SOTUTA LIMITED ABBREVIATED STATUTORY ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1997

COMPANY NUMBER 0936576 (England and Wales)

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ABBREVIATED STATUTORY ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1997

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AUDITORS' REPORT TO SOTUTA LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 3 to 5, together with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31st March 1997 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 financial statements, 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 did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the financial statements.

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 3 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

Waight & Co.

Chartered Accountants and

Registered Auditors

Broadwater House,

6 London Road,

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8/1/ 1998

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1997

			1997	199	96
	NOTE	£	£	£	 £
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	2		975613		977984
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		19573		20095	
Debtors	3	589202		20085 351456	
Cash at bank & in hand	3				
Cash at bank & In hand		<u>23000</u> 631775		<u>23117</u> 394658	
CREDITORS: Amounts		031/73		394038	
falling due within one year	4	<u>558331</u>		<u>438207</u>	
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NET CURRENT ASSETS/					
(LIABILITIES)			<u>73444</u>		(43549)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS					
CURRENT LIABILITIES			1049057		934435
			1047037		234433
PROVISIONS FOR					
LIABILITIES AND					
CHARGES					
Deferred taxation			19430		19430
NET ASSETS			£ 1029627		£ 915005
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CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
	-				
Called up share capital	5		200		200
Profit and Loss Account			1029427		914805
SHAREHOLDERS FUNDS			£ 1029627		£ 915005
Represented by: Equity intere	sts				

The financial statements which have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies were approved by the board on 16th September 1997 and signed on its behalf.

N.C. GOS

Director

The notes on pages 4 & 5 form part of these financial statements.

SOTUTA LIMITED NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1997

ACCOUNTING POLICIES 1.

BASIS OF PREPARATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 1.1

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention, and include the results of the company's operations which are described in the Directors' Report and all of which are continuing.

1.2 TURNOVER

Turnover comprises the invoiced value of goods and services supplied by the company net of value added tax.

TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION 1.3

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets, other than freehold land, at rates calculated to write off the cost of each asset over its expected useful life as follows:-

Freehold property

Not provided

Motor Vehicles

25% reducing balance basis

Fixtures and Fittings & Equipment 10% reducing balance basis

STOCKS 1.4

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

DEFERRED TAXATION 1.5

Provision is made for taxation deferred as a result of material timing differences between the incidence of income and expenditure for taxation and accounts purposes, using the liability method, only to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is a reasonable probability that a liability or asset will crystallise in the near future.

CASH FLOW STATEMENT 1.6

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No.1 from producing a cashflow statement on the grounds that it is a small company.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1997 (Continued)

2.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS		Total
	COST At 1 st April 1996 Additions Disposals At 31 st March 1997		1597442 68721 () 1666163
	DEPRECIATION At 1 st April 1996 Charge for the year Disposals At 31 st March 1997		619458 71092 () 690550
	NET BOOK VALUE At 31st March 1997 At 31st March 1996		£ 975613 £ 977984
	At 31 March 1990		# 2 <u>11/29</u> 3
3.	DEBTORS: All debtors are due within one year.		
4.	CREDITORS: All creditors are due within one year	1997	<u>1996</u>
	Secured Creditor	£ <u>57445</u>	£ 23575
5.	SHARE CAPITAL	<u>1997</u>	<u>1996</u>
	Authorised Ordinary shares of £1 each Deferred shares of £1 each	100 <u>100</u> £200	100 <u>100</u> £200
	Allotted issued and fully paid Ordinary shares of £1 each Deferred shares of £1 each	100 <u>100</u> £200	100 <u>100</u> £200

6. HOLDING COMPANY

The ultimate holding company is Evengain Limited, a company registered in England.