FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

FOR

LONGLEAT ENTERPRISES LIMITED (Formerly Longleat Enterprises)

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COMPANY INFORMATION

DIRECTORS:

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The Honourable Alexander George,

Seventh Marquess of Bath

Anna Maria Abigail,

The Marchionness of Bath

Richard Anthony Griffiths

SECRETARY:

Richard Anthony Griffiths

(Resigned 15 December 1994)

T R W Moore

(Appointed 15 December 1994)

REGISTERED OFFICE:

Longleat Estate Office

Longleat Warminster

Wiltshire BA12 7NW

REGISTERED NUMBER:

789512

AUDITORS:

Smith & Williamson Chartered Accountants Old Library Chambers 21 Chipper Lane

Salisbury

Wiltshire SP1 1BG

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The directors present their report with the audited financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 1994.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

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The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of the management of cave exhibiting at Cheddar Gorge, tourist attractions at Longleat and associated business activities at both sites.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

The results for the year, financial position of the company, and recommended transfer to reserves are as shown in the annexed financial statements. The level of business increased satisfactorily and further expansion is anticipated in the current year following the take over of the business of Lions of Longleat Limited and The Seventh Marquess of Bath Longleat House (see note 23 on page 18).

DIVIDEND AND RESERVES

The directors recommend that no dividend be paid for the year (1993 - £NIL). The profit of £422,876 is transferred to reserves.

CHANGE OF STATUS

In accordance with a special resolution dated 17 May 1994, Longleat Enterprises was re-registered as a limited company on 21 June 1994.

FIXED ASSETS

Additions to fixed assets during the year amounted to £140,536. Significant purchases included computer equipment and artistic works. Land including Jacobs Ladder were sold to Lord Bath during the year. On the 31 December 1994 the business of Lions of Longleat Limited and The Seventh Marquess of Bath Longleat House were taken over by Longleat Enterprises Limited including the majority of fixed assets from each business.

DIRECTORS

The directors in office during the year and their beneficial interests in the issued share capital were as follows:

Name	Class of Capital	1994	1993
The Honourable Alexander George, Seventh Marquess of			
Bath	Ordinary Shares £1	144,998	144,998
Anna Maria Abigail, The Marchionness of Bath	Ordinary Shares £1	, ~	-
Richard Anthony Griffiths	Ordinary Shares £1	2	1

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial period 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 then 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.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

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.

DONATIONS

The company made charitable donations of £20 and political donations of £Nil during the year.

AUDITORS

The auditors, Smith & Williamson, will be proposed for re-appointment in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

ON BEHALF	OF THE BOARD:
Director	The Honourable Alexander George, Seventh Marquess of Bath
Dated:	18-9-95

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF LONGLEAT ENTERPRISES LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 18 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and on the basis of the accounting policies set out on pages 9 and 10.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on pages 2 and 3 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those financial 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 other irregularity or error. 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 at 31st December 1994 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

SMITH & WILLIAMSON

Chartered Accountants Registered Auditor Old Library Chambers 21 Chipper Lane Salisbury Wiltshire SP1 1BG

20 October 1995

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

	Notes	19	994	1	.993
		£	£	£	£
TURNOVER	2		2,176,161		1,961,793
Cost of sales			658,361		662,891
GROSS PROFIT			1,517,800		1,298,902
Administrative expenses Other operating charges		948,701 377,216		863,251 309,922	
			1,325,917		1,173,173
			191,883		125,729
Other operating income	3		248,242		203,611
OPERATING PROFIT	5		440,125		329,340
Exceptional item	7		150,276		-
			590,401		329,340
Bank interest receivable			30,640		17,263
			621,041		346,603
Interest payable and					
similar charges	8		1,350		268
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVIT	IES				
BEFORE TAXATION			619,691		346,335
Tax on profit on ordinary					
activities	9		196,815		128,694
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	18		422,876		217,641
PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT					
BROUGHT FORWARD			1,727,358		1,509,717
PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT					
CARRIED FORWARD			£2,150,234	•	£1,727,358
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All activities are considered to be continuing.

