# CLEAR CHANNEL ENTERTAINMENT (THEATRICAL) UK LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

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### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

The company changed its name from Apollo Leisure (UK) Limited to Clear Channel Entertainment (Theatrical) UK Limited on 29th November 2001.

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the company for the year ended 31st December 2000.

### Principal activities and review of business

The principal activities of the company are theatre services (including theatrical show production) and the operation of cinemas, bingo halls and licensed outlets.

During the year under review, the trade, assets and liabilities of the company's subsidiary companies, Apollo Lyceum London Limited, Hutchinson Leisure Group of Companies Limited, Hutchinson Cinemas (Properties) Limited and Hutchinson Cinemas (North Wales) Limited were transferred into the company.

In May 2000 the company acquired the final tranche of shares in CCL Leisure Limited for a total consideration of £2,290,796.

In August 2000, the entire share capital of SFX Entertainment Inc., the company's ultimate parent undertaking, was acquired by Clear Channel Communications Inc., a company registered in the United States of America.

The directors consider the state of the company's affairs to be satisfactory.

### Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out in the profit and loss account on page 5.

Interim dividends amounting to £Nil per share (1999 - £25,000 per share) were paid during the period (total dividend paid £Nil; 1999 - £2,500,000).

The directors recommend that no final dividend be declared (1999 - £Nil).

### Future developments

The company intends to continue trading along established lines.

### Fixed assets

Details of movements in fixed assets are set out in the notes to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the directors, the current value of the company's interests in land and buildings exceeds the book value.

### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

#### Directors and their interests

The directors who served during the year, none of whom had any interest in the issued share capital of the company, were:

L. Mays Appointed 13th September 2000 M. Mays Appointed 13th September 2000 Appointed 13th September 2000 R. Mays Resigned 1st August 2000 T.P. Benson Resigned 1st August 2000 H.J. Tytel M.G. Ferrel Resigned 1st August 2000 Resigned 1st March 2001 P.R. Gregg Resigned 1st March 2001, D.C. Rogers, F.C.A. appointed 6th June 2001 M. Wilkin Appointed 6th June 2001

Messrs L. Mays, M. Mays and R. Mays also serve as directors of the ultimate parent company, Clear Channel Communications Inc., and their beneficial interests (including family interests) in the issued share capital of that company as at 31st December 2000 are shown in its financial statements.

### Events since the end of the year

The company sold one of its cinemas in January 2002 for an amount in excess of its carrying value.

The remaining cinemas and all bingo halls are to be sold during 2002. Negotiations are currently in progress with a company controlled by Mr P.R. Gregg (a former director of this company), to sell all these properties at a value in the region of £23m which is in excess of the book values as at 31st December 2000.

### **Employees**

Applications for employment by disabled persons are always fully considered, bearing in mind the aptitudes of the applicant concerned. In the event of members of staff becoming disabled, every effort is made to ensure that their employment with the group continues and the appropriate training is arranged. It is the policy of the group that the training, career development and promotion of disabled persons should, as far as possible, be identical with that of other employees.

The group places considerable value on the involvement of its employees and continues its practice of keeping them informed on matters affecting them as employees and on the various factors affecting the performance of the group. This is achieved through regular formal and informal meetings.

### Policy for payment of creditors

Whenever possible the company agrees terms of payment with individual suppliers at the point of first placing orders with the supplier. Significant amendments to established terms are discussed with suppliers before the amendments take place. The company always endeavours to abide by agreed terms.

The amount of trade creditors shown at the balance sheet date represents 83 days (1999 - 50 days) of average daily purchases for the company.

### DIRECTORS' REPORT

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### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

# 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 for that year. 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;

State whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;

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 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.

### **Auditors**

On 28th June 2001, Ernst & Young, the company's joint auditors, transferred its entire business to Ernst & Young LLP, a limited liability partnership incorporated under the LLP Act 2000. The directors consented to treating the appointment of Ernst & Young as extending to Ernst & Young LLP with effect from 28th June 2001.

