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MAJOR'S PLACE SERVICES LIMITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 1995



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COMPANY INFORMATION

DIRECTORS

J. Lambie

I.M. Lambie

D. Lambie

SECRETARY

I.M. Lambie

BANKERS

Royal Bank of Scotland plc

36 St. Andrew Square Edinburgh EH2 2YB

AUDITORS

Ashdens

106-114 Borough High Street

London SE1 1LB

REGISTERED OFFICE:

106-114 Borough High Street

London SE1 1LB

REGISTERED NUMBER

1028469

DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31st January 1995.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company is the supply of managerial services.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

The directors consider that the results for the year and the state of the company's affairs at the balance sheet date were satisfactory.

DIVIDEND

The directors recommend the payment of a dividend of £15,500.

DIRECTORS

The directors who held office throughout the year and their shareholdings were:-

	1995	1994
J. Lambie	38	38
I.M. Lambie	.38	38
D. Lambie	12	12

AUDITORS

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

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors

I Lambie

I M LAMBIE Secretary

Approved by the Board 30 May 1995

STATEMENT OF 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:

- (a) select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- (b) make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- (c) prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

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.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF

MAJOR'S PLACE SERVICES LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 12 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 9.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 3 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards 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 mis-statement, 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 of the state of the company's affairs at 31st January 1995 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1985.

ASHDENS Registered Auditor and Chartered Accountants

31 Castle Road Camberley SURREY GU15 2DS

30 May 1995

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 1995

	Note	1995	1994	
		£	£	
TURNOVER	1	100,631	101,838	
Administrative expenses		211,391	146,113	
Operating Loss	2	(110,760)	(44,275)	
Investment income	4	117,293	93,799	
PROFIT on ordinary activities before interest		6,533	49,524	
Interest receivable		6,312	9,169	
Profit on ordinary activities after interest		12,845	58,693	
TAXATION	5	(2,843)	552	
PROFIT on ordinary activities after taxation		15,688	58,141	
DIVIDENDS				
Proposed		15,500	58,000	
		188	141	
RETAINED PROFIT at 1 February 1994		137,466	137,325	
RETAINED PROFIT at 31 January 1995		137,654	137,466	

All of the company's and group's operations are classed as continuing. There are no recognised gains or losses during the year except for the profit for the year.

BALANCE SHEET AT 31ST JANUARY 1995

	Note	199: £	5 . £	199 £	4 ₤	
FIXED ASSETS						
Tangible asset Investments	6 7		13,880 31,330		20,820 70,002	
CURRENT ASSETS			45,210		90,822	
Debtors Cash at bank	8	92,633 79,215		110,693 57,712		
		171,848		168,405		
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	9	54,765		96,350		
NET CURRENT ASSETS			117,083		72,055	
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			162,293		162,877	
CREDITORS: amounts falling due after more than one year			_		772	
			162,293		162,105	
CAPITAL AND RESERVES						
Share capital Capital reserve Retained profits	10		100 24,539 137,654		100 24,539 137,466	
			162,293		162,105	

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors

J LAMBIE Director

Approved by the Board 30 May, 1995

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 1995

INCORPORATING THE SHARE OF THE RESULT OF THE ASSOCIATED COMPANY

	Note	19	95	19:	94
		£	£	£	£
TURNOVER	1		100,631		101,838
Administrative expenses			211,391		146,113
OPERATING LOSS			(110,760)		(44,275)
Investment income	4		56,994		33,500
Loss on ordinary activities before interest			(53,766)		(10,775)
Interest receivable			6,312		9,169
Share of profit of associated company			201,740		218,733
PROFIT on ordinary activities before taxation			154,286		217,127
TAXATION Company Share of associated company	5	(2,843) 59,680	1	552 64,238	
			56,837		64,790
PROFIT on ordinary activities after taxation			97,449		152,337
RETAINED PROFIT at 1 February 1994 Company Share of associated company		137,466 1,191,802		137,325 1,097,606	
			1,329,268		1,234,931
			1,426,717	·	1,387,268
Dividends proposed Company			15,500		58,000
RETAINED PROFIT at 31 January 1995			1,411,217		1,329,268
Company Share of associated company		137,654 1,273,563		137,466 1,191,802	
			1,411,217		1,329,268

All of the company's and group's operations are classed as continuing.

There are no recognised gains or losses during the year except for the profit for the year.

BALANCE SHEET AT 31ST JANUARY 1995 INCORPORATING THE SHARE OF THE ASSOCIATED COMPANY

1	Note	199	1995 1994		4	
		£	£	£	£	
FIXED ASSETS	,		12.000		20.020	
Tangible asset Investments	6 7		13,880 5,091		20,820 43,763	
III OSIMOMO	,				45,705	
			18,971		64,583	
Share of assets of associated company			1,477,685		1,397,747	
			1,496,656		1,462,330	
CURRENT ASSETS			•			
Debtors	8	92,633		110,693		
Cash at bank		79,215		57,712		
		171,848		168,405		
CREDITORS: amounts falling						
due within one year	9	54,765		96,350		
NET CURRENT ASSETS			117,083		72,055	
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIE CREDITORS: amounts falling	ES		1,613,739		1,534,385	
due after more than one year					772	
			1,613,739		1,533,613	
CAPITAL AND RESERVES						
Paid up share capital	10		100		100	
Capital Reserves						
Company		24,539		24,539		
Associated company		177,883		179,706		
			202,422		204,245	
Retained profits			•		,	
Company		137,654		137,466		
Associated company		1,273,563		1,191,802		
			1,411,217		1,329,268	
			1,613,739		1,533,613	
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Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors

J LAMBIE
Director

Approved by the Board 30 May, 1995

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31st January 1995

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Turnover

Turnover represents the net amount invoiced to customers.

