ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 1995

FOR

HARTCLIFFE LIMITED

REGISTERED NUMBER: 2582323



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COMPANY INFORMATION

DIRECTORS:

M Burns M L Emery A Matthews P N Elliott

J Muniesa

SECRETARY:

J Muniesa

REGISTERED OFFICE:

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REGISTERED NUMBER:

2582323

AUDITORS:

Solomon Hare

Registered Auditors Chartered Accountants

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Bristol BS8 2BN

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The directors present their report and audited accounts of the company for the year ended 30 September 1995.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of screen printing.

REVIEW OF THE BUSINESS

The results for the year and financial position of the company are as shown in the annexed accounts.

During the year the Hartcliffe group has been restructured, as disclosed in note 23 to the accounts. It is anticipated that this will benefit the future development of Hartcliffe Limited as the directors are now able to concentrate their efforts on the core activity of the company.

RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The directors paid an interim dividend of £6,964 (1994: fnil) during the year, and recommend the payment of a final dividend of £24,940 (1994: £65,000). The retained profit transferred to reserves is £87,517 (1994: retained loss £170,309).

FIXED ASSETS

During the year the company purchased its trading premises at Cater Road, Bristol for £530,387.

Other movements on fixed assets are shown in note 11 to the accounts.

DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS

The directors of the company who held office during the year and their interests in the share capital of the company were:

Ordinary shares of £1 each at beginning and end of year

С	Budd (resigned 27 September 1995)	_
Μ	Burns (appointed 31 October 1994)	=
P	Elliott	300
Μ	Emery	_
P	Hughes (resigned 27 September 1995)	_
Α	Matthews	150
J	Muniesa	=

The interests of M Emery and M Burns in the share capital of the company's ultimate holding company, EMBU Holdings Ltd, are disclosed in the accounts of that company. The other directors hold no such interest.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

DIRECTORS' INSURANCE

The company maintains insurance policies on behalf of all the directors against liability arising from negligence, breach of duty and breach of trust in relation to the company.

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT

The directors are required by company law to prepare accounts for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at the end of the financial year and of the profit and loss of the company for that period. In preparing the accounts, suitable accounting policies have been used and applied consistently, and reasonable and prudent judgments have been made. The directors are also responsible for maintaining adequate accounting records, for safeguarding the assets of the company, and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities. The directors are satisfied that the business is a going concern.

AUDITORS

Solomon Hare have expressed their willingness to continue in office and a resolution to reappoint them will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

M L EMERY DIRECTOR

Dated: 26.3.96

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF HARTCLIFFE LIMITED

We have audited the accounts on pages 5 to 19 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain fixed assets and the accounting policies set out on pages 11 and 12.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page three, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of accounts. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those accounts 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 accounts. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made by the directors in the preparation of the accounts, 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 accounts 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 accounts.

Opinion

In our opinion the accounts give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 September 1995 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Solomon Hare
Registered Auditors
Chartered Accountants
Oakfield House
Oakfield Grove
Clifton
Bristol BS8 2BN

Dated: 26.3.96.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT For the year ended 30 September 1995

	Note	30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
TURNOVER	2	5,966,351	5,202,655
Cost of sales		4,161,449	3,700,142
GROSS PROFIT		1,804,902	1,502,513
Administrative expenses Trading Exceptional	3	1,682,650 (135,499)	1,523,859
		257,751	(21,346)
Other operating income	4		1,779
OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)	6	257,751	(19,567)
Interest payable and similar charges	8	128,330	98,023
PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		129,421	(117,590)
Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities	9	10,000	(12,281)
PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		<u>1</u> 19,421	(105,309)
Dividends	10	31,904	65,000
Retained profit/(loss) for year		87,517	(170,309)
Retained profit brought forward		41,440	211,749
RETAINED PROFIT CARRIED FORWARD		128,957	£41,440
CONTINUING OPERATIONS			

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the year.

