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Report of the Directors and

Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

for

Primary Fluid Power Limited

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Company Information for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

DIRECTORS:

S Merrie

P Merrie

SECRETARY:

J Burke

REGISTERED OFFICE:

Caddick Road

Knowsley Industrial Park

Knowsley Merseyside L34 9HP

REGISTERED NUMBER:

926679 (England and Wales)

AUDITORS:

The Wilson Henry Partnership

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BANKERS:

Barclays Bank plc 4 Water Street

Liverpool L69 2DU

SOLICITORS:

JST Lawyers Colonial Chambers

Temple Street Liverpool L2 5RH

Report of the Directors for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 2005.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of the supply of hydraulic and pneumatic components to the engineering industry.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

The results for the year and financial position of the company are as shown in the annexed financial statements.

DIVIDENDS

No dividends will be distributed for the year ended 31 December 2005.

FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

The directors are of the opinion that the company will continue to grow at a rate consistent with prior years.

DIRECTORS

The directors who held office during the period were as follows:

S Merrie

J W Elemans (resigned 28/02/2005)

P Merrie

S Merrie has an indirect preferential interest in the share capital of the company to the extent that he owns 100% of the share capital of the immediate parent company.

No other directors have any preferential interest in the share capital of the company or in the share capital of the other group companies.

POLITICAL AND CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS

The company made local charitable donations totalling £1,961 (2004 - £3,495) in the year. None of these contributions were to political organisations.

POTENTIAL IMPACT OF THE EURO

In 2003 the board of directors carried out a risk assessment with regards the potential impact of the Euro and how it may affect the trading results of the company. The decision was taken to use a prudent forward rate of exchange when dealing in the Euro so as to hedge against the potential risks associated with fluctuating exchange rates.

AUDITORS

In the financial year under review, KPMG LLP were replaced by The Wilson Henry Partnership as auditors.

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

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 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 for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES - continued

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.

STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 234ZA of the Companies Act 1985) of which the company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

AUDITORS

The auditors, The Wilson Henry Partnership, will be proposed for re-appointment in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

J Burke Secretary

Date: 23/10/06

Report of the Independent Auditors to the Shareholders of Primary Fluid Power Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Primary Fluid Power Limited for the year ended 31 December 2005 on pages five to fifteen. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on pages two and three the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland).

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the Report of the Directors is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed.

We read the Report of the Directors and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) 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, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2005 and of its profit for the year then ended; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

The Wilson Henry Partnership 145 Edge Lane Liverpool Merseyside L7 2PG

Date: 23/10/06

Profit and Loss Account for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

	Notes	31.12.05 £	31.12.04 £
TURNOVER	2	10,097,324	9,645,551
Cost of sales		6,930,340	6,470,032
GROSS PROFIT		3,166,984	3,175,519
Administrative expenses		2,856,527	2,964,909
OPERATING PROFIT	4	310,457	210,610
Cost of reorganisation	5	22,056	
		288,401	210,610
Interest payable and similar charges	6	179,492	150,983
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		108,909	59,627
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	7	<u>-</u>	
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AFTER TAXATION		108,909	59,627

CONTINUING OPERATIONS

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the current year or previous year.

TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the profits for the current year or previous year.

Balance Sheet 31 December 2005

		31.12	05	31.12	.04
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Intangible assets	8		85,856		90,848
Tangible assets	9		824,324		826,944
			910,180		917,792
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks	10	2,875,396		2,799,914	
Debtors	11	2,500,114		1,880,998	
Cash at bank and in hand		199,441		51,818	
		5,574,951		4,732,730	
CREDITORS	40	2 770 021		3,130,794	
Amounts falling due within one year	12	3,770,821		3,130,794	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			1,804,130		1,601,936
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			2,714,310		2,519,728
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due after more than year	one 13		1,360,900		1,275,227
NET ASSETS			1,353,410		1,244,501
					<u></u>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	16		7,800,100		7,800,100
Profit and loss account	17		(6,446,690)		(6,555,599)
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	19		1,353,410		1,244,501
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S Merrie - Director

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards. The accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's financial statements.

Turnover

Turnover represents the amounts, exclusive of value added tax, derived from the provision of goods and services to customers during the period.

