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FOR THE YEAR ENDED

30 JUNE 2010

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Company no 2413680

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For the year ended 30 June 2010

Company registration number

2413680

Registered office

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Directors

S Davis (Chairman)

N Lindsay-Fynn

A Davis D Kaye N Dolby

Secretary

D Kaye

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

For the year ended 30 June 2010

The directors present their report together with the audited financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2010

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company is that of Company Registration Agent, Search Agent, Home Information Pack provider, Corporate services provider and Company Secretarial services provider

Business review

There was a profit for the year after taxation amounting to £396,080 (2009 £245,231) The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2009 £nil)

The business has been through a very challenging period as a result of the dramatic slowdown in the UK property market as well as the suspension of Home Information Packs by the Government However, as a result of early action to keep costs under control the company has achieved a reasonable level of profitability. The company is now in a strong position to take advantage of any upturn in the market

The major risks facing the company are the uncertain state of the UK property market, the changes to the market resulting from the suspension of Home Information Packs, retaining of quality staff and developing potential markets

Directors

The directors who served during the year are set out below

The interests of the directors and their families in the shares of the company as at 1 July 2009 and 30 June 2010 were as follows

	Ordinary shares of £1 each		Preference share	es of £1 each
	2010	2009	2010	2009
Stanley Davis	-	1,504	525,000	525,000
Nigel Lindsay-Fynn	1,504	1,504	525,000	525,000
Andrew Davis	1,504	-	-	-
Neil Dolby	-	-	-	-
David Kaye	-	-	-	-

Directors' responsibilities for the financial statements

The director is responsible for preparing the Annual Report and financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally. Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). The financial statements are required by law to 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

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

For the year ended 30 June 2010

- 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 that 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 2006 They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities

In so far as the directors are aware

- there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware, and
- the directors have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information

Auditor

Armstrong Watson are deemed to be re-appointed under section 487 (2) of the Companies Act 2006

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

Andrew Davis

Director

24 - 11 - 2010

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

For the year ended 30 June 2010

BASIS OF PREPARATION

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom accounting standards and under the historical cost convention

GROUP ACCOUNTS

The financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. The company and its subsidiary undertakings comprise a medium-sized group. The company has taken advantage of the exceptions provided by Section 405 (2) of the Companies Act 2006 not to prepare group accounts on the grounds that its subsidiaries are not material.

TURNOVER

Turnover is the total amount receivable by the company for goods supplied and services provided, excluding VAT and trade discounts

TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost, net of depreciation and any provision for improvement. Depreciation is calculated to write down the cost less estimated residual value of all tangible fixed assets by equal annual instalments over their expected useful economic lives. The rates generally applicable are

Land and buildings leasehold

25% straight line

Fixtures, fittings and equipment

25% - 33% straight line

LEASED ASSETS

Assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts are capitalised in the balance sheet and depreciated over their estimated useful economic lives. The interest element of leasing payments represents a constant proportion of the capital balance outstanding and is charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the lease. All other leases are regarded as operating leases and payments made under them are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the lease term.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

For the year ended 30 June 2010

INVESTMENTS

Investments are included at cost less amounts written off

STOCKS

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

DEFERRED TAXATION

Deferred tax is recognised on all timing differences where the transactions or events that give the company an obligation to pay more tax in the future, or a right to pay less tax in the future have occurred by the balance sheet date. Deferred tax assets are recognised when it is more likely than not that they will be recovered. Deferred tax is measured using rates of tax that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO PENSION SCHEMES

Defined Contribution Pension Scheme

The pension costs charged against profits are the contributions payable to the scheme in respect of the accounting period

FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for, according to the substance of the contractual instrument, as either financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments. An equity instrument is a contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all liabilities.

