DIRECTORS REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 2000

BEAUMONTS CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

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<u>Directors</u> Mr. M.F. Bright Mrs. P.K. Bright

Secretary Mrs. P.K. Bright

Registered Office
P.O. Box 71, Sandbach, Cheshire.

<u>Directors Report</u>

The Directors present their Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31st January 2000.

Principal Activities and Review of the Business

The company's principal activity is that of the Exporters of Industrial Filtration Textiles.

The company's profitability recovered somewhat within the year after a difficult trading year in the previous year where profitability was depressed by the economic problems affecting the Far East.

Future Developments

The directors intend to continue with the same Management policies and anticipate a satisfactory result for the succeeding year.

Results and Dividends

The profit for the year after taxation amounted to £97,566 (1999 - £62,157). The directors recommend that this amount be dealt with as follows:-

| Dividends paid and | Proposed | 60,000 |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------|
| Transfer to Profit | and Loss Account | 37,566 |
| | | - |
| | | 97,566 |
| | | |

Fixed Assets

Details of movements in tangible fixed assets are set out in Note 6 to the financial statements.

Directors and Share Interests in the Company

The directors who served during the year and their interests in the company at the beginning and end of the year were as follows:-

| | === | ==== |
|------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| Mrs. P.K. Bright | 50 | 50 |
| Mr. M.F. Bright | 50 | 50 |
| | <u>2000</u> | <u> 1999</u> |
| | £l Ordinar <u>fully</u> | ~ |

<u>Auditors</u>

A resolution in accordance with Section 384 (1) Companies Act 1985 for the re-appointment of Messrs Beaumonts, Chartered Accountants as Auditors will be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

By Order of the Board

Mrs. P.K. Bright

Director and Secretary

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24th August 2000

AUDITORS REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF TRANS WORLD FILTRATION LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements set out on pages 3 to 7 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and accounting policies set out on page 5.

DIRECTORS RESPONSIBILITIES

Company law requires the directors 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 directors are required to:-

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper records which 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.

AUDITORS RESPONSIBILITIES

It is our responsibility to form an Independent opinion based on our audit on the financial statements prepared by the directors 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 financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements 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 misstatements, 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.

OPINION

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31st January 2000 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Stoke-on-Trent.
24th August 2000

BEAUMONTS

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditor

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TRANS WORLD FILTRATION LIMITED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 2000

| | <u>Notes</u> | 2000 £ | 1999 £ |
|---|--------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Turnover | 2 | 1,145,994 | 999,636 |
| Purchases | | (950,985) | (842,932) |
| Gross Profit | | 195,009 | 156,704 |
| Administrative Expenses | | (72,162) | (78,975) |
| Operating Profit | | 122,847 | 77,729 |
| Other Operating Income | | 968 | 928 |
| Profit on Ordinary Activition before Taxation | e s / | 123,815 | 78,657 |
| Taxation | 4 | (26,249) | (16,500) |
| Profit for the Financial Yes | ar | 97,566 | 62,157 |
| Dividends Paid and Proposed | 5 | (60,000) | (54,000) |
| Profit Retained for the Year | r | 37,566 | 8,157 |
| Retained Profit brought for | ward | 8,157 | - |
| Retained Profit carried for | ward | 45,723 ======= | 8,157 |

There were no further recognised gains or losses for the financial period

The notes on pages 5 to 7 form an integral part of these financial statements

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST JANUARY 2000

| Notes E E E E E E E E E | • | | 2000 | <u>0</u> | 199 | <u>99</u> |
|--|----------------------------|--------------|---------|----------|---------|-----------|
| Tangible Assets 6 54,585 61,277 CURRENT ASSETS Debtors 7 254,281 212,105 58,073 58,073 270,178 CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year 8 310,558 323,198 NET CURRENT LIABILITIES (8,762) (53,020) NET ASSETS (8,762) 8,257 | | <u>Notes</u> | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Debtors Cash at Bank 7 | | 6 | | 54,585 | | 61,277 |
| Cash at Bank 47,515 58,073 301,796 270,178 CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year 8 310,558 323,198 NET CURRENT LIABILITIES (8,762) (53,020) NET ASSETS 45,823 8,257 | CURRENT ASSETS | | | | | |
| 301,796 270,178 | Debtors | 7 | 254,281 | | 212,105 | |
| CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year 8 310,558 323,198 NET CURRENT LIABILITIES (8,762) (53,020) NET ASSETS 45,823 8,257 | Cash at Bank | | 47,515 | | 58,073 | |
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| | NDI CORRENT DIRDIDITIES | | ` | 0,702, | ` | 33,020, |
| | NET ASSETS | | | 45,823 | | 8,257 |
| | | | | ===== | | ===== |
| | | | ±4. | | | |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES | CAPITAL AND RESERVES | | | | | |
| Called Up Share Capital 9 100 100 | | 9 | | 100 | | 100 |
| Profit and Loss Account 45,723 8,157 | Profit and Loss Account | | | 45,723 | | 8,157 |
| GUADRUAT DEDG EUNDG 11 AF 022 0 057 | CHARRIAT DEDG EHNDG | 11 | | 4E 022 | | 0.257 |
| SHAREHOLDERS FUNDS 11 45,823 8,257 | SHAKEHULDERS FUNDS | 11 | | • | | - • |

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The financial statements on pages 3 to 7 were approved by the Board of Directors on 24th August 2000 and signed on its behalf by:-

M. Bright)
Directors

Mrs. P.K. Bright)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Accounting Convention

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

(b) Tangible Fixed Assets and Depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation.