A resolution to re-appoint Smith Partnership, Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors, and Ernst & Young LLP as joint auditors will be put to the members at the Annual General Meeting.

On behalf of the Board

Director Date:

22/3/02

### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE

# SHAREHOLDERS OF CLEAR CHANNEL ENTERTAINMENT (THEATRICAL) UK LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 22 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain fixed assets and the accounting policies set out on page 7.

### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described in the Statement of Directors' Reponsibilities the company's directors' are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards.

Our responsibility is to audit the accounts in accordance with the relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

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 Directors' Report 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 transactions with the company is not disclosed.

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

# Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with United Kingdom 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 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 the 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 as at 31st December 2000 and of its loss for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Smith Partnership

**Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors** 

Smith Parnethip

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Date:

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Date: 22/3/02

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

	Notes	2000	1999
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Turnover	2	47,583,964	50,443,359
Cost of sales		(19,229,147)	(20,550,008)
Gross profit	•	28,354,817	29,893,351
Administrative expenses		(27,266,775)	(33,578,929)
		1,088,042	(3,685,578)
Other operating income		768,795	500,462
Operating profit/loss	3	1,856,837	(3,185,116)
Dividends received from subsidiary companies		-	3,700,000
Profit on sale of fixed assets	5	341,617	-
		2,198,454	514,884
Interest receivable	7	436,314	251,165
Interest payable and similar charges	6	(2,116,754)	(1,549,998)
Profit/loss on ordinary activities before taxation		518,014	(783,949)
Tax on profit/loss on ordinary activities	8	(1,342,944)	171,665
loss for the financial year		(824,930)	(612,284)
Dividends	9	-	(2,500,000)
Retained loss for the year	25	(824,930)	(3,112,284)

# **BALANCE SHEET**

# AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2000

	Notes	£	2000 €	£	1999 £
Fixed assets		av .	a-	L	ı.
Tangible assets	10		72,877,236		55,948,596
Investments	12		10,784,928		10,526,017
		-	83,662,164	-	66,474,613
Current assets					
Stocks	14	529,416		379,369	
Debtors	15	20,520,302		11,744,770	
Current asset investments	16	192,316		463,461	
Cash at bank and in hand		13,501,202		2,519,753	
	•	34,743,236	-	15,107,353	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	17	(71,130,703)		(35,160,196)	
Net current liabilities			(36,387,467)		(20,052,843)
Total assets less current liabilities			47,274,697		46,421,770
Creditors: amounts falling due after more					
than one year	18		(31,871,414)		(32,349,859)
Provisions for liabilities and charges					
Deferred taxation	21		(2,150,000)		(420,000)
Other provisions	22		(2,043,523)		(1,617,221)
			11,209,760		12,034,690
Capital and reserves					
Share capital	23		100		100
Revaluation reserve	25		9,717,927		9,818,162
Profit and loss account	25		1,491,733		2,216,428
Shareholders' funds	24		11,209,760		12,034,690
These financial statements were approved by the board	on 2_2	13/02	and signe	ed on its behalf b	py:

Director

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### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

### 1 Accounting policies

#### Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain fixed assets, and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

The company has taken advantage of the exemptions in Financial Reporting Standard Number 1 from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a wholly owned subsidiary of a U.K. parent company.

The financial statements are prepared for the year ended 31st December 2000. The comparatives are for the thirteen month period ended 31st December 1999.

### Basis of preparation

The financial statements contain information about Clear Channel Entertainment (Theatrical) UK Limited as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information as the parent of a group. The company is exempt under Section 228 of the Companies Act 1985 from the requirement to prepare consolidated financial statements as the company is itself a wholly owned subisidiary of a U.K. parent company, Apollo Leisure Group Limited, and the results of the company are included in the consolidated financial statements of Apollo Leisure Group Limited.

#### Turnover

Turnover is the amount receivable by the company for goods sold and services provided net of V.A.T.

### Investment income

Investment income comprises dividends and interest and is accounted for on a receivable basis.

## Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

The company has taken advantage of the transitional arrangements contained within Financial Reporting Standard Number 15 "Tangible fixed assets", and has elected to retain the book amounts brought forward as at 1st January 2000.

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost or valuation less the estimated realisable value of tangible fixed assets over their estimated useful lives. The rates are calculated on a straight line basis as follows:-

Freehold properties Leasehold properties Motor vehicles Fixtures and fittings - mainly over 50 years

- over the term of the lease

- 3 to 7 years

- 3 - 10 years

No depreciation is charged on assets under construction.

### Grants

Grants in respect of capital expenditure are credited to a deferred income account and are released to the profit and loss account by equal instalments over the expected useful life of the relevant assets.

Grants of a revenue nature are credited to the profit and loss account in the same period as the related expenditure.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

#### Investments

Fixed asset investments are shown at cost less amounts written off. Provisions are made for permanent diminutions in value. Income is included in the profit and loss account in the year in which it is receivable for both fixed and current asset investments.

Current asset investments are shown at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

#### Stocks

Stocks have been valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

#### Deferred taxation

Provision has been made at current rates for taxation deferred in respect of all material timing differences, except to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is reasonable probability that the liability will not arise in the foreseeable future.

#### Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All exchange differences are dealt with through the profit and loss account.

### Contribution to pension funds

Pension benefits are funded through defined contribution schemes over the employees' periods of service. The company's contributions are charged to the profit and loss account as incurred.

The company also operates a defined benefit pension scheme for certain of its employees. The expected costs of providing these pensions, as calculated periodically by professionally qualified actuaries, is charged to the profit and loss account so as to spread the cost over the service lives of employees in the scheme operated within the company in such a way that the pension cost is a substantially level percentage of current and expected future pensionable payroll costs.

### Hire purchase and leased assets

Assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts are capitalised in the balance sheet at their fair value and depreciated over their expected useful lives. The interest element of leasing payments represents a constant proportion of the capital balance outstanding and is charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the lease.

All other leases are regarded as operating leases and the payments made under them are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the lease term.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

### 2 Turnover

Turnover and profit/loss on ordinary activities before taxation relate to the following business segments:

	Profit/loss before taxation		Turnover	
	<b>2000</b> 1999		2000	1999
	£	£	£	£
Theatre services	225,519	(1,552,902)	36,769,839	44,128,381
Licensed outlets	72,124	602,348	2,647,378	3,124,629
Cinema operations	155,943	166,605	7,120,214	3,190,349
Bingo halls	64,428	-	1,046,533	-
	518,014	(783,949)	47,583,964	50,443,359

All amounts derive from activities in the United Kingdom.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

3	Operating profit	2000	1999
		2000 £	1999 £
	Cost of sales	*	2
	Continuing operations Acquisitions	18,751,418 477,729	20,550,008
		19,229,147	20,550,008
	Other operating income and charges Continuing operations		
	Administrative expenses	27,266,775	33,578,929
	Other operating income	(768,795)	
		26,497,980	33,078,467
	The amounts shown for continuing operations include the following in respect of acquisition Administrative expenses	251,331	-
	The operating profit is stated after charging or crediting:	2000	1999
		£	£
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	4,541,712	3,904,336
	Depreciation of assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts	200,404	102,079
	Loss/profit on disposal of investments  Tangible fixed assets - permanent diminution	553,338	(249,260)
	Loss on disposal of fixed assets	1,046	65,450 77,508
	Operating lease payments - land and buildings	1,314,382	1,069,308
	Auditors' remuneration - non audit work	30,000	30,000
	Auditors' remuneration - audit work	118,199	<i>82,258</i>
	Profit/loss on exchange	(19,885)	
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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Directors and employees		
Staff costs, including directors' remuneration, were as follows:		
	2000	1999
Vocas and colories	£	£
Wages and salaries Social security costs		25,220,505
Other pension costs	1,541,155	
Other costs	399,196	316,061 37,216
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	19,651,506	27,566,202
The average monthly number of employees, including directors, during the year was	as follows:	
	2000	1999
	Number	Number
Theatre services	1,819	1,670
Licensed outlets	77	108
Cinema and bingo operations	755	151
	2,651	1,929
Directors' emoluments		
	2000 £	1999 £
Aggregate emoluments, including benefits in kind	1,138,455	
Directors' pension contributions under defined contribution schemes	173,250	151,179
	1,311,705	4,224,273
	2000	1999
Retirement benefits were accruing to directors under schemes as follows:	MInuma han	Marsahar
Defined contribution schemes	Number	Number
Defined contribution schemes	2	2
Highest paid director	2000	1000
	2000 £	1999 £
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Aggregate emoluments Contributions to a defined contribution scheme	616,313 126,000	
Contributions to a defined contribution serience		
	742,313	2,213,378
The highest paid director also received the following:		
Benefits in kind	130,950	192,52.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

