Investmain Limited

Annual report and accounts for the year ended 31 March 1997

Registered number: 2109262

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Director's report

For the year ended 31 March 1997

Accounts

The director presents his report and accounts for the year ended 31 March 1997

Directors' Responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare accounts 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 accounts, 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 accounts; and
- prepare the accounts 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 to enable them to ensure that the accounts 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.

Results and dividends

The accounts for the year are set out on pages 2 to 7. The loss for the year, after taxation was £2,512. The director does not recommend the payment of a dividend.

Director and his interests

The director who served during the year was C Wentzel.

The director did not have any beneficial interest in the share capital of the company at 31 March 1996 and 31 March 1997.

This report was approved by the Board on 22 Sanuary 1998

Director

Profit and loss account

For the year ended 31 March 1997

	Notes	1997 £	1996 £
Turnover	2	-	53,813
Operating costs	3	(2,512)	(65,143)
Operating loss		(2,512)	(11,330)
Interest payable and similar charges	4		(1,633)
		(2,512)	(12,963)
Tax on ordinary activities			
Loss on ordinary activities after taxation		(2,512)	(12,963)
Retained losses brought forward		(169,092)	(156,129)
Retained losses carried forward		(171,604)	(169,092)

Statement of total recognised gains and losses

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the losses above and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented.

The results for the year ended 31 March 1997 are derived from continuing activities.

Balance sheet

31 March 1997

	Notes	1997	1996
	-	£	£
Fixed assets	5		
Intangible fixed assets		•	-
Tangible fixed assets			
Current assets			# 00 000
Stocks	6	100,223	100,223
Debtors	7	21,458	21,458
Cash at bank and in hand		11,590	18,255
		133,271	139,936
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	8	44,775	48,928
Net current assets		88,496	91,008
Total assets less current liabilities		88,496	91,008
Creditors: amounts falling due after one year	9	(200,000)	(200,000)
Net liabilities		(111,504)	(108,992)
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	10	60,100	60,100
Profit and loss account		(171,604)	(169,092)
		(111,504)	(108,992)

Director's statement

In preparing these unaudited accounts advantage has been taken of the exemption conferred by Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985. No notice has been deposited by members under Section 249B(3) requiring an audit.

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The accounts on pages 2 to 7 were approved by the Board on 22 January 1998

Director

Notes to the accounts

for the year ended 31 March 1997

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

In 1995, the director decided that it was in the company's best interest to seek a more expeditious means of selling goods manufactured to obtain the benefit of realisation in current markets. As such the director considers that it is inappropriate to adopt, and has not adopted, the going concern basis in preparing these accounts. However, each item of finished goods is unique and, in current markets the director cannot, with reasonable certainty, determine that the net realisable value of each item is greater than its carrying value.

Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation, which is calculated on a straight line basis over their expected useful lives at the following annual rates:

Fixtures, fittings and equipment 20% Plant and machinery 10%

Stocks

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost comprises direct materials, direct labour and an appropriate proportion of manufacturing overheads.

Goodwill

Purchased goodwill has previously been included in intangible assets and has been amortised over its estimated useful life.

2 Turnover

Turnover attributable to geographical markets outside the United Kingdom amounted to nil % (1996 63%).

Notes to the accounts (continued)

3 Operating costs

The amount comprises:

	1997	1996
Decrease in stocks of finished goods and work in progress Raw materials, consumables and external charges Depreciation Other operating charges	- - - - 2,512	40,335 2,000 1,000 21,808
	2,512	65,143
4 Interest payable Interest payable on other loans		1,633

Notes to the accounts (continued)

5 Fixed assets

Intangible fixed assets - purchased goodwill

	£
Cost 1 April 1996 and 31 March 1997	20,000
Amortisation 1 April 1996 and 31 March 1997	20,000
Net book value 31 March 1997	<u> </u>
31 March 1996	
Tangible fixed assets	Plant and machinery £
Cost 1 April 1996 and 31 March 1997	18,417
Depreciation 1 April 1996 and 31 March 1997	18,417
Net book value 31 March 1997	-
31 March 1996	

6 Stocks

Finished goods represent 100% (1996: 100%) of the total stock value.

Notes to the accounts (continued)

7 Debtors		4004
	1997 £	1996 £
Trade debtors	2,888	2,888
Other debtors	18,570	18,570
	21,458	21,458
8 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		
Trade creditors	3,411	3,411
Other creditors including taxation and social security costs	41,364	45,517
•	44,775	48,928
9 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year Shareholders' loans	200,000	200,000
10 Called up share capital		
Authorised	1,000	1,000
1,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	60,000	60,000
60,000 redeemable preference shares of £1 each	61,000	61,000
Allotted and fully paid		
100 ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100
60,000 redeemable preference shares of £1 each	60,000	60,000
	60,100	60,100

The redeemable preference shares have no rights to distribution of income and will be redeemed in the event of a payment of a dividend to ordinary shareholders to the extent of a nominal value equivalent to half of the total sum of such a distribution or, with no less than one month's notice, in full in the event of a resolution being passed for the winding up of the company or the death or inability to conduct the business affairs of the company of Mr RJ Doyle.