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 into arriving at the operating profit.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

For the year ended 30 JUNE 2010

	Note	2010 £	2009 £
Turnover	1	8,112,273	7,459,772
Cost of sales		(4,666,265)	(3,955,821)
Gross profit		3,446,008	3,503,951
Administrative expenses		(2,887,023)	(3,286,223)
Operating profit	2	558,985	217,728
Interest payable and similar charges	3	(30,224)	(77,489)
Other interest receivable and similar income	4	26,819	156,492
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		555,580	296,731
Tax payable on profit on ordinary activities	6	(159,500)	(51,500)
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation	17	396,080	245,231

All transactions arise from continuing operations

There were no recognised gains or losses other than the profit for the financial year

Company no 2413680

BALANCE SHEET AT 30 JUNE 2010

Trangible assets 7		Note	2010 £	2009 £
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	Shareholders' funds - equity interests		1,560,598	1,164,518

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 24 - 11 - 2010

Andrew Davis - Director

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS For the year ending 30 June 2009

	Note	2010 £	2009 £
NET CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	2b _	1,177,623	(324,938)
RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND SERVICING OF FINANCE Interest received Rent received Tax paid	4 4	3,002 23,817 (52,767)	8,851 16,022 (55,803)
Interest paid NET CASH OUTFLOW FROM RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND SERVICING OF FINANCE	-	(25,948)	(30,930)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES Payments to acquire investments in subsidiary undertaking Payments to acquire tangible fixed assets NET CASH OUTFLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	9 8 .	(5,500) (5,500)	(15) (38,728) (38,743)
NET CASH INFLOW/(OUTFLOW) BEFORE FINANCING	-	1,146,175	(394,611)
FINANCING Repayments of shareholder loans NET CASH INFLOW FROM FINANCING INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	13 18	562,500 562,500 583,675	50,000 50,000 (444,611)
		1,146,175	(394,611)

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1 TURNOVER

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The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity. An analysis of turnover is given below

turnover is given below		
	2010	2009
	£	£
United Kingdom	7,065,636	6,217,345
Overseas	1,046,637	1,242,427
	8,112,273	7,459,772
OPERATING PROFIT		
a) The profit on ordinary activities before taxation is stated after		
a) The profit on ordinary activities before taxation is stated after	2010	2009
	£	£
	< 55	6.500
Auditors' remuneration	6,750	6,500
Depreciation Tangible fixed assets owned	58,602	83,418
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b) Reconciliation of operating profit to cash inflows from operating activities		
	2010	2009
	£	£
Operating profit	558,985	217,728
Depreciation	58,602	83,418
Decrease in debtors	477,150	82,916
Increase/(Decrease) in creditors	82,886	(709,000)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from continuing operating activities	1,177,623	(324,938)
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3 INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES

	2010	2009
	£	£
On other loans wholly repayable within 5 years	30,224	77,489
	30,224	77,489

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For the year ending 30 June 2010

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4 OTHER INTEREST RECEIVABLE AND SIMILAR INCOME

	2010	2009
	£	£
D Lt	23,817	16,022
Rental Income Amounts provided against intercompany loans	23,017	131,619
Bank interest received	3,002	8,851
Junk interest received	26,819	156,492
•		
DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES		
DIRECTOROLLIA DI LINI SOLIDO		
Staff costs during the year were as follows		
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	2010	2009
	£	£
W	2,172,065	2,642,455
Wages and salaries Social security costs	195,483	240,805
Other pension costs	69,282	72,197
F	2,436,830	2,955,457
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The average number of employees of the company during the year was		
	2010	2009
	Number	Number
Country office and management	130	165
Searchers, office and management		
Remuneration in respect of directors was as follows		
•	2010	2009
	£	£
E 1	392,606	292,660
Emoluments for qualifying services Pension contributions to money purchase pension schemes	392,000	43,703
relision contributions to money purchase pension senemes	432,320	336,363
	102,020	
During the year 3 directors (2009 3) participated in money purchase pension scher	mes	
The amounts set out above include remuneration in respect of the highest paid dire		
	2010	2009
	£	£
Emoluments	144,144	107,253
Pension contributions to money purchase pension schemes	16,129	15,735
V 1	160,273	122,988