The notes on pages 11 to 19 form part of these accounts

STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES For the year ended 30 September 1995

	30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
Profit/(loss) for the financial year	119,421	(105,309)
Unrealised surplus on revaluation of certain fixed assets	123,155	63,764
Total recognised gains and losses for the year	242,576	(41,545)

The notes on pages 11 to 19 form part of these accounts

BALANCE SHEET

As at 30 September 1995

		30.9.95		30.9.94	
	Note	£	£	£	٤
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	11		1,720,633		1,269,378
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks	12	368,082		413,379	
Debtors	13	1,251,319		991,445	
Cash at bank and in hand		167		5,433	
		1,619,568		1,410,257	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling	j	1,013,300			
due within one year	14	2,376,821		2,229,517	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES:			(757,253)		(819,260)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES:			963,380		450,118
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than	J				
one year	15		641,054		338,464
					-
			£322,326		£111,654
CAPITAL AND RESERVES:					
Called up share capital	20		6,450		6,450
Revaluation reserve	21		186,919		63,764
Profit and loss account			128,957		41,440
			£322,326		£111,654

Approved by the Board on 26.3.9%

M L EMERY DIRECTOR

The notes on pages 11 to 19 form part of these accounts

CASH FLOW STATEMENT For the year ended 30 September 1995

		30.	9.95	30.9	.94
		£	£	£	£
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from operating activities	(Note 1)		(41,942)		111,478
Returns on investments and servicing of finance Interest element of hire purchase repayments Interest paid		(38,539) (89,791)		(54,827) (43,196)	
Dividends paid		(71,964)		-	
Net cash outflow from returns on investments and			(222		
servicing of finance			(200,294)		(98,023)
Tax paid			(1,741)		(24,939)
Investing activities Purchase of tangible					
fixed assets Sale of tangible		(614,657)		(250,096)	
fixed assets				177,366	
Net cash outflow from investing activities			(614,657)		(72,730)
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Net cash outflow before financing			(858,634)		(84,214)
Financing (Note 4) Capital element of hire		(145,283)		(227,182)	
purchase repayments Additional borrowings		,141,428	:	195,811	
Net cash inflow/(outflow) f financing	from		996,145		(31,371)
Increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents (Note			137,511		(115,585)

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT For the year ended 30 September 1995

RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING LOSS TO NET CASH (OUTFLOW)/INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	30.9.95	30.9.94
	£	£
Operating profit/(loss)	257,751	(19,567)
Depreciation charges	188,829	204,635
Loss/(profit) on sale of fixed assets	32,539	(10,015)
(Increase)/decrease in debtors	(256,612)	91,284
Decrease in creditors	(174,247)	(207,212)
Decrease in stocks	45,297	52,353
Exceptional item (Note 5)	(135,499)	-
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from		
operating activities	(41,942)	111,478
		2444

2 ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS DURING THE YEAR

Year ended 30 September 1995

	£
Balance at 1 October 1994	(266,006)
Net cash inflow	137,511
Balance at 30 September 1995	(128,495)
Year end 30 September 1994	
	£
Balance at 1 October 1993	(150,421)
Net cash outflow	(115,585)
Balance at 30 September 1994	(266,006)

3 ANALYSIS OF THE BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AS SHOWN IN THE BALANCE SHEET

Year ended 30 September 1995

	30.9.95	1.10.94	Change in
			Year
	£	£	£
Cash at bank and in hand	167	5,433	(5,266)
Bank overdrafts	(128,662)	(271,439)	142,777
	(128,495)	(266,006)	137,511
Year ended 30 September 1994			
	30.9.94	1.10.93	Change in
			**
			Year
		£	rear £
Cash at bank and in hand	5,433	£	
Cash at bank and in hand Bank overdrafts	5,433 (271,439)	£ - (150,421)	£
	•	-	£ 5,433
	•	-	£ 5,433

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT For the year ended 30 September 1995

4 ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN FINANCING DURING THE YEAR

	Hire purchase obligations	Bank loans	Other loans
Balance at 1 October 1994	526,067	_	195,811
Cash inflow from financing		350,000	765,375
Set off of issue costs	-	(7,350)	-
Repayments made in year	(145,283)	-	_
Inception of hire purchase			
agreements	26,053	-	-
Cancellation of hire purchase			
agreements	(183,313)	-	_
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	223,524	342,650	961,186
			

5 MAJOR NON-CASH TRANSACTIONS

Included within operating activities is an exceptional item which has no cash implications.

