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Independent Auditors Report to Bede Investment Properties Limited Under Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 3 to 6 together with the full statutory accounts of the company for the year ended 31 December 2002 prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of opinion

We have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the accounts, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purposes of this report does not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full statutory accounts.

Opinion

In our opinion, the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 3 to 6 have been properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

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Registered Auditors Chartered Accountants London

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Abbreviated Balance Sheet

As at 31 December 2002

	Notes	2002 £'000	2001 £'000
Fixed assets Tangible assets	2	250	250
Current assets Debtors Cash at bank and in hand		17 215	3 351
Creditors: Amounts falling due		232	354
within one year	3	(482)	(516)
Net current (liabilities)/assets		(250)	(162)
Total assets less current liabilities		-	88
Capital and reserves	,		
Called up share capital Profit and loss account	4	-	88
Shareholders' funds		-	88

The accounts are prepared in accordance with the special provisions of PartVII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

Approved by the board

26/08/2003

D W Simpson Director

D F Clarke - Director

Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts

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1. Accounting policies

Accounting convention

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

Turnover

Turnover represents rents and related service costs receivable from tenants, excluding value added tax.

Depreciation and tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets other than freehold land and investment properties so as to write them off over their anticipated useful lives at the following annual rates on a straight line basis:

Fixtures and fittings - 20% per annum
Plant and machinery - 20% per annum
Motor vehicles - 25% per annum

Fixed assets are reviewed for impairment, where in the directors opinion, current circumstances or events indicate an impairment in the carrying value of an asset.

In accordance with SSAP 19, investment properties are periodically revalued and the aggregate surplus or deficit is transferred to a revaluation reserve or, in cases where the deficit is greater than previous cumulative surpluses, to the profit and loss account. No depreciation or amortisation is provided in respect of freehold or leasehold investment properties.

The Companies Act 1985 requires all properties to be depreciated. However, this requirement conflicts with the generally accepted accounting principle set out in SSAP 19. These properties are held for investment and the directors consider that annual depreciation would be inappropriate. The accounting policy adopted is therefore necessary for the financial statements to give a true and fair view.

Deferred taxation

The accounting policy in respect of deferred tax has been changed to reflect the requirements of FRS19 – Deferred Tax. Deferred tax is provided in full in respect of taxation deferred by timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes. The deferred tax balance has not been discounted.

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1. Accounting policies (continued)

<u>Deferred Taxation (continued)</u>

The above amounts to a change in accounting policy. The previous policy was to provide deferred tax only to the extent that it was probable that liabilities would crystallise in the foreseeable future.

The adoption of the standard has not required a prior period adjustment. If the new policy had been in place in the previous period no liability would have been recognised as the conditions for recognition would not have been satisfied.

Excess service charges

At the end of each calendar year a demand for excess service charges payable by the tenants is made where rechargeable expenses under property leases exceed interim demands made to tenants during the year. These demands can only be calculated after the company's year end date, and the directors consider it prudent to account for these on a cash received basis. At 31 December 2002 £Nil (2001: £Nil) was chargeable to tenants by the company in respect of excess service charges for the year ended on that date.

2. Tangible assets

Tangible assets	Land & buildings £'000	Motor vehicles £'000	Total £'000
Cost/valuation			
At 1 January 2002 and at 31 December 2002	250	9	259
Depresiation			
Depreciation At 1 January 2002 and at 31 December 2002	_	9	9
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Net Book Value			
At 31 December 2002	250	-	250
			
At 31 December 2001	250	-	250
The net book values of land and buildings compris	es:		
		2002	2001
		£	£
Long leasehold		250	250
Dong reasonord			
		250	250

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3. **Creditors:** amounts falling due within one year

Included within creditors are amounts of £479,000 due to the directors.

4. Called up share capital

Caneu up snare capital	2002 £	2001 £
Authorised 10,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	10,000	10,000
Allotted and fully paid 98 ordinary shares of £1 each	98	98