There were no recognised gains or losses other than those reflected above.

BALANCE SHEET AT 31 DECEMBER 1994

	Notes		1994	1	.993
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Intangible assets	10		105,000		112,500
Tangible assets	11		1,830,445		1,337,880
			1,935,445		1,450,380
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stock - goods for resale		201,601		80,032	
Debtors	12	364,961		219,219	
Cash at bank and in hand		1,066,956		619,338	
		1,633,518		918,589	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling					
due within one year	13	718,206		449,569	
•					
NET CURRENT ASSETS			915,312		469,020
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES			2,850,757		1,919,400
CREDITORS: Amounts falling					
due after more than one year	r 14		(451,493)		_
due arter more than one year	T T4		(431,493)		-
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES					
AND CHARGES					
Deferred taxation	16		(104,030)		(47,042)
			£2,295,234		£1,872,358
					=======
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	17		145,000		145,000
Profit and loss account			2,150,234		1,727,358
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	18		£2,295,234		£1,872,358
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Director	LUX				
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Approved by the Board on .18-9-95....

The notes form part of these financial statements

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

	Notes	19	994	19	93
		£	£	£	£
NET CASH INFLOW FROM					
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	A		1,082,301		497,432
RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS					
AND SERVICING OF FINANCE Interest received		20 640		17 062	
Interest received		30,640		17,263	
Interest paid		(1,350)		(461)	
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Interest element of finar	ıce				
lease rentals		-		193	
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NET CASH INFLOW FROM INVE	SIMENIS		29,290		16,995
			25,250		10,993
TAXATION - Income tax pai	id				
at source		(282)		(20)	
- Corporation to	ex paid	(131,604)		(67,205)	
- Corporation to	ax				
received		8,359		-	
			4	-	
			(123,527)		(67,225)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES					
Sales of tangible fixed a	issets	177,130		5,093	
(including exceptional it				0,000	
1994 of £173,631)					
Payments to acquire					
tangible fixed assets	- -1	(2.40, 50.5)		(00 100)	
normal additions duringon business transfer at	_			(83,407)	
- On Dusiness Clansier at	. year end	(562,017)			
NET CASH OUTFLOW FROM					
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			(525,423)		(78,314)
NET CASH INFLOW BEFORE FI	NANCING		462,641		368,888
ETNANCING					
FINANCING			-		-
INCREASE IN CASH AND					
CASH EQUIVALENTS	В		£462,641		£368,888
			======		

The notes on page 8 form part of this statement

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

Α. RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING PROFIT TO NET CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES 1994 1993 £ £ Operating profit 440,125 329,340 Depreciation - owned assets 183,998 168,787 Amortisation 7,500 7,500 Profit on asset disposals (864) (2,170)Increase in stock (121,569) (31,723)Increase in debtors (154,101) (73,020)Increase in creditors falling due within one year 275,719 98,718 Increase in creditors falling due after more than one year 451,493 NET CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES £1,082,301 £497,432 ----в. ANALYSIS OF INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS 1994 1993 £ £ Balance at 1 January 1994 574,124 205,236 Net cash inflow 462,641 368,888 ------BALANCE AT 31 DECEMBER 1994 £1,036,765 £574,124 ======= ====== C. ANALYSIS OF THE BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS 1994 1993 1992 £ £ £ Cash at bank and in hand 1,066,956 619,338 224,597 Bank overdraft (30,191) (45,214) (19,361) ----------£1,036,765 £574,124

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

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

Stock

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

Intangible fixed assets

The life interest in settled land at Cheddar is amortised over the expected life of the life in question.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided, after taking account of any grants receivable, at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Short leasehold land and buildings - over life of the lease

Locomotive engines - 20% on cost
Exhibition fixtures - 20% on cost
Equipment - 20% on cost
Boats - 10% on cost
Furniture and fixtures - 10-20% on cost
Motor vehicles - 20% on cost
Computers - 20% on cost

Artistic works are included at cost and no depreciation is provided since the directors consider these assets to be worth at least as much as their book value.