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ending 30 June 2010

TAX PAYABLE ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

The tax charge is based on the result for the period and represents	2010 £	2009 £
United Kingdom corporation tax at 28% (2009 28%) Adjustments in respect of prior year	160,430 (930)	53,697 (2,197)
	159,500	51,500
Based on profit for the year Tax at 28% (2009 28%)	155,562	83,085
Effect of Expenses not deductible for tax purposes Utilisation of losses Intercompany loan provision disallowed Differences between capital allowances and depreciation Marginal rate adjustment Adjustments in respect of prior year Other timing differences	2,800 (7,509) - 3,618 (2,949) (930) 8,908	2,800 (6,964) (36,835) (710) (9,881) (2,197) 22,202
	159,500	51,500

7 INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Goodwill £
Cost	
At 1 July 2009	1
Additions	-
Adjustment	
At 30 June 2010	1
Amortisation At 1 July 2009 Provided in the year At 30 June 2010	
Net book amount at 30 June 2010	1
Net book amount at 30 June 2009	1

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TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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	Land and buildings leasehold	Fixtures, fittings and equipment £	Total £
Cost			
At 1 July 2009	30,000	536,584	566,584
Additions		5,500	5,500
At 30 June 2010	30,000	542,084	572,084
Depreciation			
At 1 July 2009	30,000	423,972	453,972
Provided in the year		58,602	58,602
At 30 June 2010	30,000	482,574	512,574
Net book amount at 30 June 2010	-	59,510	59,510
Net book amount at 30 June 2009		112,612	112,612

9 FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

Shares in subsidiary undertakings

Cost

At 1 July 2009 and 30 June 2010

2,829,730

At 30 June 2010, the company owned 100% of the allotted ordinary share capital of the following principal subsidiary undertakings, all of which were incorporated in England and Wales Some subsidiaries are not listed as they are dormant and not material to disclose and the list would be excessive in length

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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	Profit after tax	apital and reserves		
	(2010 and 2009)	(2010 and 2009)		
Name of company	£	£	Nat	ure of business
JH Management Services Limited	Nıl	73,316		Dormant
JH VAT Services Limited (*)	Nıl	108,939		Dormant
York Place Company Services Limited	Nıl	(32,457)		Dormant
Eurolife Company Services Limited	Nıl	32,008		Dormant
Stratify Associates Limited	Nıl	(50,406)		Dormant
* Shares held by subsidiary				
STOCKS				
			2010 £	2009 £
Finished goods and goods for resale			7,200	7,200
DEBTORS				
			2010	2009
Tue de debasse			£	1 20° 550
Trade debtors Other debtors	ı		928,287 83,174	1,308,550 83,314
Prepayments and accrued income	,		141,302	238,049
P-/outo and accused modifie			1,152,763	1,629,913

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ending 30 June 2010

12 CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2010 £	2009 £
Trade creditors	273,403	390,229
Corporation tax	160,430	53,697
Other taxation and social security	352,267	194,489
Other loans	-	462,500
Other creditors	7,877	8,342
Accruals and deferred income	868,865	796,242
	1,662,842	1,905,499

13 CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

	2010 £	2009 £
Other loans	1,627,027	1,727,027
	1,627,027	1,727,027
Borrowings are repayable as follows:		
Within one year Between one and two years Between two and five years	1,627,027 1,627,027	462,500 1,727,027 2,189,527

As at the year end, £813,513 (2009 £1,094,763) was due to Stanley Davis and £813,514 (2009 £1,094,764) was due to Nigel Lindsay-Fynn The loans are unsecured, and the loan is repayable on 31 December 2012 Interest is charged at 1% above base rate. The interest payable for the year was £30,224 (2009 £77,489). The loans and accrued interest will only be repaid when there are sufficient cash resources available to pay off these loans.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ending 30 June 2010

