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PURELAKE NEW HOMES LIMITED

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REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

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Registered in England and Wales No.

2695040

Date of Incorporation

9 March 1992

Directors

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B J White Mrs S A White G A Dowd

Company Secretary

Mrs S A White

Registered Office

Springbank Business Centre 87/89 Springbank Road

London SE13 6SS

Auditors

Burrells Accountancy Limited

Registered Auditors Jubilee House Jubilee Court Dersingham

King's Lynn Norfolk PE31 6HH

Bankers

Barclays Bank pic

Maidstone Corporate Banking Centre

PO Box 427 Maidstone Kent

ME14 1TW

National Westminster Bank plc

Second Floor 143 High Street

Bromley Kent BR1 1JH

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

The directors have pleasure in presenting their report and the accounts for the year ended 31 December 2003.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

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The principal activity of the company is the construction of new residential property.

REVIEW OF THE COMPANY'S BUSINESS

The company completed a number of developments during the year and continued to take advantage of the strength of the housing market.

The company made a profit after taxation for the year of £1710175 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £2093723) which was transferred to reserves.

DIVIDENDS

No interim dividends were paid in the year (period ended 31 December 2002 - £Nil). No final dividend is recommended.

PARENT COMPANY

The company is a subsidiary of Purelake Properties Limited which owns 80% of the Ordinary Share Capital (period ended 31 December 2002 - 80%).

DIRECTORS AND DIRECTORS' INTERESTS

The directors who served the company during the year together with details of their shareholdings are as follows: -

Shares in Parent Company		Ordinary Shares of £1 each 2003 and 2002
B J White)) Jointly	100
Mrs S A White)	

Shares in Company

Ordinary Shares of £1 each 2003 and 2002

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

CHARITABLE AND POLITICAL DONATIONS

The company contributed £2991 during the year (period ended 31 December 2002 - £1723) to charities in the UK. No payments were made to political parties.

AUDITORS

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In accordance with Section 384(1) of the Companies Act 1985 a resolution proposing the re-appointment of Burrells Accountancy Limited, Registered Auditors, will be presented at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY IN RESPECT OF THE ACCOUNTS

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 result for that period.

In preparing the accounts the directors are required to: -

Select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently.

Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent.

State whether applicable accounting standards have been followed.

Prepare the accounts on a 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. 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.

BnOrder of the Board

Director

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF PURELAKE NEW HOMES LIMITED YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

We have audited the financial statements of Purelake New Homes Limited for the year ended 31 December 2003 on pages 5 to 15. These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 9.

Responsibilities of Director and Auditors

As described on page 3 the company directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards. Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the Directors' Report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed.

We read the Directors' Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

Basis of Opinion

We conduct our audit in accordance with United Kingdom 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 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 the company's affairs as at 31 December 2003 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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Jubilee House Jubilee Court Dersingham King's Lynn Norfolk PE31 6HH

Burrells Accountancy Limited Registered Auditors

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

	<u>Notes</u>	Year Ended <u>31.12.03</u> <u>£</u>	Period 01.10.01 to 31.12.02 £
GROSS PROFIT		3416580	4574538
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES		853835	1399373
		2562745	3175165
OTHER OPERATING INCOME	17	161386	206654
OPERATING PROFIT	13	2724131	3381819
INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES	18	270130	368365
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		2454001	3013454

PROFIT AND LOSS APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	<u>Note</u>	Year Ended 31.12.03 £ 2454001	Period 01.10.01 to 31.12.02 £ 3013454
TAXATION	16	743826	919731
RETAINED PROFIT for year/period		1710175	2093723
RETAINED PROFIT brought forward		5040490	2946767
RETAINED PROFIT carried forward		6750665	5040490

CONTINUING OPERATIONS

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None of the activities of the company were commenced or were discontinued during the current year or previous period.

TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the above profits for the current year and previous period.

BALANCE SHEET - 31 DECEMBER 2003

	<u>Notes</u>		2003 <u>£</u>	<u>2002</u> <u>£</u>
FIXED ASSETS Tangible Assets	7		277820	213916
CURRENT ASSETS Stocks and Work in Progress Debtors Cash at Bank and in Hand	8 9	6875721 4192941 135524 11204186		7586277 2998649 386 10585312
CREDITORS AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	10	4708028		5541241
NET CURRENT ASSETS			6496158	5044071
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES	i		6773978	5257987
CREDITORS AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER ONE YEAR	11		1233	195547
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES			6772745	5062440
AND CHARGES	12		21980	21850
			6750765	5040590
CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called Up Share Capital Profit and Loss Account	2		100 6750665 6750765	100 5040490 5040590
B J White Director			5 May	7 <i>004</i> Date

<u>8</u> <u>PURELAKE NEW HOMES LIMITED</u> <u>CASH FLOW STATEMENT</u> <u>YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003</u>