See Note 3 to the accounts (page 12) for a further explanation.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
For the year ended 30 September 1995

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of certain fixed assets, and are in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services provided in the UK net of value added tax.

Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost or valuation, less depreciation. Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets, at rates calculated to write off the cost or valuation, less estimated residual value, of each asset on a straight-line basis over its expected useful life, as follows:

Freehold Property - 50 years
Leasehold Improvements - term of lease
Freehold Improvements - 25 years
Plant and Machinery - 5-15 years
Fixtures and Fittings - 4-10 years
Motor Vehicles - 4 years

Stocks and work in progress

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is calculated as follows:

Raw materials and consumables - Cost of purchase on first in, first out basis.

Work in progress and finished goods - Cost of raw materials and labour together with attributable overheads.

Net realisable value is based on estimated selling price less further costs to completion and disposal.

Leased assets

Where assets are financed by leasing agreements that give rights approximating to ownership (finance leases), the assets are treated as if they had been purchased outright. The amount capitalised is the present value of the minimum lease payments payable over the term of the lease. The corresponding leasing commitments are shown as amounts payable to the lessor. Depreciation on the relevant assets is charged to the profit and loss account.

Lease payments are analysed between capital and interest components so that the interest element of the payment is charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the lease and represents a constant proportion of the balance of capital repayments outstanding. The capital part reduces the amounts payable to the lessor. All other leases are treated as operating leases. Their annual rentals are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the term of the lease.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
For the year ended 30 September 1995

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED

Pension costs

The company operates a fully-insured defined contribution pension scheme covering the majority of employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administrated fund.

The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the company to these funds. The company also contributes to the personal pension schemes of the officers of the company.

Deferred taxation

Provision is made for deferred taxation using the liability method to take account of timing differences between the incidence of income and expenditure for taxation and accounting purposes except to the extent that the directors consider that liability to taxation is unlikely to crystallise.

2. TURNOVER

The turnover and profit (1994 - loss) before taxation is wholly attributable to the principal activity of the company.

3. EXCEPTIONAL ITEM

The exceptional item consists of a credit of £237,718 which relates to the write-off of intercompany debt net of legal fees. The debt was written off as part of the restructuring of the Hartcliffe Group as disclosed in note 23 to these accounts.

The remaining £102,219 of the exceptional item is a charge in respect of an intercompany balance which is irrecoverable and therefore has been provided for.

4. OTHER OPERATING INCOME

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	:	30.9.95	30.9.94
	·	£	£
Rents receivable		-	1,779

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS For the year ended 30 September 1995

5. STAFF COSTS

	30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
Wages and salaries Social security costs Other pension costs	1,750,035 173,617 92,363	1,308,556 128,248 44,469
	2,016,015	1,481,273

The average weekly number of employees during the year was as follows:

	30.9.95	30.9.94
Production	74	55
Administration	20	15
Selling	4	5
	98	75
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6. OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)

The operating profit (1994 - loss) is stated after charging:

	30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
Directors' emoluments (see below)	266,901	199,849
Directors' pensions	25,707	16,565
Depreciation - Owned assets	110,059	54,531
Depreciation - Assets on hire purchase	78,770	120,782
Hire of plant and machinery	142,763	48,051
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	32,539	_
Auditors' remuneration	10,000	9,500
and crediting:		
Profit on disposal of fixed assets	-	10,015

7. DIRECTORS

Details of individual director's emoluments, excluding pension contributions, were as follows:

	30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
Chairman Highest paid director	70,748	12,000 55,003

^{*}In 1995 the chairman was the highest paid director.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS For the year ended 30 September 1995

7. DIRECTORS - CONTINUED

The above emoluments are included in the information which follows.