14 SHARE CAPITAL

	2010 £	2009 £
Allotted, called up and fully paid 3,008 Ordinary shares of £1 each 1,050,000 6% Non-cumulative convertible redeemable preference shares of £1	3,008	3,008
each	1,050,000	1,050,000
	1,053,008	1,053,008

Preference shares

The non-cumulative convertible redeemable preference shares carry an entitlement to a dividend at the rate of 6p per share per annum They may be redeemed at £1 per share at any time at the option of the company Holders of preference shares have no voting rights

SHARE PREMIUM ACCOUNT AND RESERVES 15

	Share premium account	Profit and loss account £
At 1 July 2009 Profit for the year	36,998	74,512 396,080
At 30 June 2010	36,998	470,592
RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FU	INDS	

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	2010 £	2009 £
Profit for the financial year	396,080	245,231
Net increase in shareholders' funds	396,080	245,231
Shareholders' funds at 1 July 2009	1,164,518	919,287
Shareholders' funds at 30 June 2010	1,560,598	1,164,518

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For the year ending 30 June 2010

17 PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

	2010 £	2009 £
Balance brought forward Profit for financial year Balance carried forward	74,512 396,080 470,592	(170,719) 245,231 74,512
MOVEMENTS IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
	2010 £	2009 £
Cash at bank brought forward Movement in Cash and Cash equivalents Cash at bank carried forward	217,588 583,675 801,263	662,199 (444,611) 217,588

19 CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

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The company had no capital commitments at 30 June 2010 or 30 June 2009

20 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

There were no contingent liabilities at 30 June 2010 or 30 June 2009

21 RETIREMENT BENEFITS

Defined contribution pension scheme

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for the benefit of the employees The assets of the scheme are administered by trustees in a fund independent from those of the company

22 LEASING COMMITMENTS

At 30 June 2010 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows

	2010	2009	2010	2009
	Land and	Land and		0.1
	Buildings	buildings	Others	Others
	£	£	£	£
Less than one year	•	45,682	-	-
Between one and five years	209,503	255,299	-	-
Greater than five years				-

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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23 TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS AND OTHER RELATED PARTIES

			2010	2009
Party	Relationship	Transaction	Balance due (to)/from at year end	Balance due (to)/from at year end
Brady & Co (Law	Related Company	Inter company	£ 16,667	£ 15,235
Searchers) Limited		account	•	

During the year, the company received services from Brady & Co (Law Searchers) Limited amounting to £16,667 (2009 £17,560) and provided services to Brady & Co (Law Searchers) Limited amounting to £3,035 (2009 £2,981) Brady & Co (Law Searchers) Limited is owned by the same shareholders as Stanley Davis Group Limited

24 CONTROLLING PARTIES

Andrew Davis and Nigel Lindsay-Fynn are the company's controlling parties by virtue of their majority shareholdings

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF STANLEY DAVIS GROUP LIMITED

For the year ended 30 June 2010

We have audited the financial statements of Stanley Davis Group Limited for the year ended 30 June 2010 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, Balance Sheet, Cash Flow Statement and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Practice)

This report is made solely to the company's shareholders, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. 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 auditor's 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 DIRECTORS AND AUDITOR

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on pages 3 and 4, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors

SCOPE OF THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by directors, and the overall presentation of the financial statements.

OPINION ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 June 2010 and of its profit for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006

OPINION ON OTHER MATTERS PRESCRIBED BY THE COMPANIES ACT 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF STANLEY DAVIS GROUP LIMITED

For the year ended 30 June 2010

MATTERS ON WHICH WE ARE REQUIRED TO REPORT BY EXCEPTION

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns, or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made, or

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• we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit

SIMON PALMER

(Senior Statutory Auditor)
For and on behalf of
ARMSTRONG WATSON
Chartered Accountants &
Statutory Auditors
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24th November

2010