5	Profit on sale of fixed assets	2000	1999
		£	£
	Profit on sale of properties	341,617	-
6	Interest payable and similar charges	2000	1999
v	interest payable and similar charges	£ \$	1999 £
	Interest payable on bank loans	~~	953,118
	Interest payable on group company loans	2,034,570	571,417
	Interest payable on hire purchase contracts	12,022	25,463
	Other interest payable	70,162	,
		2,116,754	1,549,998
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7	Interest receivable	2000	1999
		£	£
	Bank interest receivable	274,856	210,852
	Other interest receivable	161,458	40,313
		436,314	251,165
8	Taxation		
-		2000	1999
		£	£
	Based on the profit/loss for the year:		
	UK corporation tax at 30% (1999 - 31%)	1,400,000	-
	Deferred tax credit/charge	440,500	(155,000)
	Prior periods		
	UK corporation tax	(497,556)	(16,665)
		1,342,944	(171,665)

The taxation charge for the year is distorted due to the level of depreciation charged on assets not eligible for capital allowances, and interest charged by group companies, but not yet paid and therefore ineligible for a tax deduction.

2000	1999
£	£
-	2,500,000
	£

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

10	Tangible fixed as	sets						
		Freehold properties	Long leasehold properties	Short leasehold properties	Motor vehicles	Fixtures and fittings	Assets under construction	Total
	Cost or	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
	valuation At 1st January 2000	32,806,026	11,227,214	6,558,398	735,373	21,670,783	1,067,302	74,065,096
	Additions	220,297	-	6,931	209,086	1,887,946	1,466,819	3,791,079
	Disposals	(225,533)	-	(40,821)	(29,269)	(260,119)	-	(555,742)
	Transfers from subsidiaries	7,421,006	11,168,906	-	11,050	6,843,776	-	25,444,738
	Reclassification	652,828	-	-	-	98,569	(751,397)	-
	At 31st December 2000	40,874,624	22,396,120	6,524,508	926,240	30,240,955	1,782,724	102,745,171
	Depreciation =		<del></del>		=======================================	<del>=                                    </del>	: <del></del> -	
	At 1st January 2000	4,517,270	995,503	2,425,294	370,676	9,807,757	-	18,116,500
	Charge for the year	816,252	266,042	552,639	235,686	2,871,497	-	4,742,116
	Disposals Transfers from subsidiaries	(128,142) 2,357,593	819,890	(40,821)	(23,523)	(260,119) 4,284,441		(452,605) 7,461,924
	At 31st December 2000	7,562,973	2,081,435	2,937,112	582,839	16,703,576	-	29,867,935
	Net book value At 31st December 2000	33,311,651	20,314,685	3,587,396	343,401	13,537,379	1,782,724	72,877,236
	At 31st December 1999	28,288,756	10,231,711	4,133,104	364,697	11,863,026	5 1,067,302	55,948,596
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The total net book value includes £159,522 (1999 - £258,054) in respect of assets held under hire purchase and finance lease agreements.