Animals are revalued annually and the aggregate surplus or deficit is transferred to a revaluation reserve. Any deficit in excess of the balance on revaluation reserve is dealt with through the profit and loss account. No depreciation is provided in respect of these assets.

Since 1988, depreciation has been provided on buildings, but only those of timber construction, at rates ranging from 2 1/2% to 20% on the straight line basis. The company is therefore not complying with Statement of Standard Accounting Practice number 12 which states that all assets with a limited life should be depreciated. However, it is the company's policy to maintain all its property in a good state of repair.

Deferred taxation

Provision is made for taxation deferred in respect of all material timing differences except to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is reasonable probability that the liability will not crystallise in the foreseeable future. Tax is provided at the rate at which timing differences are expected to reverse.

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet and are depreciated over their useful lives.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

Pension costs

The company operates a defined benefit pension scheme, which requires contributions to be made to a separately administered fund. Contributions to the fund are charged to the profit and loss account so as to spread the cost of pensions over the employees' working lives within the company. Further information is given in note 21 below.

2. TURNOVER

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax.

The turnover and profit before taxation are attributable to the one principal activity of the company and are derived entirely within the United Kingdom.

3.	OTHER OPERATING INCOME	1994	1993
		£	£
	Discounts received	163	246
	Rents receivable	116,156	108,467
	Management fees received	123,723	89,888
	Grants received	8,200	5,010
		248,242	203,611
		======	======
4.	STAFF COSTS		
••	Massa	1994	1993
		£	£
	Wages and salaries	591,209	600,405
	Social security costs	36,418	38,688
	Other pension costs	8,605	8,103
		636,232	647,196
		======	======
	The average weekly number of employees du	ring the year was as	follows:
		1994	1993
	In trading activities	61	59
	In administration	10	12
		===	===

5. OPERATING PROFIT

The operating profit is stated after charging/(crediting):

1	1994 £	1993 £
Hire of plant and machinery	16,276	12,094
Directors' remuneration (see also note 6)	12,021	111,082
Depreciation - owned assets	183,998	168,787
Amortisation of life interest in settled land	7,500	7,500
Profit on disposal of fixed assets	(864)	(2,170)
Auditors' remuneration	13,200	16,062
	======	======

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

		1994 £	1993 £
6.	DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS		
	Directors' emoluments including estimated value of benefits in kind	19,127	119,445
	Emoluments of the highest paid director were £11,33 Other directors' emoluments fell within the following		111,696).
		1994 No.	1993 No.
	£0 - £ 5,000 £5,001 - £10,000	1 1 ======	2 1 ======
7.	EXCEPTIONAL ITEM	1994 £	1993 £
	Surplus on disposal of part of the company's freehold property (see also note 22)	150,276	-
	There was no tax charge arising from this disposal.		
8.	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES		
	Bank loans, overdrafts and other loans	1994 £	1993 £
	repayable within five years Finance leases	1,350 -	461 (193)
		1,350	268
9.	TAXATION		
	The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities year was as follows:		
	Paged on the adjusted regults of the year.	1994 £	1993
	Based on the adjusted results of the year: UK corporation tax at 32% (1993 32%)	139,545	£ 131,604
	Income tax deducted at source	282	20
	Deferred taxation (see note 16)	56,988	(2,930)
	/	196,815	128,694 =====

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

10. INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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Interest in settled land at Cheddar for	
the life of The Honourable Marquess of	
Bath, as valued by Messrs. Saville & Sons	
in February 1964	120,000
	-
AMORTISATION	
At 1 January 1994	7,500
Charge for the year	7,500
At 31 December 1994	15,000
	