Goodwill

Goodwill, being the amount paid in connection with the acquisition of a business in 2003, is being amortised evenly over its estimated useful life of twenty years.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Freehold property - 2% on cost
Plant and machinery - 20% on cost
Office equipment - 20% on cost
Motor vehicles - 25% on cost
Computer equipment - 20% on cost

Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. There is no distinction between raw materials and finished goods as it is deemed that both these stock categories are in a saleable state and as such can be sold as completed stock items. In determining the value of stock, a standard cost price is attached to all items held.

Work in progress is valued by calculating the total costs attributed to a job in terms of materials, labour and a proportion of overheads.

The policy for writing down stock is to consistently apply a fixed monthly rate of amortisation to all items, on a line by line basis.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date.

Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at an agreed forward rate of exchange which is applied consistently for the trading year. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating result and are included within cost of sales.

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets held under hire purchase contracts are included in the net book value of total fixed assets assets. Additional disclosure is provided in the notes to the accounts showing the cost, accumulated depreciation and net book value of those assets held under hire purchase contracts. The obligations relating thereto, excluding finance charges, are included in creditors.

Operating lease rentals are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The assets of the schemes are held separately from those of the company in independently administered funds. The amounts charged against profits represent the contributions payable to the scheme in respect of the accounting period.

Related Party Transactions

As the company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Primary Holdings Limited, advantage has been taken of the exemption contained in FRS 8, Related Party Transactions, and has therefore not disclosed transactions or balances with entities which form part of the group. The consolidated financial statements of Primary Holdings Limited, within which this company is included, can be obtained from the address given in the Ultimate Controlling Party note.

2. TURNOVER

Analysis of turnover by geographical market is as follows:

		31.12.2005 £	31.12.2004 £
	United Kingdom	9,653,324	9,346,551
	Rest of Europe Rest of World	239,000 205,000	161,000 138,000
	- -	10,097,324	9,645,551
3.	STAFF COSTS		
		31.12.05 £	31.12.04 £
	Wages and salaries	2,157,948 7 7,720	2,153,908 76,138
	Social security costs Other pension costs	38,461	35,779
		2,274,129	2,265,825
	The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows	:	÷
	The distinge mental, mental or one project of the p	31.12.05	31.12.04
	Administration	_7	9
	Sales and service	74 8	81 8
	Warehouse		
		89	98

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

4. OPERATING PROFIT

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

	31.12.05	31.12.04
	£	£
Plant leasing charges	5,748	5,337
Other operating leases	24,000	34,850
Depreciation - owned assets	58,081	85,176
Depreciation - assets on hire purchase contracts	36,964	23,068
Profit on disposal of fixed assets	(4,363)	~
Goodwill amortisation	4,992	4,992
Auditors' remuneration	8,600	14,600
Auditors' remuneration for non audit work	3,500	•
Vehicle contract hire under operating leases	93,857	99,555
Property rental payable under operating lease	24,000	19,850
Hire of office equipment	4,527	4,985
	118 11	
Directors' emoluments	119,214	72,368
The number of directors to whom retirement benefits were accruing was a	s follows:	
Money purchase schemes	1	1
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5. **EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS**

With reference to FRS 3, Reporting financial performance, it was deemed that the management buy-out and corresponding expenditure borne by the company in the year should be classed as an exceptional item due to the fact the transaction possesses a high degree of abnormality, falls outside the ordinary activities of the reporting entity and is an event that is not expected to recur.

6. INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES

	31.12.2005 £	31.12.2004 £
Amounts payable to group undertakings Amounts payable on bank loans and overdrafts Amounts payable on hire purchase contracts	45,874 124,726 8,892	100,949 44,433 5,601
	179,492	150,983

7. TAXATION

Analysis of the tax charge

No liability to UK corporation tax arose on ordinary activities for the year ended 31 December 2005 nor for the year ended 31 December 2004.

