## REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

## **31 DECEMBER 1999**

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Company registration number: 3481670

#### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

#### **Directors**

C P Goodall

(Chairman)

J Yarker

(Chief Executive)

J Ainley

C Antich

D H Balderstone

J E Barraclough

S L Betts

G G Brierley

S H Gledhill

T N Gledhill

J M Haigh

T R Hoyle

D Platt

R Taylor

With the exception of J Yarker all of the directors act as non-executive directors.

## Secretary and Registered office

J M Haigh Textile House Red Doles Lane Off Leeds Road Huddersfield HD2 1YF

#### **Auditors**

Wheawill & Sudworth Chartered Accountants 35 Westgate Huddersfield HD1 1PA

#### Bankers

Lloyds TSB Bank plc 1 Westgate Huddersfield HD1 2DN

#### **Solicitors**

Eaton Smith Marshall Mills Britannia Buildings St Peter's Street Huddersfield HD1 1BB

#### DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report and accounts for the year ended 31 December 1999.

#### **Directors**

The directors who served during the year were:

C P Goodall

J Ainley

C Antich

\*D H Balderstone

J E Barraclough

\*S L Betts

\*G G Brierley

S H Gledhill

\*T N Gledhill

J M Haigh

T R Hoyle

D Platt

R Taylor

J Yarker

A Brougham (resigned 13 October 1999)

J B Harvey (resigned 10 February 1999)

#### Directors' responsibilities for preparing the accounts

Company law requires the directors to prepare accounts 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 accounts, 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 accounts 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 which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the accounts 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.

#### Directors' interests

None of the directors held any interest in the share capital of the company or as members of the parent company at either 31 December 1999 or at 31 December 1998 (or subsequent date of appointment).

#### Principal activity

The company's principal activity during the year was the provision of training and consultancy services.

<sup>\*</sup>All of the above directors were appointed on 28 April 1999.

### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### Year 2000

The company operations did not suffer any disruption from Year 2000 failures as the new millennium was entered. The directors do not anticipate any further problems to arise or costs to be incurred in relation to Year 2000 compliance.

#### **Auditors**

A resolution to re-appoint Wheawill & Sudworth as auditors will be put to the shareholders at the Annual General Meeting.

## Small companies

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

J M Haigh

Secretary

17 March 2000

#### AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF

#### HUDDERSFIELD TEXTILE TRAINING LIMITED

We have audited the accounts on pages 5 to 8 which have been prepared under the accounting policies set out on page 7 and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities.

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 2 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of accounts. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those accounts and to report our opinion to you.

### Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the accounts. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made by the directors in the preparation of the accounts, 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 accounts 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 accounts.

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion the accounts give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 1999 and of its loss for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

WHEAWILL & SUDWORTH

Wheaver + School

Registered Auditors Chartered Accountants 35 Westgate Huddersfield HD1 1PA 17 March 2000

## PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

for the year ended

# **31 DECEMBER 1999**

			Period from
			16 December 1997
		Year ended	to
		31 December 1999	31 December 1998
Notes		£	£
	Turnover		
		458,689	455,493
	Cost of sales	(40,687)	(53,450)
	Gross profit	418,002	402,043
	Administrative expenses	(437,606)	(361,371)
	(Loss) profit on ordinary activites before taxation	(19,604)	40,672
2	Taxation on (loss) profit on ordinary activities	4,117	(8,541)
	(Loss) profit for the financial year/period	(15,487)	32,131
	Retained profit brought forward	32,131	-
	Retained profit carried forward	16,644	32,131

The notes on pages 7 and 8 form part of these accounts.

#### **BALANCE SHEET**

#### **31 DECEMBER 1999**

Notes		1999 £	1998 £
1.00-0	Current assets	•	
3	Debtors	47,873	85,190
	Cash at bank	3,325	3,500
		51,198	88,690
4	Creditors: amounts becoming due and payable within one year	(34,552)	(56,557)
	Net assets	16,646	32,133
	Capital and reserves	<del> </del>	
6	Called up share capital	2	2
	Profit and loss account	16,644	32,131
	Shareholders' funds	16,646	32,133

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities.

The accounts on pages 5 to 8 were approved by the board of directors on 17 March 2000 and signed on its behalf by

C P GOODALL )

J M HAIGH )

Directors

The notes on pages 7 and 8 form part of these accounts.

#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

#### **31 DECEMBER 1999**

### 1 Accounting policies

#### Accounting convention

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

#### Turnover

Turnover represents the value of goods sold and services provided net of value added tax.

#### Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided on the liability method at anticipated future rates of taxation on differences arising from the inclusion of income and expenditure in periods different for accounts and taxation purposes.

#### Pension costs

Contributions to the group defined contribution pension scheme are charged to the profit and loss account as they become payable.

2	Taxation on (loss) profit on ordinary activities	1999 £	1998 £
	Corporation tax - (credit)/charge	(4,117)	8,541
3	Debtors		
	Trade debtors Corporation tax Amounts owed by parent undertaking	19,585 4,117 24,171	37,637 - 47,553
		47,873	85,190
4	Creditors: amounts becoming due and payable within one year		
	Trade creditors Corporation tax	34,552	48,016 8,541
		34,552	56,557

### 5 Deferred taxation

There was no potential liability for deferred taxation at either 31 December 1999 or at 31 December 1998.

#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

#### **31 DECEMBER 1999**

		Authorised		Allotted, called up and fully paid	
		1999	1998	1999	1998
6	Share capital	Number	Number	£	£
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000	2	2
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7	Capital commitments			£	£
	Capital commitments contracted but	Capital commitments contracted but not provided in the accounts		Nil	Nil

#### 8 Pension commitments

The company operates and makes contributions to the group defined contribution pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in a trustee administered fund. The pension cost charge for the year/period was £15,537 (1998 £12,548).

## 9 Related party disclosures

The company carries on business with various companies in which certain of the directors have interests. These transactions take place on normal commercial terms and are reflected in the accounts.

### 10 Parent company

The company is a subsidiary of Huddersfield & District Textile Training Co Limited.