NET BOOK VALUES	
At 31 December 1994	£105,000
	======
At 31 December 1993	£112,500
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TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Short leasehold land and buildings	Freehold land and buildings	Loco- motive engines	Exhibi- tion fixtures		Artistic works	•
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COST							
As at 1 January 1994	1	1,236,900	28,819	141,656	223,982	150,321	
Additions	t	550	32	ţ	6,303	34,853	
Disposals	1	(23,355)	t	ı	(7,435)	1	
From business transfer	140,000	2,800	1	1	133,146	6,000	
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	140,000	1,216,895	28,851	141,656	355,996	191,174	
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As at 1 January 1994	t	310,018	23, 162	19,634	139,361	•	
Charge for year	ı	50,348	2,490	28,331	42,364	1	
Eliminated on disposals	1	ı	1	1	(6,478)	ı	
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		366,366	25,652	107,963	175,453	1	
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NET BOOK VALUES							
As at 31 December 1994	£140,000	£850,529	£3,199	£33,693	£180,543	£191,174	
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As at 31 December 1993	£-	£920,882	£5,657	£62,024	£84,415	£150,321	
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

/	Boats	Furniture and fixtures	Motor vehicles	Computers	Totals
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COST					
As at 1 January 1994	ı	174,836	46,458	84,601	2,087,573
Additions	1	19,222	13,675	65,901	140,536
Disposals	ı	(855)	(4,195)	ı	(35,840)
From business transfer	24,653	38,632	117,546	ı	562,017
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	24,653	231,835	173,484	150,502	2,754,286
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DEPRECIATION De at 1 January 1994	1	111.465	28.396	51,453	749.693
Charge for year	1	23,094	7,980	29,391	183,998
Eliminated on disposals	t	(855)	(2,517)	1	(9,850)
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	1	133,704	33,859	80,844	923,841
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NET BOOK VALUES					
As at 31 December 1994	£24,653	£98,131	£139,625	£69,658	£1,830,445
		11 11 11 12 13 14			
As at 31 December 1993	4	£63,371	£18,062	£33,148	£1,337,880
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The gross amount of non-depreciated assets included in freehold land and buildings above is £605,949 (1993:£628,753).

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

12.	DEBTORS		
		1994	1993
		£	£
	Trade debtors	43,644	48,244
	Other debtors	8,430	
	Prepayments and accrued income	283,437	77,274
	Trustees of Ceawlin's Fund	5,561	15,673
	The Seventh Marquess of Bath		
	Longleat Estate (see note 22)	-	49,957
	Lions of Longleat Limited (see note 22)	2,639	5,288
	The Seventh Marquess of Bath		
	Longleat House (see note 22)	21,250	-
	Corporation tax recoverable	-	8,359
			-
		364,961	219,219
		======	======
13.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING		
13.	DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
		1994	1993
		£	£
	Bank overdraft	30,191	45,214
	Trade creditors	47,569	71,056
	Lease commitments (see note 15)	2,828	-
	Sundry creditors	1,917	4,626
	Accruals and deferred income	97,995	157,419
	Other tax and social security	27,815	12,821
	Corporation tax	139,545	131,604
	Loan account- The Seventh Marquess of Bath	-	3,642
	Executors of The Sixth Marquess of Bath The Seventh Marquess of Bath	16,916	16,916
	Longleat House (see note 22)	_	6,271
	The Seventh Marquess of Bath		•
	Longleat Estate (see note 22)	12,872	_
	The Seventh Marquess of Bath Longleat	,	
	House - Business transfer loan	340,558	-
		710 206	440.560
		718,206 ======	449,569
14.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR		
		1994	1993
		£	£
	Lease commitments (see note 15)	2,252	-
	Lions of Longleat Limited - Business	440	
	transfer loan	449,241	-
		451,493	-
		======	======

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

15. LEASE COMMITMENTS

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The maturity of amounts due under finance leases is as follows:

