45% of the total issued share capital of 4,273 £1 ordinary shares.

The value of the investment in P M Clarke Limited is shown at cost at 31st December 1998.

As the group qualifies as small, the parent company i.e. JPR (1994) Limited, is not required to prepare group accounts. These accounts therefore present information about the parent company, not its group.

9 Stocks

9	STOCKS		
		1998	1997
		£	£
		_	-
	Stocks and work in progress	1,450	1,033
			=======================================
10	Debtors		
		1998	1997
		£	£
	Amounts falling due within one year		
	Trade debtors	35,126	15,249
	Amounts owed by subidiary company	55,795	89,032
	Other debtors	79,449	3,433
			
		170,370	107,714
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11	Creditors: amounts falling du within one year	ıe			
	•		1	998	1997
			_	£	£
				L	£
	Bank overdrafts				3 375
	Trade creditors		21	4.5.4	3,375
				464	5,992
	Corporation tax	• •		639	-
	Other taxation and social sec	urity		638	4,364
	Other creditors		90,	072	92,097
			117,	813	105,828
			===	===	
12	Called up share capital				
12	carred up share capitar	4 /		н.	
			998		997
		Number of	_	Number of	
		shares	£	shares	£
	Authorised				
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	100,000	100,000	100 000	100 000
	ordinary shares or in each	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid Ordinary shares of £1 each	55,200	55,200	55,200	55,200
	(1)				
13	Share premium account				
					1998
					£
	1st January 1998				
	and				
	31st December 1998				6,350
					=======================================
14	Profit and loss account				
					1998
					£
					4
	1st January 1998				420 021
	Retained profit for the year				420,021
	mocarinea profite for the year				50,169
	31st December 1998				450
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15 Guarantees and other financial commitments

Financial commitments under non-cancellable operating leases will result in the following payments falling due in the year to

	1998	1997
	£	£
Expiring		
Within two to five	3,000	3,000
After five years	200	200
	~	
	3,200	3,200
		

16 Related parties

For the whole year the company was under the control of Messrs A J and P Ruhleman, being major shareholders and directors of the company.

During the year the company made sales on an arms length basis, of £2,454 for goods and £7,250 for sales of assets and purchased goods of £3,725, all on an arms length basis, to/from its subsidiary, P M Clarke Limited. Mr A J and Mr P Ruhleman, directors of this company are also directors of that company.

The balance owing to the subsidiary, P M Clarke Limited, at the year end was £55,795.

At the balance sheet date the following balances were owed to the directors of the company by JPR (1994) Limited:

Mr and Mrs A J Ruhleman - £13,400 (1997: £13,691)

Mr and Mrs P Ruhleman - £ 4,846 (1997: £ 5,979).