REPORTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995

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REPORT OF THE COUNCIL OF MEMBERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995

The Council of Members have pleasure in presenting their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 1995.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The company acts as a trade association to carry on business in the production, collation and exchange of information and advice in relation to the application of telecommunications, computing and electronic technology within the transport industries and all matters connecting therewith.

The income and expenditure account is set out on page 6.

COUNCIL OF MEMBERS

The Council Members who held office during the period were as follows:

Mrs Gini Ainley

Mr D R Carter

Mrs Susan R Harvey

Professor Peter Hills

Superintendent Chris Leithead (Resigned - 30.6.95)

Professor Mike Macdonald

Mr Eamonn McArdle

Mr A McArthur

Mr David Robertson

Mr Richard Smith (Resigned - 01.01.96)

Mr Colin Snowden

Mr M Williams

Mr Richard Sweet (Resigned - 01.01.96)

Mr David Clowes

Mr Nigel Davies (Appointed - 01.01.95)
Mr Alan Stevens (Appointed - 01.01.95)
Mr Ken Oastler (Appointed - 06.03.96)
Chief Superintendent K Jones (Appointed - 06.03.96)

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL OF MEMBERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995 - continued

AUDITORS

Morison Stoneham are not seeking re-appointment as auditors and a resolution to appoint Herbert J Moore F.C.A will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

COMPANIES ACT 1985

The company has taken advantage, in the preparation of the Council of Members' report, of the special exemptions applicable to small companies conferred by Part II of Schedule 8 of the Companies Act 1985.

Telford Avenue Transport Research Laboratory Crowthorne Berkshire RG11 6YS

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BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL OF MEMBERS

SUSAN R HARVEY SECRETARY GENERAL

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STATEMENT OF COUNCIL OF MEMBERS' RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995

Company law requires the council of members to prepare financial statements for each financial period which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the surplus or deficit of the company for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the Council of Members are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The Council of Members 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 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.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF RTI FOCUS (UK) LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 9 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 7.

Respective responsibilities of Council of members and auditors

As described on page 3, the company's Council members are responsible for the preparation of the 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 the company's affairs as at 31 December 1995 and of its deficit for the year ended 31 December 1995 and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies.

805 Salisbury House 31 Finsbury Circus LONDON EC2M 5SQ

4 July 1992

MORISON STONEHAM

Registered Auditors Chartered Accountants

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 1995

		1995		1994	
	Note	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS		·			
Intangible assets Tangible assets	3		2,848 5,793		5,695 7,580
			8,641		13,275
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	4	18,512 7,942		22,208 8,382	
		26,454		30,590	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	5	35,628		50,777	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(9,174)		(20,187)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			£(533)		£(6,912)
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT - DEFICIT			£(533)		£(6,912)

The company has taken advantage, in the preparation of the financial statements, of the special exemptions applicable to small companies conferred by Part I of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985. In the opinion of the Members of the Council, the company is entitled to these exemptions as a small company.

Members of the Council

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995

		1995		1994	
	Note	£	£	£	£
Members subscriptions - Founder	2		72,350		90,733
- Ordinary			66,300		33,145
			138,650		123,878
Other income			4,208		13,990
Deposit interest			488		429
·			143,346		138,297
EXPENDITURE			•		ŕ
Staff salaries		34,806		33,942	
Telephone, postage and stationery		8,655		8,131	
Insurance		373		351	
Consultancy fee		49,398		48,432	
Promotion expenses		7,674		6,743	
Newsletter publication		10,042		8,203	
Subscription and attendances at outside					
conferences		5,861		4,555	
Conferences, seminars and demonstrator d	ays	5,869		19,789	
Professional fees		1,800	,	. 300	
Bank charges		464	·	349	
Audit fee		2,300		2,300	
Sundry expenses		1,775		1,536	
Database Maintenance		1,250		4,600	
Depreciation		6,578	•	6,092	
Formation expense written off		-		3,046	-
		 	136,845	·	148,369
(DEFICIT)/SURPLUS ON ORDINARY					
ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION			6,501		(10,072)
Taxation	6		122		107
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) ON ORDINARY					
ACTIVITIES AFTER TAXATION			6,379		(10,179)
(DEFICIT)/SURPLUS BROUGHT FOR	RWARD		(6,912)		3,267
ACCUMULATED (DEFICIT)/SURPLU	S		0.522		0/6 016
CARRIED FORWARD			£(533)		$\underbrace{\text{£}(6,912)}_{}$

All amounts relate to continuing activities.

All recognised gains and losses are included in the income and expenditure account.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995

1. STATUS OF THE COMPANY

The company has no share capital and is a company limited by guarantee. Under the Memorandum of Association, the liability of individual members is restricted to a maximum of £1 each.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

2.1 Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared on an historical cost basis and in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards.

2.2 Cash flow statement

The company is entitled to the exemptions available to small companies under the Companies Act 1985 and accordingly no cash flow statement is included in these financial statements.

2.3 Depreciation and amortisation

Depreciation is charged at rates calculated to write off fixed assets over their anticipated useful lives. Their anticipated useful lives are:

Fixtures, fittings and office equipment - 25% straight line - 25% straight line - 25% straight line

2.4 Subscriptions

Subscriptions are included in the financial statements net of value added tax.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995 - continued

3.	FIXED ASSETS	Intangible Assets Computer Software £	Tangible Assets Office Equipment £
	Cost		
	At 1.1.95	11,390	12,977
	Additions during period	-	1,943
	At 31.12.95	£11,390	£14,920
	Depreciation		
	At 1.1.95	5,695	5,397
	Charge for the period	2,847	3,730
	At 31.12.95	£8,542	£9,127
	At 31.12.73		
	Net Book Values		
	At 31.12.95	£2,848	£5,793
	At 31.12.94	£5,695	£7,580
4.	DEBTORS	•	· ·
	Amounts falling due within one year:		
		1995	1994
		£	£
	Subscription debtors	14,919	18,503
	Other debtors	3,593	3,705
		£18,512	£22,208
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5	CREDITORS		
	Amounts falling due within one year:		
	,	1995	1994
		£	£
	Trade Creditors	31,753	22,498
	Social Security and other taxes	1,703	3,933
	Corporation tax	122	107
	Deferred income	-	19,125
	Accruals	2,050	5,114
		£35,628	£50,777

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995 - continued

6. TAXATION

The company is liable to corporation tax on bank interest received at current rates of taxation.

7. DIRECTORS

All Members of the Council listed in the Report of the Council of Members are considered directors under the provisions of the Companies Act 1985. None of them received any remuneration from the company for services as directors or executives of the company.

8. DIRECTOR'S INTEREST IN CONTRACTS

Consultancy fees amounting to £32,061 were paid to Traffic Solutions Limited, a company in which Mrs Susan R Harvey is a director.

9. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These financial statements were approved by the Council of Members on 14 May 1996.