	<u>Notes</u>		Year Ended <u>31.12.03</u> <u>£</u>	Period 01.10.01 to 31.12.02 £
CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	19		2403430	3495828
RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND SERVICING OF FINANCE Interest Received		159260		174131
Interest Paid		(270130)		(368365)
Net Cash Outflow from Returns on Investments and Servicing of Finance			(110870)	(194234)
TAXATION			(1155123)	65420
CAPITAL EXPENDITURE Payments to Acquire Fixed Assets Receipts from Sales of Fixed Assets		(131460) 		(9710) 1500
Net Cash Outflow from Capital Expenditure			(131460)	(8210)
FINANCING Repayment of Loans Receipts from New Loans Capital Hire Purchase Repayments		(4500062) 3804739 (63641)		(5956105) 2979852 (86875)
Net Cash Outflow from Financing			(758964)	(3063128)
INCREASE IN CASH			247013	295676
RECONCILIATION OF NET CASH FLOW TO MOVEMENT IN NET DEBT Increase in Cash in the Year/Period	20		247013	295676
Capital Hire Purchase Repayments			63641	86875
Repayment of Loans Receipts from New Loans New Hire Purchase Agreement			4500062 (3804739) 	5956105 (2979852) (32606)
Net Debt as at 31 December 2002/30 Septemb	ser 2001		1005977 (280 7 308)	3326198 (6133506)
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Net Debt as at 31 December 2003/2002			(1801331)	(2807308)

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

1. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a) Accounting Convention

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention.

b) **Depreciation**

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of the fixed assets on a reducing balance basis over their expected useful lives. The annual rates used are as follows: -

<u>%</u>

Motor Vehicles 25 Equipment 25

c) Stocks and Work in Progress

Stocks and Work in Progress are valued at the lower of cost or net realisable value.

d) **Deferred Taxation**

Provision is made for deferred taxation in respect of timing differences that have originated but not reversed by the Balance Sheet date.

e) Hire Purchase Commitments

Assets obtained under Hire Purchase Contracts are capitalised in the Balance Sheet and depreciated over their useful lives. Interest is charged to the Profit and Loss Account over the period of the agreement.

f) Pension Costs

The company operates a money purchase pension scheme. Contributions for the period are charged to the Profit and Loss Account as paid.

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3. **SECURED CREDITORS**

Bank borrowings totalling £1053696 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £2548506) are from Barclays Bank plc and are secured by a charge over various developments in progress and a floating charge over all other assets.

Bank borrowings totalling £850612 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £Nil) are from National Westminster Bank plc and are secured by a charge over the one development in progress.

4. **CONTROLLING PARTY**

Mr and Mrs White, directors of the company, are the ultimate controlling parties.

5. **HOLDING COMPANY**

The company is a subsidiary of Purelake Properties Limited, a company incorporated in England. At 31 December 2003 the company owed £765696 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £771428) to the holding company in respect of loan advances which are repayable on demand.

The company paid interest on the loan at the rate it would pay interest to its bankers. The interest for the year ended 31 December 2003 amounted to £43969 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £75043).

6. TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES/COMPANIES

Purelake Investments Limited, a company incorporated in England, is a fellow subsidiary of Purelake Properties Limited. The company sold properties to Purelake Investments Limited totalling £476000 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £2294000), which are based on open market valuations. The company also undertook major building and refurbishment work for Purelake Investments Limited during the year, which totalled £3188000. At 31 December 2003 the company was owed £3566343 by Purelake Investments Limited (period ended 31 December 2002 - £2433384) in respect of loan advances which are repayable on demand.

The company charged interest at a commercial rate and for the year ended 31 December 2003 this amounted to £147499 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £168429).

The company operates a Self Administered Pension Scheme. The scheme had loaned £163000 to the company, which was repaid by the end of the year and attracted interest at the commercial rate.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

7. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			
	Equipment £	Motor <u>Vehicles</u> <u>£</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>£</u>
COST			
At 31 December 2002 Additions	326901 107623	93806 23837	420707 131460
Disposals	434524 	117643 8986	552167 8986
At 31 December 2003	434524	108657	543181
			
DEPRECIATION			
At 31 December 2002	146683	60108	206791
Charge for Year	54692	12864	67556
Eliminated on Disposals	201375	72972 8986	274347 8986
Limitated off Disposals		0900	0900
At 31 December 2003	201375	63986	265361
			
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31 December 2003	233149	44671	277820
			
At 31 December 2002	180218	33698	213916

ASSETS ACQUIRED UNDER HIRE PURCHASE AGREEMENTS

The total net book value of fixed assets includes £106564 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £142088) in respect of assets acquired under hire purchase agreements after charging depreciation for the year of £35524 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £61222).

