ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2000



REGISTERED NUMBER: 871107

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO GREENSLEEVES RECORDS LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 5, together with the full statutory accounts of the company for the year ended 30th September 2000, prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

BASIS OF OPINION

We have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the full statutory accounts that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report does not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full statutory accounts.

OPINION

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

St Peter's House Cattle Market Street NORWICH NR1 3DY

25th July 2001

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Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AT 30TH SEPTEMBER 2000

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EIVED ACCETS	Note	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS Investments	2		137		70
Tangible assets	2		33,415		30,544
			33,552		30,614
CURRENT ASSETS Stocks	3	363,407		404,873	
Debtors	5	1,099,772		877,934	
Cash at bank and in hand		181,682		220,754	
		1,644,861		1,503,561	
CREDITORS	4	1 050 000		010 702	
Amounts falling due within one year	4	1,079,982		918,723	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			564,879		584,838
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
<u>LIABILITIES</u>			598,431		615,452
CADITAL AND DESCRIPTION					
CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called up share capital	5		17,250		17,250
Profit and loss account	J		581,181		598,202
			598,431		615,452

The abbreviated accounts are prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

Signed on behalf of the board of directors

C J SEDGWICK

B M SEDGWICK

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 2000). There have been no changes during the year in the accounting policies which, where material, are disclosed under the appropriate headings in the following notes.

2. **FIXED ASSETS**

<u>Tangible</u>		
<u>Investments</u>	<u>assets</u>	<u>Total</u>
£	£	£
70	168,185	168,255
67	14,196	14,263
137	182,381	182,518
-	137,641	137,641
-	11,325	11,325
-	148,966	148,966
137	33,415	33,552
70	30,544	30,614
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Tangible fixed assets are depreciated over their anticipated useful lives at the following annual rates:

Leasehold land and buildings

20% straight line

Fixtures, fittings and equipment

10%, 15% and 33.33% straight line

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2000

2. **FIXED ASSETS (CONTINUED)**

INVESTMENTS

The company has two subsidiaries.

Greensleeves Publishing Limited was dormant throughout the year and had reserves of £70 at 30th September 2000.

Greensleeves Records (USA) Limited was incorporated on 4th May 2000 in New York, USA in order to handle the company's sales and promotion activities in America. The first accounts for Greensleeves Records (USA) Limited have been prepared for the period ended 31st December 2000.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption provided by section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts and accordingly these accounts present information about the company as a single undertaking.

3. STOCKS

Stocks, which consist of goods held for resale, are valued at the lower of cost or net realisable value.

4. <u>CREDITORS</u>

Creditors include amounts due to the directors in respect of unsecured interest free loans repayable as follows:

	•	2000 £	<u>1999</u> £
	Within one year	22,497	2,898
5.	SHARE CAPITAL Ordinary shares of £1 each:	£	£
	Authorised	20,000	20,000
	Issued and fully paid	17,250	17,250

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2000

6. TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS

The company leases premises from C J Sedgwick and C H Cracknell and during the year made payments of £80,000 to them in respect of rent.

7. TURNOVER

Turnover represents the invoiced value of sales to third parties, together with royalties and publishing income received, excluding Value Added Tax.

8. **PENSIONS**

The company operates defined contribution schemes on behalf of one director and certain employees. The assets of the schemes are held separately from those of the company in independently administered funds. Contributions paid are charged to the profit and loss account for the year in which they are payable to the schemes.

9. LEASES

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged to the profit and loss account as incurred.

10. FOREIGN CURRENCIES

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are converted into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating (loss)/profit.