PATON CALVERT HOUSEWARES LIMITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS 31 MAY 2010

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ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

PERIOD FROM 1 MAY 2009 TO 31 MAY 2010

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO PATON CALVERT HOUSEWARES LIMITED

IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 3 OF SECTION 16 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 6, together with the financial statements of Paton Calvert Housewares Limited for the period from 1 May 2009 to 31 May 2010 prepared under Section 396 of the Companies Act 2006

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Section 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITOR

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 444 of the Companies Act 2006. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the regulations made under that section and to report our opinion to you

BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 issued by the Auditing Practices Board In accordance with that Bulletin 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

OPINION

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 444(3) of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the regulations made under that section

KEVIN PARKINSON (Senior

Statutory Auditor)
For and on behalf of

PARKINSON MATTHEWS LLP

Chartered Accountants

& Statutory Auditor

Cedar House 35 Ashbourne Road Derby

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET

31 MAY 2010

	31		7 10	30 Apr 09	
	Note	£	£	£	
FIXED ASSETS	2				
Tangible assets			14,033	385,007	
Investments			1	1	
			14,034	385,008	
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		831,159		1,154,063	
Debtors		845,414		682,861	
Cash at bank and in hand		89,928		188	
		1,766,501		1,837,112	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one					
year	3	950,440		1,205,743	
NET CURRENT ASSETS		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	816,061	631,369	
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITY	IES		830,095	1,016,377	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more					
than one year	4		-	350,000	
			830,095	666,377	
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called-up equity share capital	5		100	100	
Profit and loss account			829,995	666,277	
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			830,095	666,377	

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006

These abbreviated accounts were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on 233-11, and are signed on their behalf by

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P R Lawson Director

Company Registration Number 01502216

The notes on pages 3 to 6 form part of these abbreviated accounts.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

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ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

Consolidation

In the opinion of the directors, the company and its subsidiary undertakings comprise a small group The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemption provided by Section 398 of the Companies Act 2006 not to prepare group accounts

Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the period, exclusive of Value Added Tax

Fixed assets

All fixed assets are initially recorded at cost

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows

Leasehold Property

Over the life of the lease

Fixtures & Fittings

- 15% - 20% reducing balance

Motor Vehicles

25% reducing balance

Stocks

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

Operating lease agreements

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits on a straight line basis over the period of the lease

Pension costs

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for employees The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company The annual contributions payable are charged to the profit and loss account

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1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more tax, with the exception that deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date

Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating profit.

Financial instruments

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for, according to the substance of the contractual arrangement, as either financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

Going concern

Despite the continuing losses incurred by the company, the directors have continued to prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis. Following the recent acquisition of the company by merico limited the company has been restructured and the directors are confident that the company will return to profitability.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

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2. FIXED ASSETS

	Tangible Assets £	Investments £	Total £
COST			
At 1 May 2009	659,451	1	659,452
Additions	8,486	_	8,486
Disposals	(610,518)	_	(610,518)
At 31 May 2010	57,419	_1	57,420
DEPRECIATION			
At 1 May 2009	274,444	-	274,444
Charge for period	10,801	_	10,801
On disposals	(241,859)	_	(241,859)
At 31 May 2010	43,386	<u> </u>	43,386
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31 May 2010	14,033	1	14,034
At 30 April 2009	385,007	<u>1</u>	385,008

The above represents an investment in the entire share capital of Paton Calvert Limited, a dormant company incorporated in England and Wales

3. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

The following liabilities disclosed under creditors falling due within one year are secured by the company

• •	31 May 10	30 Apr 09
	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts	-	37,572

4. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year

The following liabilities disclosed under creditors falling due after more than one year are secured by the company

	31 May 10	30 Apr 09 £
Bank loans and overdrafts	-	350,000

5. SHARE CAPITAL

Authorised share capital:

	31 May 10	30 Apr 09
	£	£
100 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100

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5. SHARE CAPITAL (continued)

Allotted, called up and fully paid:

	31 May 10		30 Apr 09	
	No	£	No	£
100 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100	100	100

6. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

The company is controlled by, and is a wholly owned subsidiary of Merico Limited a company incorporated in England and Wales