Depreciation was provided on all tangible fixed assets at rates calculated to write off the cost, less estimated residual value of each asset on a reducing balance basis per annum over its expected useful life as follows:-

Motor Vehicles - 20% and 15% Fixtures, Fittings & Equipment - 5%

(c) Stock

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

(d) <u>Deferred Taxation</u>

Provision is made for deferred taxation using the liability method to take account of the timing differences between the incidence of Income and Expenditure for taxation and accounting purposes except to the extent that the directors consider that a liability to taxation is unlikely to crystallise in the foreseeable future.

2. TURNOVER

Turnover derives from the company's principal activity and represents amounts receivable for goods and services provided net of discounts and value added tax.

3. PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION is stated after charging:

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| Directors Emoluments(including benefits) | 14,400 |
|--|--------|
| Depreciation - Owned Fixed Assets | 10,066 |
| Auditors Remuneration | 1,560 |
| | ===== |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 2000

| • | Staff Number | s and Costs weekly number of | nersons | <u>2000</u> | <u> 1999</u> |
|-----|----------------------------------|--|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| | (including d | irectors) employ ng the year was: | ed by the | <u>No.</u> 3 | <u>No.</u> 3 |
| | The aggregat | e payroll costs | of these pers | sons were as | follows:- |
| | | | | 2000 £ | 1999 £ |
| | Wages, Salar Social Secur | ies and Bonuses ity costs | | 17,830 862 | 22,109 1,281 |
| | | | | 18,692 | 23,393 |
| 4. | | tax chargeable a | | | |
| | for tax purp | oses for the year | | 25,800 449 | 16,500 - |
| | | | 9 | 26,249 | 16,500 |
| 5. | <u>DIVIDENDS</u> Ordinary: | | | | |
| | (1999-£288) Final Propos | ed @ £180 per shan ed @ £420 per sh 000 (1999 - £252 | nare | 18,000 | 28,800 |
| | share paid 1 | | per | 42,000 | 25,200 |
| | | | | 60,000 | 54,000 |
| 6. | TANGIBLE FIX | KED ASSETS Expenditure | | | |
| | _ | Licencehold Property | Motor Vehicles | Fixtures Fittings | |
| COS | m. | £ | £ | & | £ |
| 31 | January 1999 itions | 27,887 - | 43,500 - | 11,587 3,374 | 82,974 3,374 |
| 31 | January 2000 | 27,887 | 43,500 | 14,961 | 86,348 |
| 31 | <u>RECIATION</u> January 1999 | 2,000 | 15,657 | 4,040 | 21,697 |
| | rge | 1,000 | 6,836 | 2,230 | 10,066 |
| 31 | January 2000 | 3,000 | 22,493 | 6,270 | 31,763 |
| | BOOK VALUE January 2000 | 24,887 | 21,007 | 8,691 | 54,585 |
| 31 | January 1999 | 25,887 | 27,843 | 7,547 | 61,277 |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 2000

| | • | | | | |
|-----|--|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| ٨ | | | | 2000 £ | <u>1999</u> £ |
| 7. | <u>DEBTORS</u> Amounts falling due with | nin one ye | ar:- | | |
| | Trade Debtors Other Debtors | | | 248,628 5,653 | 208,550 3,555 |
| | | | | 254,281 | 212,105 |
| 8. | CREDITORS Amounts falling due with | nin one ye | ar:- | | |
| | Trade Creditors Aggregate Amounts Due to | Director | ទ | 246,603 | 258,594 |
| | (including proposed divider Corporation Tax Other Taxes and Social S | ldend) | | 29,291 25,800 7,159 | 39,264 16,500 7,210 |
| | Accruals | | * | 1,705 | 1,630 |
| | | | | 310,558 | 323,198 |
| 9. | SHARE_CAPITAL | | | 217-11 2 | |
| | | 2000 | rised 1999 | and fu: 2000 | Called up 1999 |
| | £1 Ordinary Shares | £ 100 === | £ 100 === | £ 100 === | £ 100 === |
| 10. | FINANCIAI. COMMITMENTS | | | | |

10. FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS

(i) Capital Expenditure not dealt with in these financial statements authorised by the Board at 31st January 2000 amounted to Nil (1999 - Nil).

| 11. SHAREHOLDERS FUNDS | 2000 £ | <u>1999</u> £ |
|---|-----------------|------------------|
| Shareholders Funds at beginning of year | 8,257 | - |
| Shares issued for cash | - | 100 |
| Profit for the Financial Year | 9 7, 566 | 62,157 |
| | 105,823 | 62,257 |
| Dividends due to Ordinary Shareholders | (60,000) | (54,000) |
| | | |
| Shareholders Funds at End of Year | 45,823 | 8,157 |
| | ======= | ===== |