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Cytec UK Holdings Limited DIRECTORS AND ADVISORS

DIRECTORS
DM Drillock (Chairman)
RD Smith
M Hulligan
A Schiebroek

SECRETARY
Pinsent Masons Secretarial Limited

REGISTERED OFFICE Abenbury Way Wrexham Industrial Estate Wrexham LL13 9UZ

AUDITORS KPMG LLP St James' Square Manchester M2 6DS

DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors submit their report and financial statements of Cytec UK Holdings Limited for the year ended 31 December 2008

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activities of the company is that of a holding company for subsidiaries involved in the manufacture and supply of anionic, nonionic and cationic polyacrylamides, for use in the mining, paper, water treatment and oilfield industries, for the manufacture and distribution of composites and adhesives for use, primarily, in the aerospace and leisure industries and for distribution of Coating, Bonding and Printing Chemicals to the Automotive and General Construction Industry

RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2007 £nil) which leaves a loss of £6,530k to be retained (2007 profit of £2,769k)

DIRECTORS

The following directors have held office since 1 January 2008

DM Drillock (Chairman) RD Smith M Hulligan A Schiebroek

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN SHARES AND DEBENTURES

None of the directors who held office at the end of the financial year had any disclosable interest in the shares of group companies

DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

The Directors who held office at the date of approval of the financial statements confirm that, in so far as they are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware, and each Director has taken all steps that they ought to have taken as Director to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditors are aware of that information

AUDITORS

Pursuant to a shareholder's resolution, the company is not obliged to reappoint its auditors annually and KPMG LLP will therefore continue in office

By order of the board

Director λ

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STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES IN RESPECT OF THE DIRECTORS' REPORT AND THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

The company's financial statements are required by law to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss for that period

In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements,
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the parent company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the parent company and enable them to ensure that its financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They have a general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.



KPMG LLP

St James' Square Manchester M2 6DS United Kingdom

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF CYTEC UK HOLDINGS LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements (the "financial statements") of Cytec UK Holdings for the year ended 31 December 2008 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, Company Balance Sheet, the Reconciliations of Movements in Shareholder's Funds and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and UK Accounting Standards (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities on page 3

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland)

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 other transactions is not disclosed

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

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) 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.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF CYTEC UK HOLDINGS LIMITED (Continued)

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements

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- give a true and fair view, in accordance with UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state
 of the parent company's affairs as at 31 December 2008 and of the profit for the year then ended, and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and

• the information given in the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements

KPMG LLP

Chartered Accountants
Registered Auditors

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Profit and Loss Account for the year ended 31 December 2008	Note	2008 £000	2007 £000
	11016	2000	2000
TURNOVER Cost of sales		-	-
GROSS PROFIT		-	-
Distribution costs		-	_
Administrative expenses		(6,673)	(60)
Other operating income		-	•
OPERATING LOSS		(6,673)	(60)
Other interest receivable and similar income	2 3	56	112
Interest payable and similar charges	3	(4,516)	(4,347)
Income from shares in group undertakings		3,701	6,000
(LOSS)/PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE	2-4	(7,432)	1,705
TAXATION Taxation	6	902	1,064
RETAINED (LOSS)/PROFIT FOR THE YEAR		(6,530)	2,769

Company	Balance	Sheet
As at 31 Dece	mher 2008	

As at 31 December 2008	Note	2	2008		7
		£000	£000	£000	£000
Fixed assets Investments	7		121,977		128,577
Current Assets Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	8	2,235 4,379		3,231 95	
Creditors Amounts falling due within one year	9	6,614 (20,782)		3,326 (17,564)	
Net current Liabilities			(14,168)		(14,238)
Total assets less current liabilities			107,809		114,339
Creditors Amounts falling due in more than one year	10		(66,437)		(66,437)
Net Assets			41,372		47,902
Capital and Reserves Called up share capital Profit and loss account	12 13		10,000 31,372		10,000 37,902
Shareholder's Funds			41,372		47,902

