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FREIGHT AGENCIES MACPAK LIMITED

ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 1986

HALLIDAYS, Chartered Accountants, Harvester House, 37 Peter Street, Manchester M2 5QD



Report of the Directors for the Year ended 30th June 1986

The Directors present their report on the affairs of the company, together with the accounts and report of the auditors for the year ended 30th June 1986.

1. PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY AND BUSINESS REVIEW

The principal activity of the company continues to be that of port agents.

Both the level of business and the year-end financial position were satisfactory, and the Directors expect that the present level of activity will be sustained for the foreseeable future.

2. RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

Results, dividends (paid or proposed) and recommended transfers to reserves are as follows:-

Retained profit at 30th June 1985 Profit for the year after taxation Dividends - final proposed	41,393 13,362 (11,000)
Retained profit at 30th June 1986	£43.755

Retained profit at 30th June 1986

£43,/55

3. DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS

The Directors of the company during the year were:-

John Delaney Mrs.M.M.Risbridger A.W.White (Chairman)

In accordance with the Articles of Association all Directors retire from office, and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

John Delaney and Mrs.M.M.Risbridger are Directors of the parent company Medminster plc, and their interests in the share capital of group companies are disclosed in that company's register of Director's shareholdings. No Director had a beneficial interest in any contract to which the company was a party during the year.

4. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Information relating to changes in tangible fixed assets is given in Note 6 to the accounts.

5. INCOME AND CORPORATION TAXES ACT 1970

The Directors are of the opinion that, at the date of this Report, the Company is not a Close Company within the provisions of the Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1970.

AUDITORS

The Directors will place a resolution before the annual general meeting to re-appoint Hallidays as auditors for the ensuing year.

By Order of the Board

W.Wilkes

135 Lower Richmond Road, LONDON SW15 1EZ 13th October 1986

Secretary

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REPORT OF THE AUDITORS .

TO THE MEMBERS OF

FREIGHT AGENCIES MACPAK LIMITED

We have audited the Financial Statements on pages 3 to 10 in accordance with approved Auditing Standards.

In our opinion, the Financial Statements, which have been prepared under the historical cost convention, give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 30th June 1986 and of its profit and source and application of funds for the year ended on that date and comply with the Companies Act 1985.

Harvester House, 37 Peter Street, Manchester -M2 50D

13th October 1986

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CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

FREIGHT AGENCIES MACPAK LIMITED Profit and Loss Account

for the Year ended 30th June 1986

	<u>Notes</u>	1986	<u>1985</u>
TURNOVER	1d	5,694,707	5,529,364
Cost of Sales		5,475,256	5,329,669
GROSS PROFIT		219,451	199,695
Other Operating Expenses (net)	3	197,475	185,830
OPERATING PROFIT	2	21,976	13,865
Investment Income	4	143	36
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		22,119	13,901
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5a	8,757	4,130
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES AFTER TAXATION		13,362	9,771
DIVIDENDS	13	11,000	7,000
RETAINED PROFIT FOR THE YEAR		2,362	2,771
RETAINED PROFIT at 30th June 1985		41,393	38,622
RETAINED PROFIT at 30th June 1986		£ 43,755	£ 41,393

The accompanying notes form part of these accounts.

Balance Sheet as at 30th June 1936

FIXED ASSETS	<u>Notes</u>	<u>1986</u>	1985
Targible Assets Investments	6 7	13,275 4,364	9,707 4,364
CURRENT ASSETS		£17,639	£14,071
Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	8	663,945 543	857 , 709 45
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	9	664,488	857,754 829,030
NET CURRENT ASSETS		£27,518	£28,724
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES		45,157	42,795
Deferred Taxatica	5b	1,400	1,400
NET ASSETS		£43,757	£41,395
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called-up Share Capital Profit and Loss Account	10	43 , 755	2 41,393
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		£43,757	£41,395

These accounts were approved by the Board on 13th October 1986

The accompanying notes form part of these accounts.

Statement of Source and Application of Funds

for the Year ended 30th June 1986

	<u>1986</u>	1985
SOURCES	-	
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation Adjustments for items not involving the movement of funds:	22,119	13,901
Loss on Sale of Fixed Assets Depreciation	38 3,651	2,905`
Funds generated from ordinary activities	25,808	16,806
Sale Proceeds of Fixed Assets	2,703	-
	£ 28,511	£ 16,806
<u>APPLICATIONS</u>	·	
Taxation paid Dividends paid Purchase of tangible fixed assets Changes in working capital as shown below	3,706 7,000 9,960 7,845 ———— £ 28,511	3,760 28,000 4,878 (19,832) ———— £ 16,806
INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN WORKING CAPITAL	# n # E E E	
Debtors and prepaid expenses Group company balances Creditors and accrued liabilities Movement in net liquid funds - bank balances and cash	(96,187) (97,770) 201,304 498 ——————————————————————————————————	39,025 (1,115) (57,500) (242)
	£ /,040	£(19,832)

The accompanying notes form part of these accounts.

Notes to the Accounts

for the Year ended 30th June 1986

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A summary of the more important company accounting policies is set out below. There have been no changes in policies from those adopted in the 1985 accounts.

(a) Basis of Accounting

The accounts have been drawn up in accordance with the reporting and presentation requirements of the Companies Act 1985 under the historical cost convention.

(b) Fixed Assets

Fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation.

Depreciation is provided to write off the cost of fixed assets over their estimated useful lives using the straight line method at the following annual rates:-

Motor Vehicles and Computer 20% Fixtures & Fittings 10%

(c) Taxation

Corporation tax is provided on taxable profits for the year at rates current during the year. Tax losses surrendered or received by way of group relief are recognised in the accounts at current tax rates.

