Directors' report and financial statements

Year ended 31 May 1996

Registered number 1640869



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Directors' report

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 May 1996.

Principal activity

The sole activity of the company is the operation of a public house adjacent to The Theatre Royal Bath.

Business review

The company has undertaken to transfer all profits as a charitable gift in favour of its parent company, The Theatre Royal Bath Limited, a registered charity. The results for the year are shown in the profit and loss account on page 4. The deficit on reserves has been reduced during the year and the directors will take further action in 1996/97 to rectify the situation.

Significant changes in fixed assets

Information relating to changes in tangible fixed assets is given in note 7 to the financial statements.

Directors and directors' interests

The directors who held office during the year were as follows:

K Butterworth

(resigned 1 April 1996)

J Clotworthy-Bird

PC Sapsed

None of the directors who held office at the end of the financial year had any disclosable interest in the shares of the company.

Auditors

In accordance with Section 384 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution for the reappointment of KPMG as auditors of the company, is to be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

By order of the board

Secretary

Sawclose Bath

21 November 1996



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:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on a 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 have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.





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Auditors' report to the members of The Theatre Royal Bath (Garrick's Head) Limited

We have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 9 in accordance with Auditing Standards.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 2 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 misstatement, 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 as at 31 May 1996 and of the profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

KPMG

Chartered Accountants Registered Auditors

21 November 1996



Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 May 1996

Note	1996 £	1995 £
2	347,590	332,917
	(153,676)	(146,862)
	193.914	186,055
	(152,514)	(143,894)
	41,400	42,161
	653	635
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	(39,737)	(40,000)
3-5	2,316	2,796
6	-	395
	2 316	3,191
	(6,043)	(9,234)
	(3,727)	(6,043)
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The company has no recognised gains and losses, in either period, other than the surplus for the period.



Balance sheet at 31 May 1996

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				£	£			
Fixed assets								
Tangible assets	7		14,918		12,584			
Current assets								
Stocks	8	7,409		8,798				
Debtors	9	557		614				
Cash at bank and in hand		13,594		20,215				
		21,560		29,627				
Creditors: amounts falling					•			
due within one year	10	(30,205)		(38,254)				
Net current liabilities			(8,645)		(8,627)			
Net assets			6,273		3,957			
Capital and reserves								
Called up share capital	11		10,000		10,000			
Profit and loss account			(3,727)		(6,043)			
Total shareholders' funds			6,273		3,957			

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 21 November 1996 and were signed on its behalf by:

Director

DULIA CLOTWORTHY BIRD

Notes

(forming part of the financial statements)

1 Accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's financial statements.

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, and under the historical cost accounting rules.

Fixed assets and depreciation

Depreciation is provided by the company to write off the cost less the estimated residual value of tangible fixed assets by equal instalments over their estimated useful economic lives as follows:

Fixtures and Fittings - 5 years

Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Taxation

The charge for taxation is based on the profit for the year and takes into account taxation deferred because of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes. Provision is made for deferred tax only to the extent that it is probable that an actual liability will crystallise.

Turnover

Turnover represents the amounts (excluding value added tax) derived from the provision of goods and services to customers during the year.

Cash flow statement

The company qualifies as a small company under Financial Reporting Standard 1 and is exempt from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement.

2 Analysis of turnover

	1996 £	1995 £
By activity		
Drink	316,191	301,456
Food	23,650	25,398
Other	7,749	6,063
	347,590	332,917



Notes (continued)

3 Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	3	Profit on	ordinary	activities	before	taxation
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17011 on or and Justicians Soldie taxation		
	1996	1995
	£	£
Profit on ordinary activities before		
taxation is stated after charging		
Auditors' remuneration:		
Audit	2,000	2,000
Other services	900	1,520
Depreciation	3,028	1.961

4 Remuneration of directors

The remuneration of the directors is paid by The Theatre Royal Bath Limited. Although an amount could be apportioned to the services provided to Theatre Royal Bath (Garrick's Head) Limited, the directors consider that this amount is immaterial.

5 Staff numbers and costs

The average number of persons employed by the company during the year was as follows:

		Number of employe	
		1996	1995
	Full time equivalents	9	8
	The aggregate payroll costs of these persons were as follows:		
		1996	1995
		£	£
	Wages and salaries	70,471	67,155
	Social security costs	3,416	3,306
		73,887	70,461
6	Tax on profit on ordinary activities		
		1996	1995
		£	£
	Corporation tax at 25%:		
	Prior year	-	(395)



Notes (continued)

7 Tangible fixed assets

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Fixtures and fittings:		
	£	
Cost		
At beginning of year	65,687	
Additions	5,362	
At end of year	71,049	
Depreciation and diminution in value		
At beginning of year	53,103	
Charge for year	3,028	
At end of year	56,131	
Net book value	,,,	
At end of year	14,918	
At beginning of year	12,584	
Stocks		
OCCAS	1996	19
	£	1,
Finished goods and goods for resale	7,409	8,7
Debtors		
Due within one year	1996	19
	£	
Amounts owed by parent company	-	2
Prepayments and accrued income	557	3
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Notes (continued)

10 C	reditors:	amounts	falling	due	within	one	vear
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Į.O	Creditors, amounts taking due within one year		
		1996	1995
		£	£
	Trade creditors	9,925	12,716
	Amount owed to group undertakings	6,832	7,817
	Taxation and social security	8,115	10,103
	Accruals and deferred income	5,333	7,618
		30,205	38,254
11	Called up share capital		
		1996	1995
		£	£
	Authorised, allotted, called up and fully paid		
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	10,000	10,000

12 Commitments

Capital commitments at the end of the financial year were £Nil (1995:£Nil).

13 Ultimate holding company.

The ultimate holding company is The Theatre Royal Bath Limited, a company limited by guarantee and registered in England and Wales.