On a historical cost basis, freehold and leasehold and buildings would have been included as follows:

	31st December 2000	1st January 2000
	£	£
Cost	58,628,262	39,424,648
Cumulative depreciation based on cost	11,132,457	6,589,239

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

11	Details of revalued assets	Freehold properties £	Long leasehold properties	Short leasehold properties	Total
	At cost	24,254,370	17,743,620	6,089,508	48,357,498
	At valuation:	0.620.000		42.5.000	0.000.000
	1st December 1990	8,633,000	-	435,000	9,068,000
	30th November 1991	2,754,410	-	-	2,754,410
	28th November 1992	-	4,652,500	~	4,652,500
	27th November 1993	4,962,844	-	-	4,962,844
		40,874,624	22,396,120	6,524,508	69,795,252

The transitional provisions of Financial Reporting Standard Number 15 "Tangible fixed assets" are being followed, and therefore the above valuations have not been updated.

### 12 Fixed asset investments

	Shares in group undertakings
Cost	£
At 1st January 2000	10,526,017
Transfers from subsidiaries	669,212
Adjustment	(410,301)
At 31st December 2000	10,784,928

The adjustment relates to the correction of the value assigned to investments in subsidiary companies on the acquisition of CCL Leisure Limited due to the settlement of the final consideration being lower than the amounts previously provided.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

### 13 Shares in group undertakings

These represent the investment in the company's subsidiaries listed below:

Name of company	Country of incorporation	Details of investments	Proportion held by company	Proportion held by subsidiary	Nature of business
CCL Leisure Limited	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Sports and fitness management
Hutchinson Leisure Group of Companies and subsidiaries	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Dormant
Apollo Lyceum London Limited	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Dormant
Apollo Dominion Investments Limited	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Holding company
Manchester Theatres Limited	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Dormant
Tatton Cinemas Gatley Limited	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Dormant
Apollo Theatre Productions Limited	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Non trading
World Trade Centre Wales Limited	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Dormant
Apollo Theatre (Victoria) Limited	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Dormant
Tickets London Limited	UK	Equity	67%	Nil	Dormant
Tickets North Limited	UK	Equity	100%	Nil	Dormant

In accordance with the Shareholders Agreement for the acquisition of the issued share capital of CCL Leisure Limited in 1997, an estimated further consideration of £Nil (1999 - £2,701,097) has been provided for at the balance sheet date.

In May 2000, the remaining shares were acquired for £2,290,796 - the excess provision of £410,301 has been recognised as a reduction in the cost of the investment during the year ended 31st December 2000.

14	Stocks	2000	1999
		£	£
	Consumables	85,874	66,573
	Goods for resale	443,542	312,796
		529,416	379,369

The directors consider that the replacement cost of stock is not materially different to the balance sheet value.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2000

Debtors	2000	1999
	£	£
Trade debtors	2,843,107	1,633,147
Amounts owed by group companies	7,552,426	2,426,820
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	888,100	1,698,444
Prepayments and accrued income	3,606,990	1,411,688
	20,520,302	11,744,770
Current asset investments  Listed investments at cost	2000 £ 167,822	1999 £ 279,412
Unlisted investments at cost Provision for loss	3,183,814 (3,159,320)	2,785,254 (2,601,205)
	Trade debtors Amounts owed by group companies Amounts owed by subsidiary companies Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income  Current asset investments Listed investments at cost	Trade debtors Amounts owed by group companies Amounts owed by subsidiary companies Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income  Current asset investments  £  2,843,107 7,552,426 888,100 888,100 20,529,302  20,520,302

At 31st December 2000 the market value of the listed investments was £120,858 (1999 - £202,521).

Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		2000	1999
-		£	£
Obligations under hire purchase and finance leases	(note 20)	72,553	131,773
Trade creditors		4,372,406	2,536,372
Amounts owed to group companies		9,575,758	6,379,146
Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings		21,743,607	1,973,651
Other taxes and social security		2,269,946	1,833,769
Other creditors		21,941,208	16,547,362
Accruals and deferred income		11,155,225	5,758,123
		71,130,703	35,160,196
	Obligations under hire purchase and finance leases Trade creditors Amounts owed to group companies Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings Other taxes and social security Other creditors	Obligations under hire purchase and finance leases (note 20) Trade creditors Amounts owed to group companies Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings Other taxes and social security Other creditors	Obligations under hire purchase and finance leases (note 20)  72,553 Trade creditors Amounts owed to group companies Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings Other taxes and social security Other creditors Accruals and deferred income  (note 20) 72,553 4,372,406 21,743,607 21,743,607 21,941,208 21,941,208

Other creditors includes £Nil (1999 - £2,701,097) relating to deferred consideration due on the acquisition of CCL Leisure Limited.

