ATA WEST ADVERTISING LIMITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

30 SEPTEMBER 2000

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ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2000

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AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE COMPANY

PURSUANT TO SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5, together with the accounts of the company for the year ended 30 September 2000 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTORS AND THE 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 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 purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the accounts.

OPINION

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

SOLOMON HARE

Registered Auditors Chartered Accountants Oakfield House Oakfield Grove Clifton

Bristol BS8 2BN

14 February 2001

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET

30 SEPTEMBER 2000

	Note	2000		1999	
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS	2				
Intangible assets			41,838		7,275
Tangible assets			11,108		23,599
			52,946		30,874
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		9,028		3,395	
Debtors		271,304		313,470	
Cash at bank and in hand		11,849		1,096	
		292,181		317,961	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling		ŕ		•	
due within one year		(304,072)		(353,742)	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(11,891)		(35,781)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT	Γ LIABI	LITIES	41,055		(4,907)
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due					
after more than one year			(6,565)		-
			34,490		(4,907)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called-up equity share capital	3		200		200
Profit and loss account			34,290		(5,107)
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS					
/(DEFICIENCY)			34,490		(4,907)
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These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

These accounts were approved by the directors on the 14 February 2001 and are signed on their behalf by:

C O'CONNELL

K E ROWI AND

The notes on pages 3 to 5 form part of these accounts.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of accounting

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

Cash flow statement

Exemption has been taken from preparing a cash flow statement on the grounds that the company qualifies as a small company.

Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year.

Goodwill

Purchased goodwill is capitalised and depreciated on a straight line basis over its useful economic life (reviewed annually), not exceeding 20 years. Goodwill which is generated by the activities of the company is not recognised as an asset in the balance sheet and the associated costs are written off to the profit and loss account when they are incurred.

The Directors believe that a twenty year period of amortisation is appropriate.

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Motor Vehicles

20% straight line

Equipment

50% straight line

Work in progress

Work in progress is valued on the basis of direct costs plus attributable overheads based on normal level of activity. Provision is made for any foreseeable losses where appropriate. No element of profit is included in the valuation of work in progress.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Deferred tax

Provision is made, under the tax liability method, to take account of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for accounts purposes and their treatment for tax purposes. Tax deferred or accelerated is accounted for in respect of all material timing differences to the extent that it is considered that a net liability may arise.

Operating lease agreements

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits as incurred.

2. FIXED ASSETS

	Intangible	Tangible	
	Assets	Fixed Assets	Total
	£	£	£
COST			
At 1 October 1999	8,448	33,148	41,596
Amounts due in period	19,007	-	19,007
Estimated future earn-out costs	17,820	-	17,820
Transfer	<u>-</u>	(4,575)	(4,575)
At 30 September 2000	45,275	28,573	73,848
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DEPRECIATION			
At 1 October 1999	1,173	9,549	10,722
Charge for year	2,264	8,677	10,941
Transfer	+-	(761)	(761)
At 30 September 2000	3,437	17,465	20,902
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NET BOOK VALUE			
At 30 September 2000	41,838	11,108	52,946
At 30 September 1999	7,275	23,599	30,874
			

3. SHARE CAPITAL

Authorised share capital:		
-	2000	1999
	£	£
1,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000
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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2000

3. SHARE CAPITAL (continued)

Allotted, called up and fully paid:

2000	1999
£	£
200	200
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Ordinary share capital

4. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

The immediate parent company is BCLO Limited. The ultimate parent company is The Zoo Group Limited. C O'Connell and K E Rowland are directors and shareholders of the Zoo Group Limited. The ultimate controlling party is N Bacon, director and shareholder of the Zoo Group Limited.