Nutrifertil Limited

Company Registration No 3449961

Directors' report and financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2007

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COMPANY INFORMATION

Directors H de Roquefeuil

L Haguenauer (resigned 30/11/07) D Bovis (appointed 01/03/07) J-D Billeret (appointed 30/11/07)

Secretary B Bouillot

Company number 3449961

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DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2007

Statement of directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). The financial statements are required by law to 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 these financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- 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 responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are 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.

Principal activities and review of business

The principal activities of the company were the import and distribution of fertilisers and other farm supplies

Throughout the first half of 2007, the business activities were effectively ceased having undergone a process of redundancy and withdrawal from direct sales in the UK

Any residual business in the territory had been transferred to the Joint Venture company Mole Valley Forage Services

The company changed its name from Timac (UK) Limited to Nutrifertil Limited on 8 March 2007

Results

The loss for the year, after taxation, amounted to £217,060 (2006 - profit £25,902)

Directors

The directors who served during the year were

H de Roquefeuil L Haguenauer (resigned 30/11/07) D Bovis (appointed 01/03/07) J-D Billeret (appointed 30/11/07)

DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

Provision of information to auditors

Each of the persons who are directors at the time when this Directors' report is approved has confirmed that

- so far as that director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware, and
- each director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a director in order to be aware of any information needed by the company's auditors in connection with preparing their report and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

Auditors

The auditors, Mazars LLP, will be proposed for reappointment in accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985

This report was approved by the board on

BERNARY BOULLET.

09/06/2008

and signed on its behalf

Secretary

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF NUTRIFERTIL LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Nutrifertil Limited for the year ended 31 December 2007, which comprise the Profit and loss account, the Balance sheet and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an Auditor's 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 members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the Statement of directors' responsibilities

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland)

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view, whether they are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and whether the information given in the Directors' report is consistent with the financial statements

In addition we report to you if, in our opinion, the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed

We read the Directors' report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF NUTRIFERTIL LIMITED

Opinion

In our opinion

- the financial statements give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2007 and of its loss for the year then ended,
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and
- the information given in the Directors' report is consistent with the financial statements

Mazars LLP

Chartered accountants Registered auditors

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

	Note	2007 £	2006 £
Turnover	1,2	396,924	4,434,404
Cost of sales		(172,201)	(2,003,329)
Gross profit		224,723	2,431,075
Selling and distribution costs		(220,957)	(1,807,891)
Administrative expenses		(156,259)	(519,921)
Other operating income	3	<u>-</u>	713
Operating (loss)/profit	4	(152,493)	103,976
Interest payable	7	(64,567)	(78,074)
(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities before taxation		(217,060)	25,902
Tax on (loss)/profit on ordinary activities		-	-
(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities after taxation	14	(217,060)	25,902

All amounts relate to continuing operations

There were no recognised gains and losses for 2007 or 2006 other than those included in the Profit and loss account

The notes on pages 7 to 13 form part of these financial statements

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2007

	Note	£	2007 £	£	2006 £
Fixed assets					
Intangible fixed assets	8		-		170
Tangible fixed assets	9		-		1,885
Fixed asset investments			150,000		150,000
		•	150,000		152,055
Current assets					
Stocks	10	-		38,762	
Debtors	11	71,714		842,249	
Cash at bank		62,775		207,915	
		134,489		1,088,926	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	12	(1,103,161)		(1,842,593)	
Net current liabilities			(968,672)		(753,667)
Total assets less current liabilities			(818,672)		(601,612)
Capital and Reserves		·			
Called up share capital	13		1,000		1,000
Profit and loss account	14		(819,672)		(602,612)
Shareholders' deficit	15		(818,672)		(601,612)

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on Θ [06] O [2008] Director

The notes on pages 7 to 13 form part of these financial statements

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

1. Accounting policies

1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards

1.2 Turnover

Turnover comprises revenue recognised by the company in respect of goods and services supplied, exclusive of Value Added Tax and trade discounts

13 Intangible fixed assets and amortisation

Goodwill is the difference between amounts paid on the acquisition of a business and the fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities. It is amortised to the Profit and loss account over its estimated economic life

1.4 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases

Plant & machinery

20-30% straight line

Fixtures & fittings

20-30% straight line

1.5 Operating leases

Rentals under operating leases are charged on a straight line basis over the lease term

Benefits received and receivable as an incentive to sign an operating lease are recognised on a straight line basis over the period until the date the rent is expected to be adjusted to the prevailing market rate

16 Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving stocks. Cost includes all direct costs and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads

17 Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling on the date of the transaction

