ALAN BAILEY (STUDIOS) LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1999

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COMPANY INFORMATION

DIRECTORS

T A Bailey

M M Munoz

V Y Robertson (resigned 20.1.99) J B Northam (appointed 20.1.99)

SECRETARY

M M Munoz

COMPANY NUMBER

1006870 (ENGLAND & WALES)

ALAN BAILEY (STUDIOS) LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1999

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 1999.

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

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.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY AND REVIEW OF BUSINESS

The principal activity is that of marketing, public relations and communications management consultants. Sales have risen during the year and the operating loss has been significantly reduced.

RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The loss for the year amounted to £50,571. The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

Over reliance on the property sector has been tempered by greater diversification and the diversification policy will continue. There are indications of increasing interest in the marketing, public relations and other services provided by the company and this will be exploited as far as possible to the company's benefit.

DIRECTORS

The directors who served during the year and their beneficial interests, in the company's issued ordinary share capital were:-

At beginning and end of year Number of shares

T A Bailey M M Munoz V Y Robertson (Resigned 20.1.99 J B Northam (appointed 20.1.99)

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AUDITORS

In the light of the provisions of Section 249A of the Companies Act 1985, the Board no longer seek audit and the appointed have resigned.

This report was approved by the board on 27 January 2000 and signed on its behalf.

DIRECTOR

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1999

	Note	1999	1998
		£	£
TURNOVER	1	161,375	130,342
Cost of sales, administration and other overheads		168,669	181,089
GROSS PROFIT		(7,294)	(50,747)
Bank interest received		101	176
LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	2	(7,193)	(50,571)
Taxation credit	5	3,074	-
(LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES AFTER TAXATION		(4,119)	(50,571)
Balance at 1 April 1998		43,688	94,259
Balance at 31 March 1999		£39,569	£ 43,688

There were no recognised gains and losses for 1999 or 1998 other than those included in the profit and loss account.

The notes on pages 4 to 7 form part of these financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 1999

	Note	1999		1998	
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible fixed assets	5		1,833		5,887
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors and prepayments	6	47,371		45,912	
Cash at bank		7,719		11,132	
CREDITORS: Amount falling due within		55,090		57,044	
one year	7	13,354		15,243	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			41,736		41,801
NET ASSETS			£43,569		£47,688
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	8		4,000		4,000
Profit and loss account			39,569		43,688
SHAREHOLDERS'FUNDS	6		£43,569		£47,688

The directors consider that they are entitled to the exemption from the requirement to have an audit under the provisions of Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985. Shareholders holding more than 10% or more of the nominal value of the company's issued share capital have not issued a notice requiring an audit. The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, and for preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at 31 March 1999 and of its profit for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to the financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements were approved by the board on 27 January 2000 and signed on its behalf.

DIRECTOR

The notes on pages 4 to 6 form part of these financial statements.

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1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and include the results of the company's operations which are described in the Directors' Report and which are still continuing.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No. 1 from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a small company.

1.2 Turnover

Turnover represents the invoiced value of services provided, stated net of Value Added Tax.

1.3 Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost of fixed assets over their useful economic lives at the following rates:-

Leasehold property Fixtures and fittings Computer equipment Over the lease term 20% straight line 33 1/3 % straight line

2 (LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION

1999 1998

(Loss) on ordinary activities before taxation is stated after charging:

Auditors'	remuneration
Depreciat	ion

£ - £1,400 £5,393 £5,445

3. STAFF COSTS

The average weekly number of persons (including directors) employed by the company during the year was

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Staff costs (for the above persons) Wages and salaries

Other pensions and staff costs
Social security

65,921 82,906 6,910 7,635 6,694 8,222

79,525 98,763

4.	DIRECTORS' REMUNERA	ATION			1999	1998
	Fees Other emoluments (including benefits in kind)				63,353 5,408	78,990 2,679
					68,761	81,669
5.	TAXATION					
	U K current year taxation U K Corporation Tax @ 21% (1998 – 23%)					<u>.</u>
6.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSET	S				
	COST	Property	Computer Equipment	Furniture & Equipment		Total
	COST At 1 April 1998 Additions	751	14,194 1,339	86,528 -		101,473 1,339
	At 31 March 1999	751	15,533	86,528		102,812
	DEPRECIATION At 1 April 1998 Charge for the year	710 40	8,648 5,177	86,228 176		95,586 5,393
	At 31 March 1999	750	13,825	86,404		100,979
	Balance Sheet at 31 March 1999	£41	£ 5,546	£ 300		£ 5,887
	Balance Sheet at 31 March 1998	£ 1	£ 1,708	£ 124		£ 1,833
						
7.	DEBTORS			1999	n	1998
	Due within one year Trade debtors			37,67 9,69	7 8	40,326 5,586
				47,37	<u> </u>	45,912

Included in trade debtors is an amount of £ 2,360 due by Merchant International Trading and Consulting Group Limited, a company in which T A Bailey has an interest.

8. CREDITORS

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Due within one year:	1999	1998
Trade creditors	3,411	2,072
Other creditors and accruals	3,687	4,577
Other taxation and social security	7,595	7,255
	£ 13,354	£ 15,243
CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL	== -	
Authorised		
Ordinary shares of £1 each	£ 4,000	£ 4,000

Issued and fully paid

Ordinary shares of £1 each £ 4,000 £ 4,000

10. COMMITTMENTS UNDER OPERATING LEASES

At 31 march 1999 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES	1999	1998
Contracted for but not provided for in the accounts.		
Expiring between 2 and 5 years (inclusive)	£15,856	£15,856

11. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

During the year the company received £2,179 from Alastor Limited, a company in which T A Bailey has an interest.

The company also received £12,000 from Merchant International Trading and Consulting Group Limited, a company in which T A Bailey has an interest.

12. MOVEMENT ON SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

(Loss) for the year	(4,119)
Opening shareholders' funds	43,688
	

Closing shareholders' funds £ 39,569