(Company Registration Number 835482)

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the 52 weeks ended 25 March 2000

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

For the 52 weeks ended 25 March 2000

The directors present their report and financial statements for the 52 week period ended 25 March 2000.

POST BALANCE SHEET EVENT

On 23 June 2000, Booker Plc was acquired by Iceland Group Plc, a company registered In England & Wales. Accordingly, as from this date, Iceland Group Plc became the ultimate parent undertaking of the company.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND RESULTS

The Company did not trade during the period, it did not incur any liabilities and as a consequence made neither profit nor loss (1999 : £Nil). The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend for the period (1999 - £Nil).

FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

It is the intention of the directors that the Company will remain dormant for the foreseeable future.

DIRECTORS AND DIRECTORS' INTERESTS

The directors of the company during the period were:-

M J Camp

J M Flexen (resigned 4 January 2000)

S J Dye (appointed 4 January 2000)

None of the directors have any interest in the share capital of the Company.

The share interests of Mr M J Camp and Mr S J Dye in the ultimate parent undertaking are described in the accounts of Booker Belmont Wholesale Limited.

AUDITORS

The Company has passed a special resolution under section 250 of the Companies Act and is therefore exempt from the provisions of Part VII of the Act relating to the audit of accounts.

The report was approved by the Board on 22 September 2000

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STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

For the 52 weeks ended 25 March 2000

The directors are required by the Companies Act 1985 to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and the profit or loss for that year. 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;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- 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 have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 25 MARCH 2000

	Note	2000 £	1999 £
FIXED ASSETS Investment in subsidiary	2	- -	-
CURRENT ASSETS Amounts due from group companies		4,609,418	4,609,418
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NET CURRENT ASSETS		1,164,418	1,164,418
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital Profit and loss account	3	100,000 1,064,418	100,000 1,064,418
Shareholders' funds		1,164,418	1,164,418

The company was dormant throughout the financial period.

Approved by the Board of Directors on 22 September 2000

M J CAMP - DIRECTOR

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the 52 weeks ended 25 March 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND BASIS OF PREPARATION

The company changed its accounting reference date to 31 March last year. Consequently, these financial statements are for a period of 52 weeks ended 25 March 2000, with comparative figures for the 65 weeks ended 27 March 1999. The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

2. INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARY

The investment in the subsidiary company Booker Wholesale Foods Limited was as follows:-

	2000	1999
	£	£
Shares at cost less amounts written off	46,724	46,724
Balance due to subsidiary	46,724	46,724
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The subsidiary undertaking is wholly owned and registered in England.

The Company being a wholly owned subsidiary of another company incorporated in the United Kingdom, is not required to prepare Group Financial Statements.

In the opinion of the directors, the value of shares in the subsidiary at 25th March 2000 is not less than the amount shown in the Balance Sheet.

3. SHARE CAPITAL

	2000 £	1999 £
Authorised: 100,000 ordinary shares of £1	100,000	100,000
Allotted and fully paid: 100,000 ordinary shares of £1	100,000	100,000

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4. ULTIMATE PARENT UNDERTAKING

At 25 March 2000, the ultimate parent undertaking was Booker Plc, a company registered in England and Wales. Booker Plc was the parent undertaking of the only group, of which the company was a member, to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the group financial statements for the 52 weeks ended 25 March 2000 are available from Equity House, Irthlingborough Road, Wellingborough, Northants, NN8 1LT.

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