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Report of the Directors and

Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 August 2003

<u>for</u>

<u>Linda Richardson Limited</u>

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Company Information for the Year Ended 31 August 2003

DIRECTORS:

Mrs L J Richardson Mr A P Richardson

SECRETARY:

REGISTERED OFFICE: Longacre

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REGISTERED NUMBER: 3247005 (England and Wales)

ACCOUNTANT: Paul Barnes

Chartered Certified Accountant

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Report of the Directors for the Year Ended 31 August 2003

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 August 2003.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of clinical trials co-ordinators and researchers.

No interim dividend was paid during the year. The directors recommend a final dividend of 700 per share.

The total distribution of dividends for the year ended 31 August 2003 will be £70,000.

DIRECTORS

The directors during the year under review were:

Mrs L J Richardson Mr A P Richardson

The beneficial interests of the directors holding office on 31 August 2003 in the issued share capital of the company were as follows:

Ordinary 1.00 shares	31.8.03	1.9.02
Mrs L J Richardson	50	50
Mr A P Richardson	50	50

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:

- Director

Date: 21/12/03

Profit and Loss Account for the Year Ended 31 August 2003

		31.8.03	31.8.02
	Notes	£	£
TURNOVER		171,097	152,422
Administrative expenses		52,482	49,780
OPERATING PROFIT	2	118,615	102,642
Interest receivable and similar income		2,236 120,851	544 103,186
Interest payable and similar charges			605
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		120,851	102,581
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	3	25,236	20,416
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AFTER TAXATION		95,615	82,165
Dividends	4	70,000	57,000
		25,615	25,165
Retained profit brought forward		68,334	43,169
RETAINED PROFIT CARRIED FORWARD		£93,949	£68,334

Balance Sheet 31 August 2003

	31.8.03		31.8.02		
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS: Tangible assets	5		4,058		1
CURRENT ASSETS:					
Debtors Cash at bank	6	326 174,822 ———		20,625 143,814	
		175,148		164,439	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	7	85,157		96,006	
NET CURRENT ASSETS:			89,991		68,433
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES:			£94,049		£68,434
CAPITAL AND RESERVES: Called up share capital Profit and loss account	8		100 93,949		100 68,334
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS:			£94,049		£68,434

The company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31 August 2003.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2003 in accordance with Section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985 and (a)
- preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of each financial year and of (b) its profit or loss for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Section 226 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 1985 relating to financial statements, 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 June 2002).

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

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- Director

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Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 August 2003

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

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31.8.02

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Turnover represents net invoiced sales of services, excluding value added tax.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date.

2. OPERATING PROFIT

The operating profit is stated after charging:

	Depreciation - owned assets	£ 1,353	£
	Directors' emoluments and other benefits etc	37,920	39,451
3.	TAXATION		
	Analysis of the tax charge The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities for the year was as follows:	31.8.03 £	31.8.02 £
	Current tax: UK corporation tax	25,236	20,416
	Tax on profit on ordinary activities	25,236 ———	20,416
	UK corporation tax has been charged at 19% (2002 - 20%),		
4.	DIVIDENDS	31.8.03	31.8.02
	Final	£ 70,000	£ 57,000

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 August 2003

5. 1	ANGIBLE FIX	(ED ASSETS
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5.	TANGIBLE FIXE	D ASSETS			Plant and machinery etc
	COST:				£
	At 1 September 2 Additions	002			3,213 5,410
	At 31 August 200	3			8,623
	DEPRECIATION: At 1 September 2 Charge for year				3,212 1,353
	At 31 August 2003	3			4,565
	NET BOOK VALU At 31 August 2003				4,058
	At 31 August 2002	2			1
6.	DEBTORS: AMO DUE WITHIN ON				
				31.8.03 £	31.8.02 £
	Sales Ledger Con Debtors & Prepay			326	14,500 6,125 20,625
7.	CREDITORS: AM	OUNTS FALLING EYEAR			
	Purchase Ledger Directors current a Creditors & Accru- Dividend proposed V.A.T. Social security & o Taxation	accounts als d		31.8.03 £ 2,074 600 1,350 35,000 19,509 1,374 25,250 85,157	31.8.02 £ 70 605 8,890 50,000 15,126 1,215 20,100 96,006
8.	CALLED UP SHA	RE CAPITAL			
	Authorised, allotte Number: 100	d, issued and fully paid: Class: Ordinary	Nominal value: 1.00	31.8.03 £ 100	31.8.02 £ 100
					