18	Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year		2000	1999
	<u> </u>	•	£	£
	Obligations under hire purchase and finance leases	(note 20)	-	43,001
	Amounts owed to group companies	(note 19)	31,871,414	32,306,858
			31,871,414	32,349,859

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19	Loans and borrowings	2000 £	1999 £
	Analysis of loans Obligations under hire purchase and finance lease contracts (note 20) Amounts owed to parent undertaking	72,553 31,871,414 31,943,967	174,774 32,306,858 32,481,632
	Maturity of debt - excluding obligations hire purchase and finance leases In more than five years	31,871,414	32,306,858
20	Obligations under hire purchase and finance leases  Obligations under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are	2000 £	1999 £
	analysed between amounts payable: In the next year In the second to third years inclusive	72,553	131,773
	in the second to third years inclusive	72,553	174,774

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### 21 Deferred taxation

The movements in deferred taxation during the current and previous years are as follows:

	2000 £	1999 £
At 1st January 2000 Movement in the year	420,000 1,730,000	575,000 (155,000)
At 31st December 2000	2,150,000	420,000

The movement in the year relates to provisions transferred from subsidiary companies.

Deferred taxation provided and unprovided for in the financial statements is set out below. The amount unprovided represents a contingent liability at the balance sheet date and is calculated using a tax rate of 30% (1999 31%).

	Amount provided		Amount unprovid	
	2000	1999	2000	1999
	£	£	£	£
Accelerated capital allowances	2,250,000	420,000	-	_
Other timing differences	(100,000)	-	-	-
Unrealised capital gains	-	-	650,000	867,000
	2,150,000	420,000	650,000	867,000

### 22 Other provisions

	Grants	Other provisions	Total
	£	£	£
At 1st January 2000	1,451,771	165,450	1,617,221
Movement in the period	160,330	325,685	486,015
Released to profit and loss	(59,713)	-	(59,713)
At 31st December 2000	1,552,388	491,135	2,043,523
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Other provisions relate to costs anticipated to be incurred in respect of properties held on operating leases, but from which all trading has ceased.

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23	Share capital	2000 £	1999 £
	Authorised Equity shares 100 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100
	Allotted 100 Allotted, called up and fully paid ordinary shares of £1 each		100
24	Reconciliation of movement in shareholders' funds	2000 £	1999 £
	Loss for the financial year Dividends	(824,930)	(612,284) (2,500,000)
	Decrease in the shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	(824,930) 12,034,690	(3,112,284) 15,146,974
	Closing shareholders' funds	11,209,760	12,034,690
25	Reserves	Revaluation reserve	Profit and loss account
	At 29th November 1998	£ 10,054,363	£ 5,092,511
	Loss for the year Transfers between reserves	(236,201)	(3,112,284) 236,201
	At 1st January 2000 Loss for the year	9,818,161	2,216,429 (824,930)
	Transfers between reserves	(100,234)	100,234
	At 31st December 2000	9,717,927	1,491,733

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26	Note of historical cost profits and losses	2000 £	1999 £
	Profit/Loss on ordinary activities before taxation  Difference between historical cost depreciation charge and depreciation charge based on	518,014	(783,949)
	the revalued amounts	100,234	236,201
	Historical cost profits/losses on ordinary activities before taxation	618,248	(547,748)
	Historical cost loss transferred from reserves	(724,696)	(2,876,083)
27	Capital commitments		
	The company had the following capital commitments:	2000 £	1999
	Contracted for but not provided in the financial statements		£ 1,365,000

# 28 Operating lease commitments

At 31st December 2000, the company had annual lease commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as set out below:

	Land and	Land and buildings	
	2000	1999	
Operating leases which expire:	£	£	
Between two and five years	355,550	476,200	
After five years	255,500	105,000	
	611,050	581,200	
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### 29 Contingent liabilities

The bank holds a legal charge over one of the company's long leasehold properties dated 7th June 1996.

