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COMPANIES HOUSE

Annual Return

THE REGISTRAR OF COMPANIES COMPANIES HOUSE

CROWN WAY

CARDIFF CF4 3UZ

COMPANIES HOUSE 17/12/97

of company number

03121772

company name

ADVENT VCT PLC

company type

PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY

This form should be completed in black.

The information printed below is taken from Companies House records as at 17/10/97

If this information requires amendment use the spaces opposite.

Date of this return (See note 1)

The information in this return should be made up to a date not later than

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Date of next return (See note 2)

If you wish to make your next return to a date earlier than the anniversary of this return please show the date here. Companies House will then send a form at the appropriate time.

If you are making the return up to an earlier date, show the date here. Please note that the form must be delivered to Companies House within 28 days of this earlier date.

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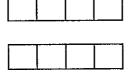
Registered Office (See note 3)

This is the address registered by Companies House.

25 BUCKINGHAM GATE LONDON SWIE 6LD

Principal business activities (See note 4)

Trade classification is 6712 SECURITY BROKING & FUND MANAGEMENT



If the code cannot be determined from the notes, give a brief description of principal activity.

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03121772 Register of members (See note 5)	If the information shown needs amendment, give details below and, for secretary and directo particulars, the date of any change.
The register is kept at INDEPENDENT REGISTRARS GROUP LTD BALFOUR HOUSE 390-398 HIGH ROAD ILFORD ESSEX IG1 1NQ	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\
Register of debenture holders (See note 6) Any register of debenture holders (or duplicate) is	
kept at	
Company Secretary (See note 7)	
Particulars of a new secretary must be notified on form 288.	Day Month Year Date of any change.
ADVENT FUND MANAGERS LIMITED 25 BUCKINGHAM GATE LONDON	
SW1E 6LD	
If this person has ceased to be secretary, please state when.	Day Month Year Date of resignation.
Directors (See note 7)	
Particulars of a new director must be notified on form 288.	Day Month Year Date of any change.
CHRISTOPHER ROGER ETTRICK BROOKE WATERMEADOW SWARRATON ALRESFORD HAMPSHIRE SO24 9TQ	
Date of Birth:- 02/02/31 Nat:BRITISH Occ:DIRECTOR	
If this person has ceased to be director, please state when.	Day Month Year Date of resignation.
Show any relevant current and previous directorships.	CCC Atota

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03121772	If the information shown needs amendment, give details below and the date of any change.
Directors - continued	Day Month Year
Particulars. JOHN DONNE BURTON	Day Month real Date of any change.
ST CATHERINES CATHERINGTON LANE WATERLOOVILLE HANTS PO8 OTE	
Date of Birth:- 03/02/32 Nat:BRITISH Occ:DIRECTOR	
If this person has ceased to be director, please state when.	Day Month Year
Show any relevant current and previous directorships.	BENJAMIN PRIEST PLC
Particulars. SIR DAVID JAMES SCOTT COOKSEY 25 BUCKINGHAM GATE LONDON SW1E 6LD	Day Month Year Date of any change.
Date of Birth:- 14/05/40 Nat:BRITISH Occ:INVESTMENT MANAGER	
If this person has ceased to be director, please state when.	Day Month Year
Show any relevant current and previous directorships.	SEE ATTACHED
Particulars.	Day Month Year
GRAHAM ROSS RUSSELL 30 LADBROKE SQUARE LONDON W11 3NB	
Date of Birth:- 03/01/33 Nat:BRITISH Occ:MEMBER OF SECURITIES INSTITUTE	
If this person has ceased to be director, please state when.	Day Month Year Date of resignation.
Show any relevant current and previous directorships.	SEE ATTACHED

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03121772 Issued Share Capital (See note 8) Enter details of all shares in issue at the date of this return.	Class (eg Ordinary/ Preference etc)	Number of shares issued	Aggregate nominal value (ie Number of shares issued multiplied by nominal value per share)
	ORDINARY	31,560,240	1,575,012
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	Totals	31,500, 24c	\$ 1,575,012
List of past and present members (See note 9) (Use attached schedule where appropriate) A full list is required if one was not included with either of the last two returns.	There were no	changes in the pe	not on
The last full members list was at 03/11/96	A list of chang	es is enclosed nembers is enclose	
Certificate I certify that the information given in this return is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	Signed A. on behalf of Advent Fund Date	Managers Limit	Secretary/Bixeotoox* -∰delete as appropriate)
I enclose the fee of £15. Cheques should be made payable to Companies House.	This return in Please en all section	(enter number	have completed
To whom should Companies House direct any enquiries about the information shown in this return?>	Advent Vo	. Williams CT plc ngham Gate Postcode	SW1E 6LD
	Telephone 0	171 630 9811	Ext 38