8.	STOCKS AND WORK IN PROGRESS	2003 <u>£</u>	2002 £
	Stocks and Developments in Progress	6875721 ———	7586277
9.	<u>DEBTORS</u>	2003 £	2002 £
	Trade Debtors Taxation and Social Security Costs Prepayments Amounts Owed by Group Undertaking (Note 6)	443206 112333 71059 3566343	403074 57397 104794 2433384
10.	CREDITORS	4192941	2998649
	AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	<u>2003</u> <u>£</u>	<u>2002</u> £
	Bank Overdraft Bank Loan Instalments Hire Purchase Instalments Trade Creditors Amounts Owed to Group Undertaking (Note 5) Corporation Tax Other Taxes and Social Security Costs Accruals Directors Current Account	1904308 31314 1406028 765696 525000 42486 29330 3866	111875 2436631 63641 778372 771428 936427 247811 40420 154636
11.	CREDITORS AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER ONE YEAR	2003 £	2002 £
	Hire Purchase Instalments Other Loans (Note 6)	1233	32547 163000
		1233	195547
12.	PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES	<u>2003</u> <u>£</u>	<u>2002</u> <u>£</u>
	Provision for Deferred Taxation	21980	21850

Period

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OPERATING PROFIT

	Operating profit is stated after charging: -	Year Ended <u>31.12.03</u>	01.10.01 to 31.12.02
	operating profit is stated after charging	<u>£</u>	£
	Auditors Remuneration Depreciation	35800 67556	43686 92967
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14.	STAFF COSTS		Period
		Year	01.10.01
		Ended	to
		<u>31.12.03</u> <u>£</u>	<u>31.12.02</u> <u>£</u>
	Directors Salaries	237000	657500
	Directors Pension Costs	51242	61726
	Other Salaries	570076	587130
	Social Security Costs	93530	134825
	Employees Pension Scheme	9537	8423
		961385	1449604
	The average weekly number of employees during the ye	ar/period was made up as fo	llows: -
	g y was a sample year as any	anpones was made up as to	Period
		Year	01.10.01
		Ended	to
		<u>31.12.03</u> <u>£</u>	31.12.02
		<u>r</u>	£
	Directors	3	3
	Site Managers and Labourers Office	13	11
	Office	7	6
		23	20
		3 <u>40</u>	=
15.	DIRECTORS EMOLUMENTS		Period
		Year	01.10.01
		Ended	to
		<u>31.12.03</u> <u>£</u>	31.12.02 <u>£</u>
		±	-
	Aggregate Emoluments	263754	697275
	Pension Contributions	51242	61726
		314996	759001
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The emoluments of the highest paid director for the year are £141776 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £508758).

There are 2 directors benefiting from the Money Purchase Pension Scheme (period ended 31 December 2002 - 2). Contributions for the year relating to the highest paid director amounted to £31014 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £31014).

16. **TAXATION**

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Corporation Tax has been charged on the profits for the year at a rate of 30% (period ended 31 December 2002 - 30%) and amounts to £600000 (period ended 31 December 2002 - £936427).

The charge in the Profit and Loss Account is made up as follows: -

	Year Ended <u>31.12.03</u> <u>£</u>	Period 01.10.01 to <u>31.12.02</u> <u>£</u>
Mainstream Corporation Tax Payable Receipt from Parent Company	600000	936427
for Surrender of Losses for the Year/Period Payment/(Receipt) to/(from) Fellow Subsidiary		(31849)
for Surrender of Losses for the Year/Period	143696	(6697)
Transfer to Deferred Taxation Provision	130	21850
	743826	919731
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The deferred taxation charge provided for in the accounts is made up as follows: -

		Period
	Year	01.10.01
	Ended	to
	<u>31.12.03</u>	<u>31.12.02</u>
	<u>£</u>	£
Capital Allowances in Advance of Depreciation	21980	21850
		

OTHER OPERATING INCOME	Year Ended <u>31.12.03</u> <u>£</u>	Period 01.10.01 to <u>31.12.02</u> <u>£</u>
Rent Received	2126	32523
Bank Interest Received	4562	5702
Interest on Inter Company Loan (Note 6)	147499	168429
Interest on Late Payment of Property Sales	7199	
	161386	206654
		

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

18.	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR	CHARGES		Year Ended <u>31,12.03</u> <u>£</u>	Period 01.10.01 to 31.12.02
	Bank Charges Bank Overdraft and Loan Interest Interest on Inter Company Loan (Note Hire Purchase Interest Other Interest Payable	5)		28988 188647 43969 7438 1088	15890 268309 75043 9041 82
				270130	368365
19.	RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING F CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING A		<u>=T</u>	Year Ended 31.12.03 <u>£</u>	Period 01.10.01 to 31.12.02 £
	Operating Profit Depreciation Interest Received Decrease in Stocks and Work in Progr Increase in Debtors Increase in Creditors Net Cash Inflow from Operating Activit			2724131 67556 (159260) 710556 (1194292) 254739	3381819 92967 (174131) 1372319 (1343906) 166760 3495828
20.	ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DE	ВТ			
		As at <u>31.12.02</u> <u>£</u>	Cash Flow £	Other <u>Movement</u> <u>£</u>	As at <u>31.12.03</u> <u>£</u>
	Bank and Cash Balances Debt Due Within One Year Debt Due After More Than One Year	(111489) (2500272) (195547)	247013 595964 163000	(31314) 31314	135524 (1935622) (1233)
	Total	(2807308)	1005977		(1801331)