ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2003

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE COMPANY OF

#### D & D INTERNATIONAL VALVES LIMITED

#### PURSUANT TO SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5, together with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> August 2003 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

This report is made solely to the company's shareholders, as a body, in accordance with Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's shareholders those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' 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 and the company's shareholders as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

#### Respective responsibilities of the directors and the auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the registrar of companies and whether the accounts are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and report our opinion to you.

#### Basis of opinion

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. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the financial statements.

#### Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

12th November 2003 Wisbech WHITING & PARTNERS
Registered Auditor
Chartered Accountants

# ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST AUGUST 2003

	Note	2003 £	£	2002 £	£
FIXED ASSETS Tangible Assets Investments	2 3		<b>48,</b> 747 600		54,380 600
			49,347		54,980
CURRENT ASSETS Stocks Debtors Cash at Bank and in Hand		207,252 223,133 41,572		205,257 214,513 969	
		471,957		420,739	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		267,821		225,655	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			204,136	** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** **	195,084
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			253,483		250,064
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year			(15,171)		(21,759)
			£238,312		£228,305
CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called-up equity share capital Reserves	4 5		28,500 209,812		28,500 199,805
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		•• •	£238,312		£228,305

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

These financial statements were approved by the directors on the 12th November 2003, and are signed on their behalf by:

G. J. TATTERSALL MANAGING DIRECTOR

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2003

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## a. 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 June 2002).

#### b. 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 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts.

#### c. Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year, exclusive of VAT.

#### d. Stocks

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

### e. 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 receive more tax.

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider it 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.

### f. Tangible Fixed Assets and Depreciation

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets at rates calculated to write down their cost to their estimated residual values by equal annual instalments over the period of their useful economic lives, which are considered to be:

Leasehold Property Plant, Machinery, Fixtures and Fittings Motor Vehicles

- 20% per annum on cost
- 20% per annum on cost
- 25% per annum on reducing balance

## g. Hire purchase agreements

Assets held under hire purchase agreements are capitalised and disclosed under tangible fixed assets at their fair value. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability and the interest is charged to the Profit and Loss Account on a straight line basis.

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2003

## 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

### h. 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.

#### i. Pensions

The company operates a money purchase, externally funded pension scheme covering some of its directors and employees. Contributions are charged against profits as the contributions are made.

#### 2. FIXED ASSETS

	Tangible Fixed Assets £
COST	
At 1st September 2002	118,227
Additions	22,751
Disposals	(42,166)
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At 31st August 2003	98,812
DEPRECIATION At 1st September 2002 Charge for the Year Depreciation on Disposals	63,847 17,579 (31,361)
At 31st August 2003	50,065
NET BOOK VALUE At 31st August 2003	48,747
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At 31st August 2002	54,380

#### Hire purchase agreements

Included within the tangible fixed assets net book value of £48,747 is £41,077 (2002 - £40,164) relating to assets held under hire purchase agreements. The depreciation charged to the accounts in the year in respect of such assets amounted to £13,493 (2002 - £12,528).

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2003

3. <u>INVESTMENTS</u>	3.	INVESTMENTS
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	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>
	£	£
Investment brought forward 1st September 2002	600	600
As at 31st August 2003	600	600

The investment is in the shares of Global Sourcing Limited. In the opinion of the directors, the investment is worth not less than the amount at which it is included in the accounts. The company owns 100% of the Ordinary £1 Share Capital of its subsidiary undertaking.

Capital and Reserves at 31st August 2003	600
Profit after taxation for the year	-

## 4. SHARE CAPITAL

	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>
Authorised Share Capital	£	£
- Equity Shares		
Ordinary Shares of £1 each	150,000	150,000
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Allotted, Called up and fully paid		
- Equity Shares		
Ordinary Shares of £1 each	28,500	28,500
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5. <u>RESERVES</u>	Profit	- Capital	
	and Loss	Redemption	
	<b>Account</b>	<u>Reserve</u>	<u>Total</u>
As at 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2002	171,805	28,000	199,805
Retained profit for the year	10,007	-	10,007
As at 31st August 2003	181,812	28,000	209,812
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## 6. <u>ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY</u>

The ultimate holding company is Litral Holdings Ltd, a company incorporated in Great Britain.