Report of the Directors and

Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 31 July 2000

<u>for</u>

Waterfront-Student Union Services Ltd

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Company Information for the Year Ended 31 July 2000

**DIRECTORS:** 

W Barnes

C Matheson P Morgan E Price J Swainson R Thorn P Waugh

SECRETARY:

A Pott

**REGISTERED OFFICE:** 

Union House

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Norwich Norfolk NR4 7TJ

REGISTERED NUMBER:

2834353 (England and Wales)

**AUDITORS:** 

BKR Haines Watts Chartered Accountants Diss Business Centre

Dark Lane Diss Norfolk IP21 4HD

#### Chairman's Statement

The Waterfront aims to offer young people in Norwich a selection of high quality, well-presented and attractive musical entertainment at reasonable prices in a safe and positive environment. We strive to involve local and national performers, promoters, technicians, artists and customers in maintaining and developing this ethos. This year's programme saw the Waterfront host its usual wide range of live music encompassing as much variety of musical tastes and styles as is practicable to fit within our programming. Once again we endeavour to provide a stage for local performers, be they DJs or local bands. One of the highlights of this year's programme was a local band competition, which attracted entries from over 40 locally based groups of musicians. This was reduced to five finalists who performed at a well-publicised event attracting considerable local media attention with the winner receiving a £1000 cash prize.

The venue continued to cater for the demand for educational space working with "Access to Music" and "Community Music East" who used the venue every daytime on Tuesdays and Wednesdays throughout the year for music technology courses. The venue has also established a sizeable following for its "Absolution" club nights, which has provided a regular, safe venue for gay and lesbian events. We are hoping to expand the daytime usage of the venue and we have an increasing number of local bands and musicians using the premises for rehearsals.

The company would like to acknowledge the continued support it receives from Norwich City Council, without which many of these services would not be financially sustainable.

R Thorn Chairman

Report of the Directors for the Year Ended 31 July 2000

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 July 2000.

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of the provision of musical entertainment.

#### DIRECTORS

The directors during the year under review were:

W Barnes - appointed 1.8.00 P Morgan - appointed 1.8.00 R Thorn - appointed 1.8.00 E Price - appointed 1.8.00 - appointed 1.8.99 - resigned 25.4.00 L Eldret C R Sanderson - appointed 1.8.99 – resigned 9.2.00 J Swainson appointed 9.2.00 C Matheson - appointed 28.7.99 P Waugh - appointed 28.7.99 - appointed 1.8.99 - resigned 1.8.00 A Marriot

C Kober - appointed 1.8.99 - resigned 1.8.00

The directors holding office at 31 July 2000 did not hold any beneficial interest in the issued share capital of the company at 1 August 1999 (or date of appointment if later) or 31 July 2000.

#### STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which 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;
- 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 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.

#### **AUDITORS**

The auditors, BKR Haines Watts, will be proposed for re-appointment in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

This report has 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:

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Hidrew J. Pott

Dated: 18th October 2000

Report of the Auditors to the Shareholders of Waterfront-Student Union Services Ltd

We have audited the financial statements on pages five to twelve which have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 2000), under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page nine.

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

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As described on page three the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of 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 July 2000 and of its loss for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

BKR Haines Watts

Chartered Accountants
Diss Business Centre

Dark Lane

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Norfolk

IP21 4HD

Dated: 1/12/00

## Profit and Loss Account for the Year Ended 31 July 2000

		200	00	199	99
	Notes	£	£	£	£
TURNOVER	2		578,318		678,453
Cost of sales			243,088		267,938
GROSS PROFIT			335,230		410,515
Operational expenses: Employment Costs Premises Costs Depreciation Administration Expenses		216,973 55,360 16,668 129,638	418,639	234,931 60,916 12,837 151,668	460,352
			(83,409)		(49,837)
Other operating income	3		50,444		49,766
OPERATING PROFIT	4		(32,965)		(71)
Interest received and similar income	5		4,879		6,338
PROFIT/ (LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION			(28,086)		6,267
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	6		(1,900)		1,900
PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AFTER TAXATION			£(26,186)		£4,367
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) ALLOCATED TO:  Asset Replacement Fund	16		16,668		12,837
Accumulated Fund	15		(42,854)		(8,470)
			£(26,186)		£4,367

Balance Sheet 31 July 2000

		31.7.00	<u>)                                    </u>	31.7.99	9
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS: Tangible assets	7		19,997		23,140
CURRENT ASSETS:					
Stocks	8	6,214		6,324	
Debtors	9	55,490		17,004	
Cash at bank and in hand		137,592		158,526	
		199,296		181,854	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling					
due within one year	10	113,794		73,309	
NET CURRENT ASSETS:			85,502		108,545
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES:			£105,499		£131,685
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CAPITAL AND RESERVES:	1.1		4		4
Called up share capital	11		4		102.484
Accumulated Fund	15		60,630		103,484
Asset Replacement Fund			44,865		28,197
SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS:			£105,499		£131,685

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 2000).

### ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

R Thorn - DIRECTOR

W Barnes - DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on 18th October 2000

## Cash Flow Statement for the Year Ended 31 July 2000

		31.7.00	31.7.99
	Notes	£	£
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from operating activities	1	(12,288)	15,204
Returns on investments and servicing of finance	2	4,879	6,338
Taxation		-	(4,368)
Capital expenditure	2	(13,525)	(14,434)
(Decrease)/Increase in cash in the	e period	£(20,934)	£2,740
Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in net funds	3		
(Decrease)/Increase in cash in th	e period	(20,934)	2,740
Change in net funds resulting from cash flows		(20,934)	2,740
Movement in net funds in the pe Net funds at 1 August	riod	(20,934) 158,526	2,740 155,786
Net funds at 31 July		£137,592	£158,526

## Notes to the Cash Flow Statement for the Year Ended 31 July 2000

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

			31.7.00 £	31.7.99 £
	Operating loss Depreciation charges Decrease in stocks Increase in debtors Increase in creditors		(32,965) 16,668 110 (38,486) 42,385	(71) 12,837 1,513 (7,427) 8,352
	Net cash (outflow)/inflow from operating activities		(12,288)	15,204
2.	ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOWS FOR HEADINGS NET	TED IN THE CASH	I FLOW STAT	EMENT
			31.7.00 £	31.7.99 £
	Returns on investments and servicing of finance Interest received		4,879	6,338
	Net cash inflow for returns on investments and servicing of finance		4,879	6,338
	Capital expenditure Purchase of tangible fixed assets		(13,525)	(14,434)
	Net cash outflow for capital expenditure		(13,525)	<u>(14,434</u> )
3.	ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET FUNDS	At 1.8.99 £	Cash flow £	At 31.7.00 £
	Net cash: Cash at bank and in hand	158,526 158,526	(20,934)	137,592 137,592
	Total	158,526	(20,934)	137,592
	Analysed in Balance Sheet			
	Cash at bank and in hand	158,526		137,592
		158,526		137,592

## Notes to the 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.

#### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rate in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Equipment - 25% on cost

#### Stocks

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

#### **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.

#### 2. TURNOVER

The turnover and loss before taxation are attributable to the principal activity of the company.

#### 3. OTHER OPERATING INCOME

	31.7.00	31.7.99
	£	£
Sundry Receipts	10,045	6,952
Grants Received	25,850	26,775
Rebates	14,549	16,039
	50,444	49,766

#### 4. OPERATING LOSS

The operating loss is stated after charging:

	31.7.00	31.7.99
	£	£
Depreciation	16,668	12,837
Auditors' remuneration	2,000	2,000

## Directors' emoluments and other benefits etc

#### 5. INTEREST RECEIVABLE AND SIMILAR INCOME

	31.7.00	31.7.99
	£	£
Deposit Account Interest	4,879	6,338

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 July 2000

### 6. TAXATION

	UK corporation tax	£ (1,900)	£ 1,900
	UK corporation tax was charged at 20% in 1999.		
7.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS		
			Equipment
	COST:		£
	At 1 August 1999		51,337
	Additions		13,525
	At 31 July 2000		64,862
	DEPRECIATION:		
	At 1 August 1999		28,197
	Charge for year		16,668
	At 31 July 2000		44,865
	NET BOOK VALUE:		
	At 31 July 2000		19,997
	At 31 July 1999		23,140
8.	STOCKS		
		31.7.00	31.7.99
		£	£
	Bar Stocks	6,214	6,324
9.	DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING		
	DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
		31.7.00 £	31.7.99 £
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	V.A.T. Trade Debtors	1,562	12 275
	Other Debtors	44,733 2,702	13,375
	Prepayments & Accrued Income	4,593	3,629
	Tax Repayment	1,900	
		55,490	17,004
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The tax charge on the loss on ordinary activities for the year was as follows:

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 July 2000

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## 10. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING

DUE WITH	IN ONE YEAR			
			31.7.00 £	31.7.99 £
Trade Credit	ore		47,505	62,283
Other Credit			1,322	2,945
V.A.T.	015		1,322	
			-	3,181
Taxation			-	1,900
Accrued Exp	enses		64,967	3,000
			113,794	73,309
CALLED U Authorised: Number:	P SHARE CAPITAL  Class:	Nominal	31.7.00	31.7.99
		value:	£	£
100	Ordinary	£1	100	100
Allotted, iss	ued and fully paid:			
Number:	Class:	Nominal value:	31.7.00 £	31.7.99 £

The share capital of the company is held in trust by D.H.P. Trustee company on behalf of the Union of UEA Students.

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#### 12. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

Ordinary

The ultimate controlling body of the company is the Union of UEA Students.

#### 13. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

The following organisations are deemed to be related parties under the definition given within FRS 8.

- 1. Norwich City Council
- Whilst the entire share ownership of the company resides with the Union of UEA Students, Norwich City Council have the right to appoint a director to the company and to influence policy. This right is confirmed through the memorandum and articles of association and through a formal memorandum of agreement. This agreement has now expired and is in the process of renegotiation.
- During the year to 31.07.00, the company received grants & rebates of £40,399 from Norwich City Council.
- 2. Union of UEA Students
- Management charges of £21,854 were paid to the Union of UEA Students.

#### 14. RESERVES

The company's memorandum and articles of association place a restriction on the use of reserves in that no distributions may be made from reserves to shareholders, except in the case of a winding up.

Notes to the Financial Statements
For the Year Ended 31 July 2000-09-28

### 15. ACCUMULATED FUND

	31.7.00 £	31.7.99 £
At 1 August 1999	103,484	111,954
Transfer to Profit & Loss Account	(42,854)	(8,470)
	60,630	103,484
	######################################	=====
16. ASSET REPLACEMENT FUND		
	31.7.00	31.7.99
	£	£
At 1 August 1999	28,197	15,360
Transfer from Profit & Loss Account	16,668	12,837
	44,865	28,197
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The Asset Replacement Fund is not transferable to other group members.