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Current Directorships

	Appointed
Advent VCT Limited	15.02.96
The Beaufort Hotel Limited	29.01.96
Benchwood Properties Limited	17.07.84
Cambria Limited	08.05.90
Candover Investments plc	02.09.80
Candover Services Limited	13.06.80
Centaur Communications Limited	14.09.84
Concept Investment Services NV	17.12.93
Cresco International plc	28.08.97
Friday's Court Limited	12.09.85
Hoare Candover Limited	07.03.84
Innisfree Management Limited	16.08.95
Innisfree Limited	16.08.95
Innisfree Partners Limited	16.08.95
Lambert Fenchurch Group plc	21.04.88
Linguaphone Ltd	27.10.97
Orion Publishing Group Limited	26.06.92
Slough Estates plc	23.07.80
Tarmac plc	20.04.94
Wembley plc	26.05.95

Past Directorships	Appointed	Ceased
Equity Leisure Group Limited		26.05.92
Allenwest Limited (previously Simplex)		14.05.93
Domark Group Limited	28.01.94	28.09.94
ARI Network Services, Inc. (previously		
Agridata Resources Inc.) (USA)	April 1982	06.12.95
Chawton Developments Limited (In Liquidation)	19.01.90	31.12.95
CCL Developments plc	17.12.87	
Candover Partners Limited	12.09.80	20.06.97
Candover Realisations Limited	16.02.83	11.07.97
Candover Nominees Limited	11.07.83	11.07.97
Candover (Trustees) Limited	03.09.83	11.07.97
Heidemann-Werke GmbH (Germany)	27.11.87	08.10.97

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GRAHAM ROSS RUSSELL

DIRECTORSHIPS	Appointed
Advent VCT	4 5/02/1996
Samantha Investments Plc	04/12/1984
Barlow Investments UK Plc (formerly CST (Holdings) Ltd)	15/10/1984
Barlow International Ltd	03/06/1985
Barlow Europe Ltd	19/03/1996
Barlow Tractors International Ltd	19/03/1996
Plascon International Ltd	19/03/1996
Barlow Pension Trust Ltd	26/03/1984
Crown Agents Foundation (Member of the Council)	29/11/1997
EASDAQ SA	18/08/1995
Foreign & Colonial PEP Investment Trust plc	28/01/1993
The Investment Trust of Guernsey Limited	31/10/1995
OCS Nominees Limited	02/01/1991
Tunnel Services Limited	17/01/1992
Securities Institute	06/02/1992
Securities Institute (Services) Limited	01/03/1994

DIRECTORSHIPS RESIGNED DURING LAST FIVE YEARS

Securities and Investment Board	01/01/1989 - 31/10/1993
EMAP plc	12/05/1970 - 21/07/1994
Camvard Limited	1961 - 1994
Public Works Loan Board (Commissioner)	01/04/1979 - 01/04/1995
Foster & Braithwaite Limited	21/12/1987 - 23/04/1996
Lionheart Pension Trust Limited	04/01/1994 - 22/11/1996
Lionheart Pension Investments Limited	04/01/1994 - 22/11/1996

April 1997

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ADVENT VCT plc

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Annual return dated 03.11.97

Sir David James Scott Cooksey

Current: Advent Fund Managers Limited

Advent Holdings Limited Advent Investments Limited

Advent Limited

Advent Management Limited AFLP Investments Limited

Bank of England Bespak plc

Greenwich Foundation for the Royal Naval College

Mary Rose Trust Limited

Mary Rose Conservation Services Limited

Ozone Industries Limited Wellcome Trust Limited

Wellcome Trust Nominees Limited

William Baird plc

Past directorships

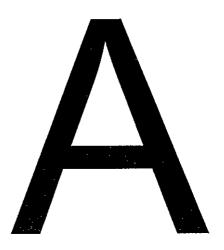
Agricultural Genetics Company Limited

within last 5 years: BE Services Limited

Isis Innovation Limited Maison Blanc Limited

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BULK LIST OF SHAREHOLDERS OR MEMBERS

A BULK LIST OF SHAREHOLDERS OR MEMBERS FOR THIS COMPANY HAS BEEN LODGED BUT DOES NOT APPEAR ON THIS ANNUAL RETURN MICROFICHE.

IF YOU WISH TO SEARCH THE LIST, PLEASE ENQUIRE AT THE SEARCH CONTROL COUNTER.

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