

Company Registration No. 3130283

CASIA INVESTMENTS LIMITED
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 DECEMBER 2003

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CASIA INVESTMENTS LIMITED

**DIRECTOR'S REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 DECEMBER 2003**

The director presents her report and financial statements for the year ended 30 December 2003.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company is that of an investment company.

Review of the business and future developments

The director considers that the results of the company are satisfactory and that the company is expected to continue at its present levels in the future.

Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 3.

No dividends have been declared or paid during this or the comparative period.

Director

The following director has held office since 31 December 2002:

L R Taylor

The director has no interest in the issued share capital of the company.

Director's responsibilities

Company law requires the director to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the director is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The director is responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable her to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. She is also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

On behalf of the board

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L R Taylor (Director)

Date: 23/9/2004

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ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE DIRECTOR ON THE ACCOUNTS OF CASIA INVESTMENTS LIMITED

We report on the accounts for the year ended 30 December 2003.

As described on the balance sheet you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts for the year ended 30 December 2003, set out on pages 3 to 10 and you consider that the company is exempt from an audit. In accordance with your instructions, we have compiled these unaudited accounts in order to assist you to fulfil your statutory responsibilities from the accounting records and information and explanations supplied to us.

Our procedures consisted of comparing the accounts with the accounting records kept by the company and making such enquiries of the officers and other officials of the company as we considered necessary for the purposes of this report.

In our opinion the accounts are in agreement with the accounting records kept by the company under section 221 of the Companies Act 1985.

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**PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 DECEMBER 2003**

		Year ended 30 December 2003 £	Period ended 30 December 2002 £
	Notes		
Administrative expenses		(3,455)	(3,773)
Operating loss	2	(3,455)	(3,773)
Interest payable and similar charges	3	(414)	(362)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(3,869)	(4,135)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	4	-	-
Loss on ordinary activities after taxation	8	(3,869)	(4,135)
Loss brought forward at 31 December 2002		(21,613)	(17,478)
Loss carried forward at 30 December 2003		(25,482)	(21,613)

The profit and loss account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

There are no recognised gains and losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account.

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**STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 DECEMBER 2003**

	2003	2002
	£	£
Loss for the financial year	(3,869)	(4,135)
Currency translation differences on foreign currency loans	(5,176)	(4,675)
Currency translation differences on foreign currency investments	5,176	4,675
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Total recognised gains and losses relating to the year	(3,869)	(4,135)
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**BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 30 DECEMBER 2003**

	Notes	2003 £	£	2002 £	£
Fixed assets					
Investments	5		66,288		61,112
Current assets					
Cash at bank and in hand		282		329	
		<u>282</u>		<u>329</u>	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	6	(91,052)		(82,054)	
Net current liabilities			(90,770)		(81,725)
Total assets less current liabilities			<u>(24,482)</u>		<u>(20,613)</u>
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	7		1,000		1,000
Profit and loss account	8		(25,482)		(21,613)
Shareholders' funds - equity interests	9		<u>(24,482)</u>		<u>(20,613)</u>

In preparing these financial statements:

- The director is of the opinion that the company is entitled to the exemption from audit conferred by Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985;
- No notice has been deposited under Section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985, and
- The director acknowledges her responsibilities for:
 - ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, and
 - 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 financial statements were approved by the Board on 23/1/2004.....


L R Taylor
Director

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 DECEMBER 2003

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

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

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis. This is considered appropriate as the ultimate beneficial shareholders will continue to provide financial support to the company for the foreseeable future.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No 1 from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a small company.

1.2 Investments

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

1.3 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided at appropriate rates on all timing differences using the liability method only to the extent that, in the opinion of the director, there is a reasonable probability that a liability or asset will crystallise in the foreseeable future.

1.4 Foreign currency translation

The company's accounting records are maintained in Pounds Sterling.

Transactions in other currencies are converted at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Current assets and liabilities are converted at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Any material gains or losses resulting from the conversion are taken to the profit and loss account.

1.5 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.

2 Operating loss	2003	2002
	£	£
Operating loss is stated after charging:		
Accountancy	1,491	1,012
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
3 Interest payable and similar charges	2003	2002
	£	£
Loss on foreign exchange	414	362
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	<u>414</u>	<u>362</u>

CASIA INVESTMENTS LIMITED**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
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4 Taxation	2003	2002
	£	£
Domestic current year tax		
Corporation tax at 30.00% (2002 - 30.00%)	-	-
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Current tax charge	-	-
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Factors affecting the tax charge for the year		
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation	(3,869)	(4,135)
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Loss on ordinary activities before taxation multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax of 30.00% (2002: 30.00%)	(1,161)	(1,241)
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Effects of:		
Non deductible expenses	-	30
Losses not recognised for accounting purposes	1,161	1,211
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	1,161	1,241
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On the basis of these financial statements no provision has been made for corporation tax.

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5 Fixed asset investments

	Shares in subsidiary undertakings £
Cost	
At 31 December 2002	61,112
Revaluation	5,176
	<u>66,288</u>
At 30 December 2003	66,288
	<u>61,112</u>
At 30 December 2002	<u>61,112</u>

Holdings of 20% or more

The company holds 20% or more of the share capital of the following companies:

Company	Country of registration or incorporation	Class	Shares held %
Subsidiary undertakings			
Arorixe S.L.	Spain	Ordinary	60

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

	Principal Activity	Capital and reserves	Profit for the year
		£	£
Arorixe S.L.	Property holding	(7,516)	(18,889)

6 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2003 £	2002 £
Other creditors	88,703	80,134
Accruals and deferred income	2,349	1,920
	<u>91,052</u>	<u>82,054</u>

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7 Share capital	2003 No.	2002 No.
Authorised		
1,000 ordinary £1 shares	1,000	1,000
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Allotted, called up and fully paid	£	£
1,000 ordinary £1 shares	1,000	1,000
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

8 Statement of movements on profit and loss account

	Profit and loss account £
Balance at 31 December 2002	(21,613)
Retained loss for the period	(3,869)
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Balance at 30 December 2003	(25,482)
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9 Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds

	2003 £	2002 £
Loss for the financial year	(3,869)	(4,135)
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Net addition to shareholders' funds	(3,869)	(4,135)
Opening shareholders' funds	(20,613)	(16,478)
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Closing shareholders' funds	(24,482)	(20,613)
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10 Contingent liabilities

There were no known contingent liabilities as at the balance sheet date.

11 Capital commitments

There were no major capital commitments as at the balance sheet date

12 Employees

Number of employees

There were no employees during the year apart from the director. The director received no remuneration during the year.

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13 Ultimate Controlling Party and Related Party Transactions

The director is aware of the identity of the ultimate controlling party. However, they are under a duty of confidentiality that prevents them from disclosing certain information otherwise required by Financial Reporting Standard 8. Therefore they have taken the exemption offered by the Standard in respect of confidentiality.