The directors' emoluments, excluding pension contributions, fell within the following ranges:

	·	30.9.95	30.9.94
	£0 - £ 5,000	2	1
	£10,001 - £15,000	_	1
	£15,001 - £20,000	-	1
	£30,001 - £35,000	_	2
	£35,001 - £40,000	1	_
	£40,001 - £45,000	1	1
	£55,001 - £60,000	2	1
	£70,001 - £75,000	1	_
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8.	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES		
		30.9.95	30.9.94
		£	£
	Bank overdrafts repayable within five years	28,336	43,196
	Hire purchase	40,077	54,827
	Invoice discounting	49,015	· -
	Other	10,902	-
	·		
		128,330	98,023

9. TAXATION

The tax charge on the profit/(loss) on ordinary activities for the year was as follows:

	:	30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
	Based on the adjusted results of the year:		
	UK corporation tax at 25% (1994: fnil)	10,000	-
	Over provision in prior years	-	(12,281)
		10,000	(12,281)
10.	DIVIDENDS		
		30.09.95	30.09.94
		£	£
	Paid dividend of £1.16 per share (1994: nil) Proposed dividend of £4.16 per share	6,964	-
	(1994: £10.83)	24,940	65,000
		31,904	65,000
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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS For the year ended 30 September 1995

11. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Freehold property	Freehold improvements	Leasehold improvements	Plant & machinery	Fixtures & fittings	Motor vehicles	Totals
COST OR VALUATION:	th.	£	£	сh	(H)	(t)	ជា
As at 1 October 1994 Reclassification Transfer from group company (note 23) Additions Disposals Revaluations	530,387	169,095	169,095 (169,095) 8,792	1,432,255 - 120,550 72,843 (217,256) 98,000	23,106 - 4,620 - - 25,155	28,310	1,624,456 - 133,962 642,967 (217,256) 123,155
At 30 September 1995	530,387	180,552	8,792	1,506,392	52,881	28,310	2,307,284
DEPRECIATION: As at 1 October 1994 Reclassification Transfer from group company (note 23) Charge for year		42,422	42,422 (42,422) 368 1,404	304,838 - 39,898 199,279	7,818 - 2,478 6,014	3,158	355,078 - 42,744 188,829
At 30 September 1995 NRT ROOK WALITE	ı	21,396	1,772	544,105	16,310	3,158	586,651
At 30 September 1995 At 30 September 1994	£530,387	£159,126	£7,020 £126,673	£962,377 ===================================	£36,571	£25,152 £	£1,720,633 £1,269,378

The net book value of assets held under hire purchase contracts included in the above amounted to £346,499 (1994 £856,983).

At 30 September 1995 the company had no capital commitments.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS For the year ended 30 September 1995

12.	STOCKS	30.9.95	30.9.94
		£	£
	Stock	170,575	251,758
	Work in progress	197,507	161,621
		368,082	413,379
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13.	DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE Y		
		30.9.95	30.9.94
	The de debases	£	£
	Trade debtors	1,090,809	887,869
	Amounts owed by parent and fellow		
	subsidiary undertakings	-	14,055
	Other debtors	11,436	2,955
	Prepayments	120,811	73,669
	Directors' current accounts (Note 22)	11,834	-
	Advance corporation tax recoverable	16,429	12,897
		1,251,319	991,445
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14.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE		
		30.9.95	30.9.94
		£	£
	Other loans (note 16)	213,331	
	Bank loans and overdrafts (note 17)	138,384	271 420
	Trade creditors		271,439
	Amounts owed to parent undertakings	1,032,238	721,546
	Other creditors	576)E4	512,768
	Corporation tax	576,354	266,851
	Other taxes & social security	2,000	105 466
	<u>=</u>	149,070	135,466
	Accruals and deferred income	110,692	68,844
	Proposed dividend	24,940	65,000
	Hire purchase obligations	125,738	187,603
	Advance corporation tax payable	4,074	-
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		2,376,821	2,229,517
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		30.9.95	30.9.94
		£	50.9.94 £
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	Other loans (note 16)	210,340	_
	Bank loans and overdrafts (note 17)	332,928	_
	Hire purchase obligations	97,786	338,464
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		641,054	338,464
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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
For the year ended 30 September 1995

