DUFFER OF ST GEORGE LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT AND UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

FRIDAY



A21

14/03/2008 COMPANIES HOUSE

156

COMPANY INFORMATION

EA Prendergast **Directors**

M P Cairns

EA Prendergast Secretary

2947379 Company number

St George's House Registered office

140 Shoreditch High Street

London E1 6JE

Wilson Wright & Co, **Accountants**

Chartered Accountants,

71 Kingsway,

London, WC2B 6ST

Lloyds TSB Bank plc **Bankers**

CONTENTS

	Page
Directors' report	1
Accountants' report	2
Profit and loss account	3
Balance sheet	4 - 5
Notes to the financial statements	6 - 12

DIRECTORS' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

The directors present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2006

Principal activities

The principal activity of the company is the wholesaling of menswear

Directors

The following directors have held office since 1 January 2006

E A Prendergast M P Cairns

Directors' responsibilities

The directors are obliged under company law to prepare financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice for each financial year

The financial statements, of which the form and content is prescribed by the Companies Act 1985, must give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at the end of the financial year, and of the profit or loss for that period, and they must comply with applicable accounting standards, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements. The directors must 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 also responsible for the adoption of suitable accounting policies, their consistent use in the financial statements, supported where necessary by reasonable and prudent judgements.

The directors confirm that the above requirements have been complied with in the financial statements

In addition, the directors are responsible for maintaining adequate accounting records and sufficient internal controls to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud or any other irregularities

Small company exemptions

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

EA Prendergast

Director

Date 28/2/08

ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON THE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF DUFFER OF ST GEORGE LIMITED

In accordance with the current engagement letter and in order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 1985, we have compiled the financial statements of Duffer of St George Limited for the year ended 31 December 2006, set out on pages 3 to 12 from the accounting records and information and explanations you have given to us

This report is made to the Company's Board of Directors, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement. Our work has been undertaken so that we might compile the financial statements that we have been engaged to compile, report to the Company's Board of Directors that we have done so, and state those matters we have agreed to state to them in this 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 Board of Directors, as a body, for our work or for this report.

We have carried out this engagement in accordance with technical guidance issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and have complied with the ethical guidance laid down by the Institute relating to members undertaking the compilation of financial statements

You have acknowledged on the balance sheet as at 31 December 2006 your duty to ensure that the company has kept proper accounting records and to prepare financial statements that give a true and fair view under the Companies Act 1985. You consider that the company is exempt from the statutory requirement for an audit for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit of the financial statements. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the financial statements

Wand

Wilson Wright & Co, Chartered Accountants,

71 Kingsway,

London, WC2B 6ST

Date 28/2/08

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

	Notes	2006 €	2005 £
Turnover	2	4,199,042	4,687,869
Cost of sales		(2,352,962)	(2,493,435)
Gross profit		1,846,080	2,194,434
Administrative expenses		(1,869,126)	(2,156,839)
Operating (loss)/profit		(23,046)	37,595
Loan to subsidiary undertaking written	off	-	(600,000)
Interest payable		(111,970)	(100,660)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(135,016)	(663,065)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	4	-	(572)
Loss for the financial year	12	(135,016)	(663,637)

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2006

		200	06	2005	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					46,471
Intangible assets	5		54,052		128,811
Tangible assets	6		92,732		7,755
Investments	7		7,755		
			154,539		183,037
Current assets					
Stocks		508,591		750,427	
Debtors	8	1,570,809		2,181,469	
Cash at bank and in hand		522		33	
		2,079,922		2,931,929	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year	10	(2,060,984)		(2,864,626)	
Net current assets			18,938		67,303
Total assets less current liabilities			173,477		250,340
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year			(846,763)		(788,610)
			(673,286)		(538,270)
Capital and reserves	44		100		100
Called up share capital Profit and loss account	11 12		(673,386)		(538,370
Shareholders' funds			(673,286)		(538,270

BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED)

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2006

In preparing these financial statements

- (a) The directors are of the opinion that the company is entitled to the exemption from audit conferred by Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985,
- (b) No notice has been deposited under Section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985, and
- (c) The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for
 - (i) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, 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

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 January 2005)

Approved by the Board for issue on 28/1/08

M P Cairns

Director

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

1 Accounting Policies

1.1 Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005)

1.2 Compliance with accounting standards

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), which have been applied consistently

13 Going Concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, which is considered appropriate due to the continued financial support of the company's bankers and the company's shareholders Additionally, the company's major shareholder has indicated his willingness to provide such financial support as is required for the company's operations for the forseeable future

1.4 Group accounts

The financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. The company and its subsidiary undertaking comprise a small-sized group. The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemptions provided by section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts.

1.5 Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax

16 Patents

Trademark registrations are valued at cost less accumulated amortisation. Amortisation is calculated to write off the cost in equal annual instalments over their estimated useful lives, currently considered to be 10 years.

17 Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided on a straight line basis at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life

Short leasehold land and buildings

over the unexpired term of the lease

Fixtures, fittings & equipment

15% to 20%

Motor vehicles

25%

1.8 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value

19 Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions are converted into sterling at the average rate for the month in which the transactions occurred. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating result.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

2	Turnover	2006	2005
		£	£
	An analysis of turnover is as follows		
	United Kingdom	2,875,014	3,234,630
	Overseas	1,324,028	1,453,240
		4,199,042	4,687,870
3	Operating Loss/Profit	2006	2005
	The state of the s	£	£
	The operating loss/profit is stated after charging Directors' emoluments	326,400	322,657
	Amortisation of intangible fixed assets	7,868	19,800
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	39,587	84,349
	Auditors remuneration		22,000
	Exchange losses	15,575	38,305
4	Taxation	2006	2005
-	•	£	£
	Domestic current year tax		E72
	Adjustment for prior years		572
	Current tax charge		572

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

5	Intangible Fixed Assets			Tı	rademarks
					£
	Cost				217,101
	At 1 January 2006				15,449
	Additions				
	At 31 December 2006				232,550
	Depreciation				170.000
	At 1 January 2006				170,630
	Charge for year				7,868
	At 31 December 2006				178,498
	Net book values				
	At 31 December 2006				54,052
	At 31 December 2005				46,471
6	Tangible Fixed Assets				
	•	Short leasehold	Fixtures, fittings &	Motor vehicles	Total
		land and	equipment		
		buildings	, .		
		£	£	£	£
	Cost				
	At 1 January 2006	3,841	345,940	96,495	446,276
	Additions		3,508	<u> </u>	3,508
	At 31 December 2006	3,841	349,448	96,495	449,784
	Depreciation				
	At 1 January 2006	3,840	292,265	21,360	317,465
	Charge for year		15,463	24,124	39,587 ———
	At 31 December 2006	3,840	307,728	45,484	357,052
	Net book values				
	At 31 December 2006	1	41,720	51,011	92,732
	At 31 December 2005	1	53,675	75,135	128,811
	A C C DOGGINGO DOGG				

The net book value of tangible fixed assets includes £51,011 (2005- £75,135) in respect of assets held under hire purchase contracts The depreciation charge in respect of such assets amounted to £24,124 (2005- £21,360) for the year

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

7 Fixed Asset Investments

Shares in group undertakings

71 Cost

At 1 January 2006 and at 31 December 2006

7,755

In the opinion of the directors, the aggregate value of the company's investment in subsidiary undertakings is not less than the amount included in the balance sheet

7.2 The company has an interest in more than 10% of the ordinary share capital of the following company

Name of Company	Country of Registration or Incorporation	Shares Held Class	%
Group undertakings D.S.G. Limited	England & Wales	Ordinary	100

The aggregate amount of capital and reserves and the results of these undertakings for the last relevant financial year were as follows