Exchange gains and losses are recognised in the Profit and loss account

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

1 Accounting policies (continued)

18 Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme and the pension charge represents the amounts payable by the company to the fund in respect of the year

2 Turnover

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The whole of the turnover is attributable to the principal activities

All turnover arose within the United Kingdom

3. Other operating income

	2007	2006
	£	£
Sundry income	-	713
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Operating (loss)/profit		

The operating (loss)/profit is:	stated after charging/(crediting)
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	2007 £	2006 £
Amortisation - intangible fixed assets	170	42
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets - owned by the company Auditors' remuneration	1,112 4,000	4,512 7,000
Operating lease rentals - plant and machinery Difference on foreign exchange	(3,748) (180)	124,915 (683)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

5 0 %		
5 Staff costs	•	
Staff costs, including directors' remuneration	n, were as follows	
	2007 £	2006 £
Wages and salaries	91,159	795,103
Social security costs	9,122	70,330 12,315
Other pension costs	2,562	12,313
	102,843	877,748
The average monthly number of employees	, including the directors, during the year was	s as follows
	2007	2006
	No.	No
Selling and distribution	3	30
6 Directors' remuneration Emoluments	2007 £ 27,039	2006 £ 49,083
7 Interest payable	2007 £	2006 £
On bank loans and overdrafts	924	1,450 78,649
On loans from group undertakings Other interest payable	63,966 (323)	(2,025)
	64,567	78,074

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

8	Intangible fixed assets			
		Patents and trademarks £	Goodwill £	Total £
	Cost			
	At 1 January 2007 and 31 December 2007	426	230,000	230,426
	Amortisation			
	At 1 January 2007 Charge for the year	256 170	230,000	230,256 170
				
	At 31 December 2007	426	230,000	230,426
	Net book value			
	At 31 December 2007	-	-	-
	At 31 December 2006	170	-	170 ————
9.	Tangible fixed assets			
		Plant and machinery £	Furniture, fittings and equipment £	Total £
	Cost			
	At 1 January 2007	24,819	2,899	27,718
	Additions Disposals	450 (21,661)	(2,899)	450 (24,560)
	At 31 December 2007	3,608	<u>-</u>	3,608
	Depreciation			
	At 1 January 2007	22,934	2,899	25,833 1,112
	Charge for the year On disposals	1,112 (20,438)	(2,899)	(23,337)
	At 31 December 2007	3,608	-	3,608
	Net book value			
	At 31 December 2007	_	<u> </u>	
	At 31 December 2006	1,885	<u>-</u>	1,885

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

10.	Stocks		
		2007	2006
		£	£
	Raw materials	-	38,762
11.	Debtors		
		2007	2006
		£	£
	Trade debtors Amounts owed by group undertakings	975 45,235	423,580 349,307
	Other debtors	25,504	67,984
	Prepayments and accrued income	· -	1,378
		71,714	842,249
			
12	Creditors [.] Amounts falling due within one year		
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		2007 £	2006 £
	Bank loans and overdrafts	17,293	39,845
	Trade creditors	18,515	94,167
	Amounts owed to group undertakings Social security and other taxes	1,040,828	1,564,147 7,669
	Other creditors	5,750	7,705
	Accruals and deferred income	20,775	129,060
		1,103,161	1,842,593
13.	Share capital		
		2007 £	2006 £
	Authorised, allotted, called up and fully paid		
	1,000 Ordinary Shares shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

14	Reserves
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		Profit and loss account £
At 1 January 2007 Loss for the year		(602,612) (217,060)
At 31 December 2007		(819,672)
Reconciliation of movement in shareholders' deficit		
	2007 £	2006 £
Opening shareholders' deficit	(601,612)	(627,514)

25,902

(601,612)

(217,060)

(818,672)

16. Contingent liabilities

(Loss)/profit for the year

Closing shareholders' deficit

All assets of the company are charged in a mortgage debenture, in respect of any UK bank overdraft facility. There also exists a Corporate Cross Guarantee in favour of Timab Industries (UK) Limited, Timac Finance (UK) Limited, Apromat Limited and Hypred (UK) Limited

17. Pension commitments

The company operates a defined contributions pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the company to the fund and amounted to £2,562 (2006 - £12,315).

18. Operating lease commitments

At 31 December 2007 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows

	2007 £	2006 £
Expiry date.		
Between 2 and 5 years	-	26,542

19 Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemptions within Financial Reporting Standard 8 (Related Party Disclosures) and not disclosed transactions or balances with other Compagnie Financiere et Participations Roullier group undertakings

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

20. Ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party

The directors regard Compagnie Financiere et de Participations Roullier, a company registered in France, as the ultimate parent and controlling company Copies of the parent's consolidated financial statements may be obtained from

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