16. OTHER LOANS

£160,000 of the loans due within one year are secured by a fixed charge over the company's freehold property.

£100,000 of the loans due in more than one year are secured by a fixed and floating charge over the assets of the company.

The remaining £163,671 included in the accounts is unsecured.

17. BANK LOANS AND OVERDRAFTS

The aggregate amount of bank loans and overdrafts is as follows:

Amounts falling due within one year:	30.9.95 £	30.9.94 €
Bank overdrafts Bank loans	128,662 9,722	271,439
Amounts falling due after one year:	138,384	271,439
Bank loans	332,928	-
TOTAL	471,312	271,439

SECURITY

The bank loans and overdrafts are secured by a fixed and floating charge over all the assets of the company.

18. OBLIGATIONS UNDER OPERATING LEASES

At 30 September 1995 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

	Land and buildings		Other	
Expiring:	30.9.95	30.9.94	30.9.95	30.9.94
	£	£	£	€
Within one year	-	-	13,641	7,883
In two to five years	-	165,000	7,871	73,308
Thereafter	-	-	1,802	-
	-	165,000	23,314	81,191

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
For the year ended 30 September 1995

19. PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES

Deferred taxation for which provision has been made in the accounts and the amounts for which no provision has been made, are as follows:

		Pro	oviđed	No provi	
		30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £	30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
	Accelerated capital allowances Revaluation on plan	<i>-</i> t	-	94,000	84,000
	and machinery Less:	-	-	23,500	-
	Unutilised tax loss	es -		we and the second secon	(17,000)
		_	_	117,500	67,000
20.	CALLED UP SHARE CAP	ITAL			
	Authorised: Number: Class:	Nominal value:		30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
	100,000 Ordinary	£1		100,000	100,000
	Allotted, issued and Number: Class:	d fully paid: Nominal value:		30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
	6,450 Ordinary	£1		6,450	6,450
21.	REVALUATION RESERVE		:		
				30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
	Balance brought for Movement in the year			63,764	63,764
	Balance carried for	ward		186,919	63,764

The reserve has arisen due to the revaluation of certain fixed assets during the year by the directors of the company.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS For the year ended 30 September 1995

22. DIRECTORS' CURRENT ACCOUNTS

The current accounts of the following directors were overdrawn the year:

	M L Emery	J Muniesa £	P N Elliot £	A Matthews £
Overdrawn balance at 30 September 1995	9,484	800	1,400	150
Overdrawn balance at 1 October 1994	-			
Maximum overdrawn balance during the year	9,484	800	1,400	150

23. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

The ultimate parent undertaking is EMBU Holdings Limited which is incorporated in Great Britain and registered in England and Wales.

24. GROUP RESTRUCTURE

During the year, Hartcliffe Holdings Limited was placed into a members' voluntary liquidation as part of a demerger of Hartcliffe Limited and Production Response Limited.

Trym Display and Advertising Limited ceased trading at 30 September 1994, and the trade and assets and liabilities of the company have been transferred into Hartcliffe Limited.

25. RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENT IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

	30.9.95 £	30.9.94 £
Profit/(loss) for the financial year Revaluation of assets Dividends	119,421 123,155 (31,904)	(105,309) 63,764 (65,000)
Net addition/(reduction) to shareholders' funds Opening to shareholders' funds	210,672	(106,545) 218,199
Closing shareholders' funds	322,326	111,654