		Capital andPr reservesfir	ofit for the nancial year
	DSG Limited	(189,655)	£ (192,570)
8	Debtors	2006 £	2005 £
	Amounts falling due within one year Trade debtors Amount owed by subsidiary undertaking Other debtors Prepayments	694,852 170,055 133,252 572,650	1,401,366 24,846 142,135 613,122
		1,570,809	2,181,469

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

9	Creditors	2006	2005
-		£	£
	Amounts falling due within one year	72,290	254,326
	Bank loan and overdrafts (secured)	•	596,433
	Amount due to factors (secured)	140,158	
	Trade creditors	910,890	1,166,325
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts	14,139	13,365
	Social security and other taxes	296,899	374,381
	Directors' current accounts		359
	Loan from major shareholder (secured)	307,617	299,786
	Other creditors	318,991	159,651
		2,060,984	2,864,626
		2006	2005
10	Creditors	£	£
	A Calling the offer was then and upon	~	·-
	Amounts falling due after more than one year	102,998	_
	Bank loan (secured)	411,241	396,688
	Loan from major shareholder (secured)	294,512	334,453
	Loans from other shareholders	38,012	57,469
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts		
		846,763	788,610
11	Share capital	2006	2005
••	Oliai a dapina.	£	£
	Authorised		
	70 Ordinary A shares of £1 each	70	70
	30 Ordinary B shares of £1 each	30	30
		100	100
	Allotted, called up and fully paid	70	70
	70 Ordinary A shares of £1 each	30	30
	30 Ordinary B shares of £1 each		

The "A" and "B" ordinary shares rank pari passu in all respects except those relating to the appointment and removal of directors

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

12 Statement of movements on profit and loss account

Profit and loss account

£

Balance at 1 January 2006 Loss for the financial year (538,370) (135,016)

Balance at 31 December 2006

(673,386)

13 Contingent liabilities

The company has guaranteed the bank overdrafts of DSG Limited subject to a maximimum of £50,000 and has agreed to provide continued financial support for its subsidiary's ongoing operations

14 Financial Commitments

At 31 December 2006 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

£

Operating leases which expire Within two to five years

50,000

15 Control

The ultimate controlling party is T Heidecker

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2006

Related Party Transactions

Transactions

During the year the following transactions were undertaken in the normal course of business

Sales

The company made sales of £152,882 (2005 £215,895) to DSG Limited, the company's wholly owned subsidiary

Loan Interest

Loan interest of £41,945 (2005 £42,050) was paid to T Heidecker £22,059 (2005 £18,154) was paid to L Prendergast, the wife of E Prendergast £4,156 (2005 £7,200) was paid to H Heidecker, the father of T Heidecker £8,634 (2005 £3,576) was paid to M Cairns

Guarantees

The directors have given a guarantee to Alex Lawrie Factors Limited, in respect of the company's obligations under the factoring agreement

E Prendergast has given a personal guarantee in respect of the bank loan and overdraft

Balances

Included in debtors are amounts due from:

Stylebroker Limited

£104,892 (2005 £51,157)

Trendsetter Limited

£16,927 (2005 - £16,927) a company in which E Pendergast and M Cairns

have a significant interest

Included in creditors falling due within one year are amounts due to:

T Heidecker

£307,617 (2005 £299,786)

H Heidecker

£187,822 (2005 £103,409)

L Prendergast

£36,000 (2005 £14,500)

Included in creditors falling due after more than one year are amounts due to.

T Heidecker

£411,241 (2005 £396,688)

L Prendergast

£204,512 (2005 £240,969)

M Cairns

£90,000 (2005 £93,484)

17 Post Balance Sheet Events

On 03 August 2007, the company granted an exclusive licence of unlimited duration on the trade mark St George by Duffer for £1,382,500 Further payments up to a maximum of £1,117,500 may be due subject to performance conditions