Approved by the board on \$25 The Funday 2010 *

Reconciliation of movements in shareholder's funds

	2008	2007
	£000	£000
(Loss)/Profit for the financial year Other recognised gains and losses (net)	(6,530)	2,769 -
Total recognised gains and losses recognised since the last annual report	(6,530)	2,769
Opening shareholder's funds	47,902	45,133
CLOSING SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS	41,372	47,902

For the year ended 31 December 2008

Notes

(forming part of the financial statements)

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards

The company is exempt from the requirements of Financial Reporting Standard 1 to prepare a cash flow statement as it is a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking of Cytec Industries Inc, and its cash flows are included within the consolidated cash flow statement of that company

As the company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Cytec Industries Inc, the company has taken advantage of the exemptions contained in Financial Reporting Standard 8 and has therefore not disclosed transactions or balances with entities which form part of the Group

EXEMPTION FROM CONSOLIDATION

Effective for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2005 UITF Abstract 43 "Interpretation of Equivalence for the purpose of S228A Companies Act 1985" exempts, subject to certain conditions, an Intermediate UK Parent Company from the requirements to prepare consolidated financial statements where they are owned by a parent undertaking outside the European Union and are included in the consolidated accounts of that Non EU parent Management have considered the conditions set out in UITF Abstract 43 and have concluded these conditions are met Therefore for the year ended 31 December 2008 the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing consolidated financial statements afforded by S228A of Companies Act 1985 because it is a wholly owned subsidiary of Cytec Industries Inc which prepares consolidated financial statements that are publicly available, see note 16

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the financial statements, except as noted below

INVESTMENTS

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost Provision is made for any impairment in the value of fixed asset investments

FOREIGN CURRENCIES

Assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

Assets, liabilities and results of overseas subsidiaries are translated at the rate ruling at the balance sheet date. Exchange differences arising are dealt with through reserves

DEFERRED TAXATION

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events that result in an obligation to pay more tax in the future or a right to pay less tax in the future have occurred at the balance sheet date. Timing differences are differences between the group's taxable profits and its results as stated in the financial statements that arise from the inclusion of gains and losses in tax assessments in periods different from those in which they are recognised in the financial statements

Deferred tax is measured at the average tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences are expected to reverse, based on tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantially enacted by the balance sheet date. Deferred tax is measured on a non-discounted basis.

Notes (continued)	

2	OTHER INTEREST RECEIVABLE AND SIMILAR INCOME	2008 £000	2007 £000
	Bank interest receivable Other interest receivable	56	91 21
		56	112
3	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES	2008 £000	2007 £000
	Inter-company interest payable On bank loans and overdrafts	4,514 2	4,238 109
		4,516	4,347
4	PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION Profit on ordinary activities before taxation is stated after charging	2008	2007
	Depreciation and amounts written off tangible fixed assets Investment impairment	£000 6,600	£000
	Auditors' remuneration Audit of these financial statements Other services	5 15	5 15

As a result of current year operating losses in one of the Companies' investments an impairment review was carried out by management Management prepared a discounted cash flow to value the investment, using a discount rate of 12% As a result of this exercise an impairment of £6 6m has been recorded

Notes (continued)

5 **EMPLOYEES**

During the year the company had no employees (2007: none) and therefore incurred staff costs of £nıl (2007 £Nıl)

DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION	2008 £000	2007 £000
Emoluments	-	-

The Directors who served during the period received no remuneration from the company (2007

6	TAXATION	20	008	2007	
	Comment	£000	£000	£000	£000
	Current tax UK corporation tax on profits of the year Foreign tax	-	-		-
	Total current tax		-		-
	Deferred tax Origination and reversal of timing differences Adjustments in respect of prior periods	950 (48)		1,202 (138)	
	Total deferred tax		902		1,064
	Tax on profit on ordinary activities		902	-	1,064