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

8.	INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			Goodwill £
	COST At 1 January 2005 and 31 December 2005			100,000
	AMORTISATION At 1 January 2005 Amortisation for year			9,152 4,992
	At 31 December 2005			14,144
	NET BOOK VALUE At 31 December 2005			85,856
	At 31 December 2004			90,848
9.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Freehold property £	Plant and machinery	Office equipment £
	COST At 1 January 2005 Additions	683,204 26,990	459,373 30,415	627,098
	At 31 December 2005	710,194	489,788	627,098
	DEPRECIATION At 1 January 2005 Charge for year	51,477 13,925	394,023 24,014	626,166 924
	At 31 December 2005	65,402	418,037	627,090
	NET BOOK VALUE At 31 December 2005	644,792	71,751	8
	At 31 December 2004	631,727	65,350	932

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

9. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

	Motor vehicles £	Computer equipment £	Totals £
COST At 1 January 2005 Additions Disposals	273,583 10,428 (18,038)	559,397 30,228	2,602,655 98,061 (18,038)
At 31 December 2005	265,973	589,625	2,682,678
DEPRECIATION At 1 January 2005 Charge for year Eliminated on disposal	157,183 41,636 (12,401)	546,861 14,546 -	1,775,710 95,045 (12,401)
At 31 December 2005	186,418	561,407	1,858,354
NET BOOK VALUE At 31 December 2005	79,555	28,218	824,324
At 31 December 2004	116,400	12,536	826,945

Fixed assets, included in the above, which are held under hire purchase contracts are as follows:

	otor icles
Additions 10	,898 ,428 ,038)
At 31 December 2005 133	,288
Charge for year 36	,622 ,964 ,401)
At 31 December 2005 61	,185
NET BOOK VALUE At 31 December 2005	,103
At 31 December 2004 104	,276

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

10.	STOCKS		
,		31.12.05	31.12.04
		£ 2,848,047	£ 2,796,866
	Stocks	27,349	3,048
	Work-in-progress	21,549	
		2,875,396	2,799,914
			
11,	DEBTORS	04.40.05	24 42 24
		31.12.05 £	31.12.04 £
	to the state of the same veget	L	L
	Amounts falling due within one year: Trade debtors	1,955,386	1,831,935
	Amounts owed by group undertakings	-	13,000
	Prepayments	18,620	36,063
		1,974,006	1,880,998
	Amounts falling due after more than one year:		
	Amounts owed by group undertakings	526,108	-
			
	Aggregate amounts	2,500,114	1,880,998
	, 199, 09 2.10 5.110 5.110		
12.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
14.	CICEDITORIO ANICONTO INCLESSO DO COMO DE COMO	31.12.05	31.12.04
		£	£
	Bank loans and overdrafts (see note 14)	320,000	14,055
	Hire purchase contracts (see note 15)	34,039	32,350 1,032,364
	Trade creditors	1,044,908	1,676,740
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	177,833	190,025
	Social security and other taxes	1,799,106	-
	Other creditors Accrued expenses	394,935	185,260
	Accided expenses		
		3,770,821	3,130,794
13.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE		
	YEAR	31.12.05	31.12.04
		£	£
	Bank loans (see note 14)	447,280	459,227
	Hire purchase contracts (see note 15)	38,619	66,000
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	875,001 	750,000
	•	1,360,900	1,275,227

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

14. LOANS

An analysis of the maturity of loans is given below:

	31.12.05 £	31.12.04 £
Amounts falling due within one year or on demand: Bank overdrafts Bank loans	305,053 14,947	14,055
	320,000	14,055
Amounts falling due between one and two years: Bank loans - 1-2 years Bank loans - 2-5 years Bank loans - greater than 5 years	17,644 68,332 361,304	14,947 72,632 371,648
	447,280	459,227

Interest is charged at a rate of 2.5% over Barclay's base rate on the borrowings.

The bank loan is secured on the freehold property of the company.

15. OBLIGATIONS UNDER HIRE PURCHASE CONTRACTS AND LEASES

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	31.12.05 £	31.12.04 £
Net obligations repayable: Within one year Between one and five years	34,039 38,619	32,350 66,000
	72,658	98,350

The following operating lease payments are committed to be paid within one year:

	Land and buildings		Other operating leases	
	31.12.05 £	31.12.04 £	31.12.05 £	31.12.04 £
Expiring: Within one year Between one and five years In more than five years	32,517 11,000	- - 15,000	16,133 32,352	23,000 69,000
·	43,517	15,000	48,485	92,000

