STRATFORD-UPON-AVON BUTTERFLY FARM LIMITED Directors' Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31 August 1996

ACCOUNTS FOR REGISTRAR



Company Information

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C.P. Farrell

J.A. Farrell

Secretary

Mrs. S. Smith

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Directors' Report for the year ended 31 August 1996

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 August 1996.

Principal Activities and Review of the Business

The principal activity of the company in the year under review were the display, breeding and exhibition of live butterflies.

The directors consider the results achieved and the state of the company's affairs at the year end to be satisfactory.

Results and Dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 3.

The directors do not recommend payment of a dividend.

Directors and their Interests

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The directors who served during the year and their interests in the company were as stated below.

	Class of share	Number of shares 1996 1995
C.P. Farrell	Ordinary shares	80,000 100,000
J.A. Farrell	Ordinary shares	40,000 50,000

This report was approved by the Board on ... 11-12-96

Mrs. S. Smith Secretary

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Accountants' Report to the shareholders on the unaudited accounts of Stratford-Upon-Avon Butterfly Farm Limited

We report on the accounts for the year ended 31 August 1996 set out on pages 3 to 8.

Respective responsibilities of directors and reporting accountants

As described on page 4 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the accounts, and they consider that the company is exempt from an audit. It is our responsibility to carry out procedures designed to enable us to report our opinion.

Basis of opinion

Our work was conducted in accordance with the Statement of Standards for Reporting Accountants, and so our procedures consisted of comparing the accounts with the accounting records kept by the company, and making such limited enquiries of the officers of the company as we considered necessary for the purposes of this report. These procedures provide only the assurance expressed in our opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion:

- (a) the accounts are in agreement with the accounting records kept by the company under section 221 of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) having regard only to, and on the basis of, the information contained in those accounting records:
 - (i) the accounts have been drawn up in a manner consistent with the accounting requirements specified in section 249C(6) of the Act; and
 - (ii) the company satisfied the conditions for exemption from an audit of the accounts for the year specified in section 249A(4) of the Act and did not, at any time within that year, fall within any of the categories of companies not entitled to the exemption specified in section 249B(1).

Cavendish & Co

Chartered Certified Accountants
Reporting Accountants
18 Queen Anne Street
London WlM 0HB

Date: 12-12-96

Profit and Loss Account for the year ended 31 August 1996

	Notes	1 99 6 £	1995 £
Turnover	2	326,933	276,512
Cost of sales		(76,253)	(61,208)
Gross profit		250,680	215,304
Other operating costs Administrative expenses		(79,495) (128,861)	(83,896) (126,170)
Operating profit	3	42,324	5,238
Other interest receivable and similar income Interest payable and	4	26	
similar charges	5	(1,122)	(2,673)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		41,228	2,565
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	6	(7)	-
Rctained profit for the year	12	£ 41,221	£ 2,565

There are no recognised gains and losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account.

Balance Sheet as at 31 August 1996

		199	96	199	95
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets					
Tangible assets	7		33,743		5,335
Current Assets					
Stocks	8	49,796		32,988	
Debtors	9	2,112		2,654	
Cash at bank and in hand		36,112		10,146	
		88,020		45,788	
Creditors: amounts falling				(00 400)	
due within one year	10	(58 , 852)		(29,433)	
Net Current Assets			29,168		16,355
Total Assets Less Current					c 01 600
Liabilities			£ 62,911		£ 21,690
Capital and Reserves					
Called up share capital	11		225,000		225,000
Profit and loss account	12		(162,089)		(203,310)
Shareholders' Funds	13		£ 62,911		£ 21,690
(equity interests)					

In preparing these financial statements:

- (a) The directors are of the opinion that the company is entitled to the exemption from audit conferred by Section 249A(2) of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) No notice has been deposited under Section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985, and
- (c) The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:
 - (i) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, and
 - (ii) preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of Section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements were approved by the Board on

C.P. Farrell

Director

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 August 1996

1. Accounting Policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and include the results of the company's operations as indicated in the directors' report, all of which are continuing.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No 1 from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a small company.

1.2 Turnover

Turnover represents entrance fees income and net invoiced sales of goods excluding value added tax.

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Plant and machinery Fixtures, fittings	-	20 %	on cost
and equipment	-	20 %	on cost
Greenhouse	-	10 %	on cost

No depreciation is provided in respect of library books.

1.4 Stock

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

2. Turnover

The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in the United Kingdom.

3.	Operating Profit	1996	1995
	Operating profit is stated after charging:	t	£
	Depreciation of tangible assets	2,084	16,064
			

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 August 1996

1996

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Other Interest Receivable and Similar Income

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	Other interest received	i			<u></u>	26		
5.	Interest Payable					1996 £		995 E
	On bank loans and over	irafts				1,122		2,673
					£	1,122 £		2,673
6.	Taxation					3006	1.	205
0.	laxacion					1996 £		995 E
	U.K. Current year taxa							
	U.K. Corporation tax at	t 25% (1995	5 - 25%)		. =	7	-	
7.	Tangible Assets		Plant and machinery	fi.t		Greenhou	se	Total
	Cost	£	£	_	£	£		£
	At 1 September 1995 Additions	28,752	28,010 -		77,183 1,740	143,23	8	248,431 30,492
	At 31 August 1996	28,752	28,010	_	78,923	143,23	 8	278,923
	Depreciation At 1 September 1995 Charge for year		28,009		71,850 2,084	143,23	· 7 	243,096 2,084
	At 31 August 1996	~-	28,009		73,934	143,23	– . 7	245,180
	Net book values			_				
•	At 31 August 1996	£ 28,752 s	£ 1	£	4,989	£	1 £	33,743
	At 31 August 1995	E – 5	E 1	£	5,333	£	1 £	5,335

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 August 1996

8.	Stocks	1996 £	1995 £
	Finished goods and goods for resale	49,796	32,988
9.	Debtors	1996 £	1995 £
	Other debtors	7	_
	Prepayments and accrued income	2,105	2,654
	!	£ 2,112 £	2,654
10.	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	1996 £	1 99 5 £
	Corporation tax	7	
	Other taxes and social security costs	15 , 188	14,849
	Other creditors	28,752	14,04J -
	Accruals and deferred income	14,905	14,584
		£ 58,852 £	29,433

The company has granted a debenture in favour of its bankers which has a legal charge on the fixed assets and is supported by the guarantees of the directors.

1996	1995 £
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225,000	225,000
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225,000	225,000
	£

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 August 1996

12.	Profit And Loss Account	1996 £	1995 £
	Accumulated losses at 1 September 1995 Retained profit for the year	(203,310) 41,221	(205,875) 2,565
	Accumulated losses at 31 August 1996	£(162,089)£	(203,310)

13. Reconciliation of Movements in Shareholders' Funds

	1996 £	1995 £
Profit for the financial year Opening shareholders' funds	41,221 21,690	2,565 19,125
Closing shareholders' funds	£ 62,911 £	21,690

14. Employees

Number of employees

The average monthly number of employees (including directors) during the year was:

		1996 Number		195 Imber
Administration		10		10 —
Employment costs				
		£	£	Ē
Wages and salaries		79,867		,373
Social security costs	_	6,404		6,601
	£	86,271 £	75	5,974
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