Notes (continued)

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Factors affecting tax charge for the year:	2008 £000	2007 £000
The tax assessed for the year is lower than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK (28 5%) The differences are explained below	2000	2000
(Loss)/Profit on ordinary activities before tax	(7,432)	1,705
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK 28 5% (2007 30%)	(2,118)	512
Effects of		
Non taxable income	(1,055)	(1,800)
Creation of Tax Losses	950	1,202
Non Deductable Expense	2,223	88
Current tax charge for the year		-

Notes (continued)

FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	Shares in subsidiary undertakings £000
Cost	100 577
At beginning and end of year	128,577
Impairment At beginning of year Current year	6,600
At end of year	6,600
Net book value	
At 31 December 2008	121,977
	-
At 31 December 2007	128,577
	

The company holds more than 20% of the equity (and no other share or loan capital) of the following undertakings

Company	Country of incorporation	Principal activity	Class and percentage of shares held
Direct subsidiary undertakings			
Cytec Industries UK Limited	England	Manufacture and distribution of polyacrylics	100% ordinary shares
Cytec Engineered Materials Limited	England	Manufacture and distribution of composites and adhesives	100% ordinary shares
Cytec Industries BV	Netherlands	Distributor and reseller of polyacrylics, composites and adhesives	100% ordinary shares
Cytec Surface Specialties UK Ltd	UK	Distributor and reseller of Coatings, Bonding and Printing Chemicals	100% ordinary shares
Cytec Engineered Materials GmbH	Germany	Manufacture and distribution of composites and adhesives	90% ordinary shares
Indirect subsidiary undertakings			
Cytec Manufacturing BV	Netherlands	Toll manufacturer	100% ordinary shares
Cytec Industries France S a r I	France	Distributor of polyacrylics, composites and adhesives	100% ordinary shares
Cytec France SAS (Acquired 01 October 2008)	France	Distributor and reseller of Coatings, Bonding and Printing Chemicals	100% ordinary shares

Notes	(continued)
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8	DEBTORS		
		2008 £000	2007 £000
	Due within one year		
	Amounts owed by group undertakings Deferred tax (see note 11)	83 2,152	502 2,729
	Determent that (see note 11)		
		2,235	3,231
9	CREDITORS Amounts falling due within		
	one year	2008	2007
		£000	£000
	Amounts owed to group undertakings Accruals and deferred income	20,732 50	17,539 25
		20,782	17,564

10	CREDITORS Amounts falling due in more		
	than one year	2008	2007
		£000	£000
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	66,437	66,437

All amounts owed to group undertakings are payable in more than five years

Notes (continued)

11 PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES

DEFERRED TAXATON		Deferred Taxation
		£000
At beginning of year Provision for year		2,729 950 (48)
Adjustment to Prior year Losses Surrendered		(1,479)
Losses Surrendered		 -
At end of year (see note 8)		2,152
Provision for deferred tax has been made as follows		
	2008 £000	2007 £000
Excess of tax allowances over depreciation Other, Tax Losses	2,152	2,729
	2,152	2,729
		

Note	S (continued)		
12	SHARE CAPITAL	2008 £000	2007 £000
	Authorised Equity 20,000,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	20,000	20,000
	Allotted, issued and fully paid Equity 10,000,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	10,000	10,000
13	PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT		£000
	At beginning of year Loss for the year		37,902 (6,530)
	At end of year		31,372
14	CAPITAL COMMITMENTS		
		2008 £000	2007 £000
	Capital expenditure contracted for but not provided in the financial statements	-	-
			

15 **CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

The company has given unsecured guarantees to third parties amounting to £Nil (2007 £Nil)

16 **ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY**

The largest group in which the results of the company and sub group are consolidated is that headed by Cytec Industries Inc, incorporated in the United States of America The consolidated accounts of this group are available to the public and may be obtained from Five Garret Mountain Plaza, West Paterson, NJ 07424, USA