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

16. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

	Authorised: Number: 7,850,000	Class: Ordinary shares	Nominal 31.12.05 value: £ £1 7,850,000	31.12.04 £ 7,850,000
	Allotted, issued Number: 7,800,100	d and fully paid: Class: Ordinary shares	Nominal 31.12.05 value: £ £1 7,800,100	31.12.04 £ 7,800,100
17.	RESERVES			Profit and loss account £
	At 1 January 2 Profit for the y			(6,555,599) 108,909
	At 31 Decemb	er 2005		(6,446,690)

18. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

By virtue of the fact the company is a wholly owned subsidiary included in the consolidated financial statements of a UK group, the company is exempt under Financial Reporting Statement 8, Related Party Transactions, from disclosing transactions or balances with entities which are part of the group that qualifies as related parties.

The company's immediate parent undertaking is Primary Holdings Limited, a company where S Merrie is sole director and shareholder.

Copies of the financial statements can be obtained through written request to the directors at:

Primary Holdings Limited c/o Primary Fluid Power Limited Caddick Road Knowsley Business Park Knowsley Merseyside L34 9HP

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

19. RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

Profit for the financial year	31,12.05 £ 108,909	31.12.04 £ 59,627
Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	108,909 1,244,501	59,627 1,184,874
Closing shareholders' funds	1,353,410	1,244,501
Equity interests	1,353,410	1,244,501

Trading and Profit and Loss Account for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

	31.12.05		31.12.04	
	£ 31.12	.00 £	£	£
•		10,097,324		9,645,551
Sales		10,037,024		0,040,001
Cost of sales	2 706 966		2,975,828	
Opening stock	2,796,866 3,048		17,431	
Opening work in progress	6,296,647		5,641,951	
Purchases	(112,275)		(101,063)	
Exchange rate (gains)/losses	91,433		95,673	
Consumables and subsistence	639,240		542,096	
Wages	60,992		69,618	
Social security Pensions	29,785		28,412	
rensions				
	9,805,736		9,269,946	
Closing stock	(2,848,047)		(2,796,866)	
Closing work in progress	(27,349)	0.000.040	(3,048)	6,470,032
		6,930,340	-	0,470,032
GROSS PROFIT		3,166,984		3,175,519
(31.36% 2004 : 32.92%)				
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Expenditure Hire of plant and machinery	5,748		5,337	
Rent	24,000		34,850	
Rates and water	32,804		31,827	
Insurance	56,197		60,823	
Light and heat	21,620	-	13,592	
Repairs to property	55,235		74,442	
Debt collection	32,245		34,288	
Directors' salaries	113,406		72,368	
Directors' social security	16,728		6,520	
Directors' pension contributions	8,676		7,367	
Employee Costs	1,405,302		1,539,444	
Carriage	124,723		152,217	
Telephone	62,151		62,932 30,242	
Post and stationery	27,270		11,377	
Training	14,679 137,599		139,052	
Motor expenses	18,680		42,567	
Management Charges	135,640		116,373	
Travel expenses	139,630		105,336	
Repairs and renewals Staff welfare	18,536		23,118	
Subscriptions	1,500		1,046	
Commission paid	119,648		125,183	
Legal & professional fees	24,416		30,934	
Auditors remuneration under accrual	8,700		-	
Auditors' remuneration	8,600		14,600	
Auditors' remuneration for non audit work	3,500			
Advertising	26,694		14,433	
Entertaining	52,346		31,673	
Carried forward	2,696,273	3,166,984	2,781,941	3,175,519

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Trading and Profit and Loss Account for the Year Ended 31 December 2005

	31.12.05		31.12.04	
Brought forward Bad debts Donations	£ 2,696,273 48,846 1,961	£ 3,166,984 2,747,080	£ 2,781,941 50,000 3,495	£ 3,175,519 2,835,436
		419,904		340,083
Finance costs Bank charges Interest paid Interest received	13,773 184,667 (5,175)	193,265	16,237 153,348 (2,365)	167,220
		226,639		172,863
Depreciation Goodwill Improvements to property Plant and machinery Motor vehicles Computer equipment	4,992 13,925 24,938 41,636 14,546	100,037	4,992 13,668 27,162 27,742 39,672	113,236 59,627
Profit on disposal of fixed assets Motor vehicles		4,363		59,627
Exceptional items Cost of reorganisation		22,056		
NET PROFIT		108,909	~	59,627