	1994	
	£	£
Amounts payable:	3,420	_
Within one year	2,478	_
Within two to five years	(818)	_
Finance charges allocated to future periods	(010)	
	5,080	_
	======	======
Analysed as:		
Current obligations (see note 13)	2,828	_
Non-current obligations (see note 14)	2,252	_
MOUL-CHIEFE OFFIGRETONE (200 Hotel 11)		
	5,080	-
	======	======
Annual commitments under operating leases are as	follows:	
	Land	Animals
	and	111111111111111111111111111111111111111
	Buildings	
	£	£
	<i>-</i> -	-
Operating leases which expire:		
Within one year	13,500	_
Between two and five years		18,000
Deckeel two and live lears		
Over five years	135.560	_
Over five years	135,560	-
Over five years	-	-
	-	-
Over five years DEFERRED TAXATION	-	- 1993
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DEFERRED TAXATION Deferred taxation provided in the financial	1994	1993
DEFERRED TAXATION	1994	1993
DEFERRED TAXATION Deferred taxation provided in the financial statements is as follows:	1994 £	1993 £
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Deferred taxation provided in the financial statements is as follows: Accelerated capital allowances The liability is calculated at 32%. There is no unprovided deferred taxation (1993:£N	1994 £ 104,030 ======	1993 £ 47,042 =====
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Deferred taxation provided in the financial statements is as follows: Accelerated capital allowances The liability is calculated at 32%. There is no unprovided deferred taxation (1993:£N Deferred taxation at 1 January 1994	1994 £ 104,030 ======	1993 £ 47,042 =====

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

17. SHARE CAPITAL

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SHARE CAP	LTAL			
			1994	1993
			£	£
Authorise	d:			
Number:	Class:	Nominal Value:		
250,000	Ordinary shares	£1	250,000	250,000
			======	======
Allotted,	issued and full	y paid:		
Number:	Class:	Nominal Value:		
145,000	Ordinary shares	£1	145,000	145,000
			======	======
RECONCILI	ATION OF MOVEMEN	TS IN SHAREHOLDERS'	FUNDS	
			1994	1993
			£	£
Profit fo	r the year		422,876	217,641
Opening s	hareholders' fun	ds	1,872,358	1,654,717
Closing s	hareholders' fun	ds	2,295,234	1,872,358
			=======	========
Equity In	terests		2,295,234	1,872,358
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19. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

At 31 December 1994 the company had contracted for capital expenditure in respect of further computer equipment of approximately £26,132.

Also the company was committed to paying £25,000 as its share of the new fire protection systems for Longleat House.

There were no capital commitments at 31 December 1993.

20. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

On the eventual death of the Marquess of Bath the Company's interest pur autre vie in the assets owned by the Trustees of the Bath Settled Estates will revert to the Trustees without recompense to the Company. However the Company is the tenant of those properties under a lease dated 10 February 1995 under which the term is 50 years and a market rent is payable, inter alia, from the death of the Marquess of Bath.

21. PENSION COMMITMENTS

The company operates a funded defined benefit pension scheme. The pension charge for the period is £8,605 (1993:£8,103). The most recent actuarial valuation at 1 July 1993, shows the market value of the scheme as £1,220,670 and this represented a funding value of 131%. The valuation was prepared by an independent professionally qualified actuary.

The actuarial method used was the Projected Unit Method and the principal assumptions were as follows:-

Average rate of interest 8% per annum Rate of salary increases 7% per annum

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22. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Honourable Alexander George, Seventh Marquess of Bath, who is a director, had a material interest in numerous transactions during the year. Transactions were made on many occasions with The Seventh Marquess of Bath Longleat Estate, a trust of which the above director is a life tenant, The Seventh Marquess of Bath Longleat House, being a personal business of the same director and Lions of Longleat Limited, of which the same director is a member and director. Given the volume of such transactions, it is not practicable to calculate the total value of transactions in which the director had an interest. The directors are of the opinion that all transactions were carried out at market value and on an arms length basis.

In particular, property was sold during the year to the above director, realising a profit to the company of £150,276 which has been dealt with as an exceptional item. This property is now rented by the company.

23. POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

From 31 December 1994 the company assumed greater responsibility for commercial activities at Longleat and in particular took over the business and fixed assets of Lions of Longleat Limited and The Seventh Marquess of Bath Longleat House.

In addition, the company intends to increase its authorised share capital and issue a further 150,000 of £1 ordinary shares at par.