COMPANY NO. 889181

A F HOLMES (EATON BRAY) LIMITED

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

<u>AND</u>

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF A F HOLMES (EATON BRAY) LIMITED

The Director presents his report and the unaudited statement of accounts for the year ended 31 March 2003

RESULTS AND DIVIDEND

The results for the year are set out in the Profit and Loss Account on page 3, summarised as follows

Profit for the year £7760 (2001 - Profit - £9064)

Retained profits to 31 March 2003 carried forward £42191 (2002 - £34431)

The Director does not recommend the payment of any dividend for the year ended 31 March 2003.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND REVIEW OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENTS

The principal activity of the company throughout the year continued to be livestock farming, and beef production will continue in the coming year.

A part of the company's milk quota was sold during the year, and the balance will be disposed of before 31 March 2004. As there was no initial cost, the whole of the proceeds have been included in the Profit and Loss Account.

DIRECTOR AND DIRECTOR'S INTERESTS

The sole Director of the company throughout the year was Mr S Holmes, who held 5010 Ordinary shares in the company throughout the year.

SMALL COMPANY EXEMPTIONS

The company is entitled to the exemptions available under Sections 246 to 249 of the Companies Act 1985. As set out on page 4, the company is exempt from audit, and from the requirement to include a cashflow statement in the accounts..

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Registered Office:

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Company No. 889181

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2 September 2003

ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT TO THE DIRECTOR ON THE UNAUDITED ACCOUNTS

In accordance with the instructions given to me, I have prepared, without carrying out an audit, the accounts of A F Holmes (Eaton Bray) Limited for the year ended 31 March 2003 as set out on pages 3 to 7, from the accounting records of the company and from the information and explanations given to me

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

	NOTE	<u>2003</u> €.	<u>2002</u> €
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Turnover	2	30292	23461
Cost of sales		(7865)	(9673)
Gross profit		22427	13788
Administrative expenses		(27876)	(23069)
Other operating income		1696	1139
Net operating income / (expenditure)	3	(3753)	(8142)
Other interest and dividends received	4	412	367
Other income	4	11103	17250
Profit / (loss) on ordinary activities before taxation		7762	9475
Tax on profit on ordinary activities (2002)	5	(2)	(411)
RETAINED PROFIT / (LOSS) FOR THE YEAR		7760	9064 =====
STATEMENT OF RETAINED PROFITS			
Balance at beginning of year		34431	25367
Retained profit / (loss)		7760	9064
Balance at end of year		42191	34431 =====

The notes on pages 5 to 7 form part of these accounts

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2003

FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets 6 26925 Intangible assets 7 5776	£ 27180 6498 33678
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CURRENT ASSETS	
Stocks 12367 10347	
Debtors 8 4529 3180	
Cash at bank 7268 2004	
24164 15531	
CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Amounts falling due within one year 9 (8674) (8778)	
NET CURRENT ASSETS 15490	6753
NET ASSETS 48191	40431
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CAPITAL AND RESERVES	
Called up share capital 10 6000	6000
Profit and loss account 42191	34431
48191	40431

STATEMENT BY THE DIRECTOR

- a) For the year ended 31 March 2003, the company was entitled to exemption from audit under Section 249A (1) Companies Act 1985
- b) No notice has been deposited under Section 249B (2) Companies Act 1985
- c) The Director acknowledges his responsibility to ensure that the company keeps proper accounting records which comply with Section 221 Companies Act 1985, and to prepare accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at the end of the financial year, and of the profit or loss for the year then ended, in accordance with the requirements of the Act so far as applicable to the company.

S HOLMES, Director

2 September 2003

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

- a). The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention.
- b). Depreciation of tangible fixed assets:
 depreciation is provided in respect of fixed assets at the rates shown below:-

Vehicles, machinery and equipment Farm buildings

at 25% per annum on the reducing balance basis at 5% per annum on the straight line basis

 Depreciation of intangible fixed assets: depreciation is provided in respect of the suckler cow premium quota at the rate of 10% per annum on the straight line basis

d). Stocks

Stocks are valued by the Director, following the guidelines agreed between the National Farmers Union and the Inland Revenue, as follows

Cattle - at 60% of market value, or cost if lower Hay,straw and silage - at 85% of market value Other stocks - at cost

2. TURNOVER

Turnover comprises the invoice value of goods and services provided by the company, exclusive of value added tax. The whole of the company's turnover and contribution to profit is derived from the one activity of farming.

3. NET OPERATING INCOME is stated after charging the following:-

		<u>2003</u> €	2002 £
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	3751	3216
	Depreciation of intangible fixed assets	7 22	722
	Director's emoluments	7125	5517
4.	OTHER INCOME		
	Bank interest received	-	-
	Other interest and dividends	412	367
	Sale of milk quota	11103	17250
		11515	17617
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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (continued)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

5 TAX ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

Corporation tax for the year - £NIL balance for 2002 - £2 (2002 - £411)

6 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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	Land & N	Machinery	Beef	
	Buildings V	ehicles etc	Herd	TOTAL
	£	£	£	£
COST				
at beginning of year	37048	36142	11601	84791
Additions		3525		3525
Disposals		(2228)		(2228)
to 31 March 2003	37048	37439	11601	86088
	=====	=====	=====	=====
DEPRECIATION				
at beginning of year	26382	31229		57611
Charge for the year	1649	2102		3751
Disposals		(2199)		(2199)
to 31 March 2003	28031	31132		59163
		=====		====
NET BOOK VALUES				
at end of year	9017	6307	11601	26925
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at beginning of year	10666	4913	11601	27180
		=====		====
7 INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS				
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Suckler cow premium quota

Cost to 31 March 2002 and 31 March 2003 7220 Depreciation to 31 March 2002 (722)Depreciation - charge for the year (722)(1444)Book value at end of year 5776

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (continued)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

8 DEBTORS	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>
Trade debtors	3021	1892
VAT repayable	1108	887
Prepayments	400	401
	4529	3180
	=====	====
	£	£
9 CREDITORS		
Trade creditors	654	274
Accruals	985	985
Director's current account	6904	6985
Taxation and Social Security	131	534
	8674	8778
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10 SHARE CAPITAL		
Authorised - £1 Ordinary shares	10000	10000
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Issued and fully paid - £1 Ordinary shares	6000	6000
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