ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2000

FOR

ENGINEERING CONTROL SUPPLIES LIMITED

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COMPANY INFORMATION for the year ended 31 July 2000

DIRECTORS:

A R Henderson

R Jones D N Peadon

SECRETARY:

D N Peadon

REGISTERED OFFICE:

Roman Hill Trading Estate

Broadmayne Dorchester Dorset DT2 8LY

REGISTERED NUMBER:

02492970 (England and Wales)

AUDITOR:

Nigel Woodruff Chartered Accountant

Registered Auditor 24 Cornwall Road

Dorchester Dorset DT1 1RX

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR TO ENGINEERING CONTROL SUPPLIES LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

I have examined the abbreviated financial statements on pages three to six, together with the full financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 July 2000 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated financial statements in accordance with Section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is my responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial statements prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the financial statements to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report my opinion to you.

Basis of opinion

I have carried out the procedures I consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial statements and that the abbreviated financial statements to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of my work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of my report on the full financial statements.

Opinion

In my opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial statements prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated financial statements on pages three to six are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

Nigel Woodruff Chartered Accountant Registered Auditor 24 Cornwall Road Dorchester Dorset DT1 1RX

Dated: 23 May 2001

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ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 31 July 2000

	2000		1999		
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS:					
Intangible assets	2		1,032		1,710
Tangible assets	3		52,223		62,773
			53,255		64,483
CURRENT ASSETS:					
Stocks		95,168		77,198	
Debtors		176,812		170,851	
Cash at bank and in hand		235,458		206,881	
		507,438		454,930	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling					
due within one year	4	366,216		323,933	*
NET CURRENT ASSETS:		-	141,222		130,997
					
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES:			194,477		195,480
LIABILITIES:			134,477		173,400
CREDITORS: Amounts falling					
due after more than one year	4		3,250		7,583
			6101 227		6197 907
			£191,227		£187,897
CADITAL AND DECEDIES.					
CAPITAL AND RESERVES:	_		400		402
Called up share capital	5		402		402
Profit and loss account			190,825		187,495
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS:			£191,227		£187,897

These abbreviated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

A R Hendeyson - DIRECTOR

Jones - DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on 23 May 2001

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 July 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 2000).

Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax.

Patents and licences

Amortisation is provided at 10% on cost per annum in order to write off patents and licences over their estimated useful life.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Plant and machinery etc

- 15% on reducing balance and 25% on reducing balance

Stocks

Stock and work in progress are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

Cost includes all direct expenditure and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

Deferred taxation

Provision is made at current rates for taxation deferred in respect of all material timing differences except to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is reasonable probability that the liability will not arise in the foreseeable future.

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet. Those held under hire purchase contracts are depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Those held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

The interest element of these obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the relevant period. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability.

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account as incurred.

Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund. Contributions payable for the year are charged in the profit and loss account.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 July 2000

2. INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

		_	Total	
			£	
	COST:			
	At 1 August 1999 and 31 July 2000		6,778	
	AMORTISATION:			
	At 1 August 1999 Charge for year		5,068 678	
	At 31 July 2000		5,746	
	NET BOOK VALUE:		-	
	At 31 July 2000		1,032	
	At 31 July 1999		1,710	
3.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			
		_	Total	
	COST:		£	
	At 1 August 1999			
	and 31 July 2000		107,303	
	DEPRECIATION:		·	
	At 1 August 1999		44,530	
	Charge for year		10,550	
	At 31 July 2000		55,080	
	NET BOOK VALUE:			
	At 31 July 2000		52,223 =====	
	At 31 July 1999		62,773 =====	
4.	CREDITORS			
	The following secured debts are included within creditors:			
		2000	1999	
		£	£	
	Bank overdrafts	78,473	48,548	
	Hire purchase contracts	7,583	11,916	
		86,056 =====	60,464 =====	

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5. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Authorised:				
Number:	Class:	Nominal	2000	1999
		value:	£	£
10,000	Ordinary	£1	10,000	10,000
	•			
Allotted issu	ued and fully paid:			
Number:		NI	2000	1000
number:	Class:	Nominal	2000	1999
		value:	£	£
402	Ordinary	£1	402	402
		value:	£	£

6. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

(a) Transactions involving the directors

A total of £120,000 was invoiced to the company during the year in respect of management services rendered by ECS Partnership, a firm in which the company's three directors are partners. The transactions were at arms length and in accordance with formal contracts.

Additionally, the company made material purchases from the partnership during the year in a total sum of £366,136. The materials involved were imported from overseas by ECS Partnership using specifically arranged foreign currency bank facilities. The arrangement eliminates any risk of the company suffering a loss on foreign exchange. The amounts involved were all invoiced at normal rates and on usual business terms.

(b) Directors' current accounts (in credit)

Included in creditors are the sums of £6,912, £6,913 and £6,912 owed to the directors A R Henderson, R Jones and D N Peadon respectively.