ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

for the year ended

30TH SEPTEMBER 1997

COMPANY NUMBER 2936783

Everitt Kerr & Co Ltd Sherwood House Bicester Road Launton Bicester Oxon OX6 0DP



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ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AT 30TH SEPTEMBER 1997

		19	97	1996	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets	•		0.050		400.000
Tangible fixed assets	2 3		2,352		192,386
Intangible fixed assets Investments	3 4		- 8		5,115 33,105
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		_	2,360		230,606
Current Assets			ŕ		·
Debtors		26,292		331,223	3
Cash at bank and in hand		-		12,615	5
		26,292		343,838	-
Creditors: Amounts falling		20,292		343,030)
due within one year	5	(80,626)		(468,171	1)
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Net Current Liabilities			(54,334)		(124,333)
			(51,974)		106,273
Creditors: Amounts falling			(01,014)		100,210
due after more than one year		(192,495)		(69,327)
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Net (Liabilities)/Assets		£(244,469)		£36,946
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Capital and Reserves					
Called up share capital	6		2		2
Revaluation reserve	•		-		45,000
Profit and loss account		(244,471)		(8,056)
Shareholders' funds		£(244,469)		£36,946
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The notes on pages 3 to 6 form part of these abbreviated accounts.

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AT 30TH SEPTEMBER 1997 (CONT.)

The directors are satisfied that the company was entitled to exemption under subsection (1) of section 249A of the Companies Act 1985 and that no other member or members have requested an audit pursuant to subsection (2) of section 249B in relation to the accounts for the financial year.

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for:

- l ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 and
- ii preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 226 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts so far as applicable to the company.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

These financial statements were appr	oved by the board on	30-Tuy 1998
on behalf of the Board,		
Brook	.DIRECTOR	

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 1997

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1.1 Accounting basis and standards

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of freehold properties and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities.

1.2. Turnover

Turnover represents the total invoice value, excluding value added tax, of goods sold and services rendered during the period.

1.3 Deferred Taxation

Deferred taxation is accounted for under the liability method in respect of material taxation effects of all timing differences which are expected to reverse in the future, calculated at the rate at which it is estimated that tax will be payable.

1.4 Amortisation

Amortisation has been computed to write-off the cost of intangible fixed assets over their expected useful lives using the following rate;

Franchises

10% per annum on cost

1.5 Depreciation

Depreciation has been computed to write off the cost of tangible fixed assets over their expected useful lives at the following rates:

Freehold land

Not depreciated

Freehold buildings

2% per annum of cost

Office equipment

15% per annum of net book value

Motor vehicles

25% per annum of net book value

1.6 Investments

Investments held as fixed assets are stated at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 1997

	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Total
	Cost or Valuation: At 1st October 1996 Disposals	£ 197,088 (192,971)
	At 30th September 1997	4,117
	Depreciation: At 1st October 1996 Charge for the period Eliminated on disposal	4,702 860 (3,797)
	At 30th September 1997	1,765
	Net Book Value: At 30th September 1997	£2,352
	At 30th September 1996	£192,386
3.	INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Franchise £
	Cost:	~
	At 1st October 1996 Eliminated on disposal	6,600 (6,600)
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	Eliminated on disposal	•
	Eliminated on disposal At 30th September 1997 Amortisation: At 1st October 1996 Charge for period	(6,600) ———————————————————————————————————
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4.	INVESTMENTS	£
	At 1st September 1996	33,105
	Disposals	(33,097)
	At 30th September 1997	<u>£8</u>

Subsidiaries Company	Principal Activity	Year end	Holding	Total Net Assets/ (Liabilities) at 30/9/97 £	Profit or (loss) for year to 30/9/97 £
Coffee Products Limited	Selling Coffee making consumables	30th September	100%	15,110	42,113
Baristas Coffee Collective Limited	Retail / catering	30th September	100%	209	210,480
Baristas (Oxford) Limited	Dormant	30th September	100%	Dorm	ant

All the subsidiaries are incorporated in England and Wales

5. SECURED LIABILITIES

Bank loans and overdrafts of £1,281 have been secured.

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6. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Authorised	1997	1996
1,000 £1 ordinary shares	£1,000	£1,000
Issued, called up and fully paid		
2 £1 ordinary shares	£2	£2

7. HOLDING COMPANY

The company is a 100% subsidiary of Alken Limited, a company incorporated in Jersey. Alken Limited is the ultimate holding company. The group is exempt from preparing group accounts under Section 245 of the Companies Act 1985.

8. TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS

Included in other creditors is a loan from the director, K W Brooks of £30,000.