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#### 30 Pension schemes

The company operates defined contribution pension schemes for the benefit of directors and senior employees. The assets of the schemes are administered by trustees in funds independent from those of the company.

The total contributions paid in the year amounted to £362,967 (1999 -£242,267), of which £173,250 (1999 - £151,179) related to contributions paid on behalf of directors.

There were no outstanding or prepaid contributions at the balance sheet date.

The group also operates a pension scheme providing benefits based on final pensionable pay for certain of its employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company, being invested with an insurance company. Contributions to the scheme are charged to the profit and loss account so as to spread the cost of pensions over employees' working lives with the group. The contributions are determined by a qualified actuary on the basis of triennial valuations using the projected unit method. The most recent valuation was at 1st April 2000.

The assumptions which have the most significant effect on the results of the valuation are those relating to the rate of return on investments and the rates of increases in salaries and pensions. It was assumed that the investment returns would be 7% per annum, that salary increases would average 5.25% per annum and that present and future pensions would increase at the rate of 5.5% per annum.

The pension charge for the year was £36,229 (1999 - £73,794). At the balance sheet date, there were no outstanding contributions.

The most recent actuarial valuation showed that the market value of the scheme's assets was £382,000 representing a funding level of 95%. The contributions of the company and employees will be 20%/21% and 5%/6% of earnings respectively.

#### 31 Post balance sheet events

The company sold one of its cinemas in January 2002 for an amount in excess of its carrying value.

The remaining cinemas and all bingo halls are to be sold during 2002. Negotiations are currently in progress with a company controlled by Mr P.R. Gregg (a former director of this company), to sell all these properties at a value in the region of £23m which is in excess of the book values as at 31st December 2000.

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### 32 Transactions with related parties

In the opinion of the directors, the following transactions require to be disclosed under the definition of related parties within Financial Reporting Standard Number 8 "Related Party Transactions".

The company has advanced funds to Mr P.R. Gregg. At the balance sheet date the amount outstanding was £Nil (1999 - £11,749), and the maximum balance outstanding during the year was £11,912.

The property occupied by the company is owned by Houston Securities Limited, a company in which Mr P.R. Gregg is a minority shareholder. The company pays rent to Houston Securities Limited amounting to £145,000 per annum. The amount of rent payable for the period to 31st December 1999 is £36,250, and there were no amounts outstanding at the balance sheet date.

The rents payable reflect a commercial charge for the property.

Nederlander Dominion Limited, a 33.33% associated undertaking of Apollo Dominion Investments Limited, a subsidiary of the company, paid a management fee of £66,824 (1999 - £76,540) for accountancy and administrative services. There were no balances outstanding at the balance sheet date.

All transactions have been carried out on normal commercial terms.

In accordance with Financial Reporting Standard Number 8, transactions with other group companies within, and investee related parties of, the group headed by Clear Channel Entertainment Inc. have not been disclosed in these financial statements.

### 33 Controlling party

The company's immediate parent undertaking is Apollo Leisure Group Limited. The results of the company are included within the group financial statements for Apollo Leisure Group Limited for the year ended 31st December 2000, copies of which are available from Companies House.

The largest UK group in which the results of the company for the year ended 31st December 2000 is consolidated is that headed by Clear Channel Entertainment UK Holdings Limited, copies of which are available from Companies House.

In the directors' opinion, the company's ultimate parent company and controlling party with effect from 1st August 2000 is Clear Channel Communications Inc., a company incorporated in the United States of America. Copies of the group financial statements for Clear Channel Communications Inc. for the year ended 31st December 2000 which incorporate the results of the company are available from Clear Channel Communications Inc., 200 East Basse Road, San Antonio, TX 78029, United States of America.