Deferred Taxation represents the amount required to allow for the effect of income and expenses (primarily depreciation) being attributable for tax purposes to periods different from those in which credits or charges are recorded in the accounts, and is computed using the liability method, whereby such taxation is determined by applying the rate of tax applicable at the balance sheet date to accumulated timing differences.

Deferred taxation, which arises on timing differences between capital allowances and book depreciation, is provided in full because the Directors are unable to conclude on reasonable evidence that there will not be a reversal of these timing differences in the foreseeable future.

(d) <u>Turnover</u>

Turnover represents the net amounts invoiced to customers in respect of freight and commissions.

(e) Leased Assets

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged to the profit and loss acount as incurred.

Notes to the Accounts (Contd.)

for the Year ended 30th June 1986

2. OPERATING PROFIT

The profit on ordinary activities for the year before taxation is stated after charging (crediting):-

•	<u> 1986</u>	<u>1985</u>
Hire of Equipment	9,593	12,000
Auditors' Remuneration	1,600	1,400
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	3,651	2,905
Rent receivable	(4,500)	(4,000)

No Directors' remuneration was paid by the company in 1986 or 1985.

3. OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES (NET)

		<u> 1986</u>	1985
Administrative Distribution o	e expenses costs	199,220 2,755	186,368 3,462
Other operatin	g income	201,975 (4,500)	189,830 (4,000)
4. INVESTMENT INCOME		£197,475	£185,830
attraction income		<u>1986</u>	<u>1985</u>
Income from fi	xed asset investment	£143	£36

5. TAXATION

' (a) The taxation charge is based on the profit for the year and comprises:-

	£ 8,757	£ 4,130
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Over-provision for corporation tax in previous years Tax suffered on Franked Investment Income	(36) 43	(251) 11
allowances	•	670
Corporation Tax at 35% & 40% (1985 - 30%) Deferred taxation relating to capital	8,750	3,700
	<u>1986</u>	<u>1985</u>

b). Deferred taxation, based on full provision, comprises:-

Excess of tax allowances over book		
depreciation of fixed assets	£ 1,400	£1,400
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Notes to the Accounts (Contd.)

for the Year ended 30th June 1986

6. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Net book values representing cost less accumulated depreciation as shown in the balance sheet comprises:-

Cost	Computer, Fixtures and Fittings	Motor <u>Vehicles</u>	<u>Total</u>
At 30th June 1985 Additions Disposals	6,073 1,908 (1,195)	9,599 8,052 (4,677)	15,672 9,960 (5,872)
At 30th June 1986 .	£6,786	£12,974	£19,760
Depreciation At 30th June 1985 Charge Disposals	1,457 1,057 (591)	4,508 2,594 (2,540)	5,965 3,651 (3,131)
At 30th June 1986	£1,923	£4,562	£6,485
Net Book Value at 30th June 1986	£4,863	£8,412	£13,275
Net Book Value at 30th June 1985	£4,616	£5,091	£9,707

7. INVESTMENTS - Other Investments other than loans

This is the cost of an investment quoted on the Unlisted Securities Market, the market value of which was £3,313 at the 30th June 1986. (£3562 - 1985)

8. <u>DEBTORS</u>

The following are included in the net book value of debtors:

Amounts falling due within one year:	1986	1985
Trade debtors Due from fellow subsidiaries V.A.T. Prepayments and accrued income Due from holding company	618,898 1,632 13,364 5,664 24,387	706,292 1,517 25,617 2,011 122,272
	£663,945	£857,709

Notes to the Accounts (Contd.)

for the Year ended 30th June 1986

9. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

The following amounts are included in creditors falling due within one year:-

,	£636 , 970	£829,030
31st March 1987 Proposed Dividend (See Note 13)	8,750 11,000	3,700 7,000
Trade creditors Accruals and deferred income U.K. Corporation tax payable	605,793 11,427	811,735 6,595
Tuesda	1986	<u>1985</u>

10. SHARE CAPITAL

		rised	Isque	d and Paid	Fully
0.41	1986	1985	<u>1986</u>	<u> </u>	<u>1985</u>
Ordinary Shares of £1 Each	£1,000	£1,000	£2		£2

11. AMOUNTS DUE FROM GROUP COMPANIES

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Medminster plc. All companies in the Medminster Group share common banking facilities with Barclays Bank plc. All interest income and expense arising from Group company bank balances and overdrafts is recorded in the books of Medminster plc.

12. STAFF COSTS

Particulars of employees are as shown below:-	<u>1986</u>	<u>1985</u>
Employee costs during the year amounted to:-		
Wag s and salaries Social Security costs	79,878 8,035	75,539 8,034
	£87,913	£83,573

Notes to the Accounts (Contd.)

for the Year ended 30th June 1986

12. STAFF COSTS (Contd...)

	<u>1986</u>	1985
The average weekly number of persons employed by the company during the year was as follows (a part-time employee has been counted as half a		
full-time employee):	<u>No</u>	<u>No</u>
Administration	10	10
13. <u>DIVIDENDS</u>		
i	<u>1986</u>	<u>1985</u>
Proposed final dividend	£11,000	£ 7,000

14. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The company has jointly guaranteed the bank overdraft of its parent company, Medminster plc, which stood at £370,438 as at 30th June 1986.

15. FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS

There were no commitments for capital expenditure not provided for at 30th June 1986 (1985 - Nil).

Future minimum operating lease payments, which were mainly in respect of leases of land and buildings, were as follows:-

Payable within:	<u>1986</u>	<u>1985</u>
One year Two to five years Thereafter	13,500 54,000 5,625	13,500 32,625

	£73,125	£46,125

16. AGENCY AGREEMENT

The company's business is based on an agency agreement with United Baltic Corporation Limited.

17. HOLDING COMPANY

The company's holding company is Medminster PLC, incorporated in Great Britain.