Tangible Fixed Asset

Depreciation is provided at 20% on cost of the tangible asset.

Fixed Asset Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value. For listed investments market value is based on the closing middle market price on a recognised Stock Exchange.

Leasing and Hire Purchase Commitments

Assets financed by leasing agreements ("finance leases") are capitalised in the balance sheet and are depreciated over the shorter of the lease term or their useful lives. The present value of future rentals is shown as a liability.

The interest element of the rental obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the lease and represents a constant proportion of the balance of capital repayments outstanding.

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the lease term.

Pensions

The company operates a pension scheme for the benefit of certain of its employees. The cost of pension contributions is charged against revenue in order to recognised the expected cost of providing pensions on a systematic and rational basis over the employees expected working lives with the company.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31st January 1995 (continued)

OPERATING LOSS This is stated after charging:— Directors emoluments Social security costs Pension costs	1995 £ 75,000 8,197	1994 £ 75,000
This is stated after charging:— Directors emoluments Social security costs	£ 75,000 8,197	£
Directors emoluments Social security costs	£ 75,000 8,197	£
Directors emoluments Social security costs	75,000 8,197	
Directors emoluments Social security costs	8,197	75,000
Social security costs	8,197	75,000
	· •	
Pension costs		7,800
	99,834	35,020
Total staff costs	183,031	117,820
Hire purchase interest	1,788	1,798
•	6,940	6,940
Audit fee	9,025	6,900
DIRECTORS EMOLUMENTS		
Emoluments including pension contributions	174,834	110,020
Details of directors emoluments, excluding pension con	itributions are:-	.
Highest paid director	55,000	55,000
The number of other directors whose emoluments fell v	within the following ran	nges were:-
£0 £5 000	1	1
£15,001 - £20,000	1	1
INVESTMENT INCOME		
Dividends from listed securities	707	000
		980 32,520
		<i>32,32</i> 0
Loss on disposal of unquoted securities	(7,501)	_
	56,994	33,500
Dividend from associated company	60,299	60,299
	Depreciation Audit fee DIRECTORS EMOLUMENTS Emoluments including pension contributions Details of directors emoluments, excluding pension contributions Highest paid director The number of other directors whose emoluments fell via the following pension contributions Emoluments including pension contributions Highest paid director The number of other directors whose emoluments fell via the following pension contributions Emoluments including pension contributions Highest paid director The number of other directors whose emoluments fell via the following pension contributions Emoluments including pension contributions Highest paid director The number of other directors whose emoluments fell via the following pension contributions Emoluments including pension contributions Highest paid director The number of other directors whose emoluments fell via the following pension contributions Emoluments including pension contributions Highest paid director The number of other directors whose emoluments fell via the following pension contributions Emoluments including pension contributions Emolum	Depreciation Audit fee 9,025 DIRECTORS EMOLUMENTS Emoluments including pension contributions 174,834 Details of directors emoluments, excluding pension contributions are:- Highest paid director 55,000 The number of other directors whose emoluments fell within the following rate £0 - £5,000 £15,001 - £20,000 1 INVESTMENT INCOME Dividends from listed securities 787 Profit on redemption of loan note 53,978 Profit on disposal of quoted securities 9,730 Loss on disposal of unquoted securities (7,501) 56,994

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31st January 1995 (continued)

				•		
5.	TAXATION			1995		1994
				£		£
	On profit at 25%			_		350
	Tax deducted from franked inv	estment incon	ne	157		202
	Corporation tax recoverable			(3,000))	_
				(2,843)		552
				-m.,	=	
	Dividend income from the asso and therefore no tax is chargea	_	ny was received	d under a gro	up income	election
6.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	- MOTOR C	ARS			£
	Cost					
	At 1 February 1994 and 31 Jan	nuary 1995				34,700
	Depreciation At 1 February 1994					13,880
	Charge for year					6,940
						<u> </u>
	At 31 January 1995					20,820
	Net Book Values					
	At 31 January 1995					13,880
	At 31 January 1994					20,820
	,					
7.	INVESTMENTS	TOTAL	Associated Company	Listed Securities	Unlisted Securities	Loan Notes
		101111	Company	occurrios	Goodinios	110103
	AT COST	05 001	26.220	26.072	25.000	7.600
	1 February 1994 Disposals	85,001 (53,671)	26,239	26,073 (26,073)	25,000 (25,000)	7,689 (2,598)
	_					
	31 January 1995	31,330	26,239	-	-	5,091

The loan notes, which represent proceeds from the disposal of an interest in an unlisted company during a previous financial year, have a nominal value of £79,070 and are redeemable at par in equal annual instalments. During the year loan notes with a nominal value of £56,577 were redeemed.

The associated company is Major's Place Industries Limited a company registered in Scotland whose issued share capital is 85,910 ordinary shares of £1 each, of which 38,659 are held by Major's Place Services Limited. The market value of the listed securities at 31 January 1995 was £nil (1994: £37,412).

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31st January 1995 (continued)

DEBTORS		1995	1994
		£	£
Trade debtors		17,567	8,136
Advance corporati	ion tax and income tax	4,129	28,708
	associated company	70,937	70,937
Prepayments and	accrued income		2,912
		92,633	110,693
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling d	lue within one year:		
Accruals		34,871	24,839
Taxes (other than			
social security cos		2,887	4,258
Directors current		745	-
Proposed dividend	l	15,500	58,000
Lease purchase		762	9,253
		54,765	96,350
Amounts falling d Lease purchase	lue after one year:	_	772
•			
		54,765	97,122
SHARE CAPITAL	L		
Authorised, issued			
100 Ordinary shar	res of £1	100	10