Registered No: 2270706

BARNARDO MARKETING LIMITED

YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1997



DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report for the year ended 31 March 1997.

The company raises sponsorship income and runs special events in aid of Barnardo's. The result for the year is shown in the profit and loss account.

The directors do not anticipate any significant change in trading conditions during the coming year.

The directors during the year were:

G Whitehead

C A Holden (resigned 15.06.97)

D I Theodoreson

R Singleton

A K Stewart-Roberts

There are no directors' interests requiring disclosure under the Companies Act 1985.

By order of the Board

Gordon Travis Secretary

22 July 1997

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 result 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;

state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;

prepare the financial statements 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 enable them to ensure that the financial statements 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.

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF BARNARDO MARKETING LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 3 to 6 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 5.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described above 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 affairs of the company as at 31 March 1997 and of the result of the company for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

KPMG

22 July 1997

Chartered Accountants Registered Auditor Crawley, West Sussex

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1997

	Note	1997 £	1996 £
Turnover	2	513,563	596,320
Cost of sales		(185,401)	(251,347)
Gross Profit		328,162	344,973
Administration costs Overhead Costs		(19,310) (183,831)	(12,500)
Profit for Financial Year	-3	125,021	332,473
Covenanted payment to Barnardo's		(125,021)	(332,473)
Balance carried forward			-
		======	======

There are no recognised gains or losses other than those dealt with in the Profit and Loss Account.

The notes on pages 5 to 6 form part of these financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 1997

	Note	1997 £	1996 £
CURRENT ASSETS Stocks - finished goods Debtors Cash at Bank and in hand	4	9,040 137,913 741	9,864 118,998 12,904
CREDITORS - AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		147,694	141.766
	5	(147,594)	(141,666)
NET ASSETS		100	100
SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital	. 6	100	100
Profit and Loss Account		-	-
		100	100

The notes on pages 5 to 6 form part of these financial statements.

Theodoreson

) Directors)32 July 1997

R-Singleton

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS - 31 MARCH 1997

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Accounting Convention

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

(b) Turnover

Turnover represents sales of goods and other income received and is shown net of VAT and trade discounts. The company raises funds for Barnardo's in the UK. Donations are credited to the accounts at the time of receipt at head office.

(c) Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due allowance for any obsolete or redundant items.

2	TURNOVER	1997 £	1996 £
	United Kingdom	513 . 563 ======	596,320
3	<pre>PROFIT FOR FINANCIAL YEAR is stated after charging:</pre>		
	Auditors remuneration - audit	2,600 ======	2,500

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS - 31 MARCH 1997 (cont.)

4	DEBTORS	1997 £	1996 £
	Trade debtors Parent undertaking Prepayments Taxation	73,024 10,921 53,968	17.704 69.362 2.711 29.221
·		137,913	118,998
5	CREDITORS - AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
	Trade creditors Other creditors Bank overdraft Taxation (see below) Amount owed to parent company	39,160 21,662 3,184 60,000 23,588	24,030 17,636 - 100,000
		. 147,594 ======	141,666

The company has covenanted by deed to pay all its taxable profits to Barnardo's. Payment within the accounting period was made under deduction of tax, so relieving the company from liability to corporation tax. The tax paid to the Inland Revenue is recovered by the Charity.

6 SHARE CAPITAL

fully paid ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100
Authorised, allotted, called up and	•	

7 ULTIMATE PARENT

The ultimate parent company and smallest and largest group for which group accounts are published is Barnardo's, registered in England. Group accounts are available from Barnardo's, Tanners Lane, Barkingside, Ilford, Essex, IG6 1QG.