REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS AND

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2001

FOR

NETIQ LIMITED

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COMPANY INFORMATION for the year ended 30th June 2001

DIRECTORS:

C Hwang

J T R Docherty G Winokur

SECRETARY:

C Hwang

REGISTERED OFFICE:

White Hart House

High Street Limpsfield Surrey RH8 ODT

REGISTERED NUMBER:

3498397 (England and Wales)

AUDITORS:

De Warrenne Waller & Co. Limited

Chartered Accountants 57 Grosvenor Street

Mayfair London W1K 3JA

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

for the year ended 30th June 2001

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 30th June 2001.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of the licence, support and distribution of computer software.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

The results for the year and financial position of the company are as shown in the annexed financial statements.

DIVIDENDS

No dividends will be distributed for the year ended 30th June 2001.

DIRECTORS

The directors during the year under review were:

C Hwang
J T R Docherty
G Winokur

The directors holding office at 30th June 2001 did not hold any beneficial interest in the issued share capital of the company at 1st July 2000 or 30th June 2001.

STATEMENT OF 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 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 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

The auditors, De Warrenne Waller & Co. Limited, will be proposed for re-appointment in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

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ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

C Hwang - SECRETARY

Dated: 7th March 2002

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF NETIQ LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of NetlQ Limited for the year ended 30th June 2001 on pages four to ten. These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out therein.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page two the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the Report of the Directors is not consistent with the financial statements, if 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 Report of the Directors 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 United Kingdom 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 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.

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30th June 2001 and of its loss for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

De Warrenne Waller & Co. Limited

Chartered Accountants

57 Grosvenor Street

Mayfair

London

W1K 3JA

Dated: 7th March 2002

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT for the year ended 30th June 2001

		2001	2000
	Notes	£	£
TURNOVER		9,754,252	2,493,390
Cost of sales		2,280,501	596,114
GROSS PROFIT		7,473,751	1,897,276
Administrative expenses		7,672,081	1,930,808
OPERATING LOSS	3	(198,330)	(33,532)
Interest receivable and similar income		59,379	6,570
		(138,951)	(26,962)
Interest payable and similar charges	4	383	5
LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIV BEFORE TAXATION	ITIES	(139,334)	(26,967)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	5	<u> </u>	
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL AFTER TAXATION	YEAR	(139,334)	(26,967)
Deficit brought forward		(130,102)	(103,135)
DEFICIT CARRIED FORWAR	RD	£(269,436)	£(130,102)
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CONTINUING OPERATIONS

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the current and previous years.

TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the losses for the current and previous years.

BALANCE SHEET 30th June 2001

2001		2000		
Notes	£	£	£	£
7		529,876		133,168
8		4,894		
		534,770		133,168
9	2,901,900		954,838	
	544,645		577,104	
	3,446,545		1,531,942	
10	4,249,751		1,794,212	
	e e	(803,206)		(262,270)
		£(268,436)		£(129,102)
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ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

C Hwang - DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on 7th March 2002

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the year ended 30th June 2001

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Financial Reporting Standard Number 1

Exemption has been taken from preparing a cash flow statement on the grounds that the company qualifies as a small company.

Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, 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.

Improvements to property - Over the term of lease
Fixtures and fittings - 20% on cost
Motor vehicles - 20% on cost
Computer equipment - 33% on cost

Deferred taxation

Provision is made at current rates for taxation deferred in respect of all material timing differences except to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is reasonable probability that the liability will not arise in the foreseeable future.

Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable for the year are charged in the profit and loss account.

2. STAFF COSTS

Wages and salaries Social security costs Other pension costs	2001 £ 4,555,433 15,378 94,721	2000 £ 883,774 12,493 23,756
	4,665,532	920,023
The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows:	2001	2000
Marketing and administration	51 ==	14 ==

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30th June 2001

3. OPERATING LOSS

The operating loss is stated after charging:

		2001	2000
		£	£
	Hire of plant and machinery	17,425	2,150
	Depreciation - owned assets	154,535	29,470
	Loss on disposal of fixed assets	1,554	_
	Auditors' remuneration	4,500	3,000
			====
	Directors' emoluments	125,661	119,391
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4.	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES		
		2001	2000
		£	£
	Bank interest	383	5
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5. TAXATION

No liability to UK corporation tax arose on ordinary activities for the year ended 30th June 2001 nor for the year ended 30th June 2000.

6. ACQUISITION OF MISSION CRITICAL SOFTWARE (UK) LIMITED

At 1st July 2000 the company acquired the trade and net assets of Mission Critical Software (UK) Limited. The net assets and fair value at the date of transfer amounted to £104,601.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30th June 2001

7. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Improvements to property	Fixtures and fittings	Motor vehicles	Computer equipment	Totals
	£	£	£	£	£
COST:					
At 1st July 2000	1,570	66,764	-	115,067	183,401
Additions	2,355	193,798	47,723	324,921	568,797
Disposals	<u> </u>		(23,861)	(2,239)	(26,100)
At 30th June 2001	3,925	260,562	23,862	437,749	726,098
DEPRECIATION:					
At 1st July 2000	-	-		50,233	50,233
Charge for year	1,481	30,727	15,600	106,727	154,535
Eliminated on disposals		-	(7,800)	(746)	(8,546)
At 30th June 2001	1,481	30,727	7,800	156,214	196,222
NET BOOK VALUE:					
At 30th June 2001	2,444	229,835	16,062	281,535	529,876
At 30th June 2000	1,570	66,764	~	64,834	133,168
					====
8. FIXED ASSET INVEST	MENTS				
					£
COST:					4,894
Additions					4,074
At 30th June 2001					4,894

		£
COST: Additions		4,894
At 30th June 2001		4,894
NET BOOK VALUE: At 30th June 2001		4,894
Unlisted investments	2001 £ 4,894	2000 £
Offitzed investments	4,024 	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the year ended 30th June 2001

8. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued

The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of unlisted companies include the following:

NetIQ S.A.R.L.

Country of incorporation: France

Nature of business: Licence and support of computer software

%

Class of shares:

holding

Ordinary

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 $\begin{array}{c} 2001 \\ \text{£} \\ \text{Aggregate capital and reserves} \\ \text{Loss for the year} \end{array} \tag{42,075}$

NetlQ S.A.R.L. was incorporated on 6th March 2001. The shares are wholly owned by NetlQ Limited.

9. **DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR**

DUE WITHIN ONE TEAK	2001 £	2000 £
Trade debtors	2,319,990	757,022
Other debtors	37,752	14,201
Amounts due to group		
undertakings	-	60,228
Prepayments	197,710	6,709
Amounts due to parent		
undertaking	209,319	-
Deposit held	137,129	116,678
	2,901,900	954,838
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	2001 £	2000 £
Bank loans and overdrafts	£	r.
(see note 11)	5,016	_
Trade creditors	218,473	35,058
Deferred income	2,553,218	370,059
Other creditors	2,555,210	891
Social security & other taxes	530,065	95,027
Amounts due to parent		
undertaking	-	1,161,132
Amounts due to group		
undertakings	260,786	-
Accrued expenses	682,193	132,045
	4,249,751	1,794,212

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30th June 2001

11. LOANS AND OVERDRAFTS

An analysis of the maturity of loans and overdrafts is given below:

Amounts falli	ng due within one year or on demand:		2001 £	2000 £
Bank overdra	fts		5,016	-
CALLED UI	P SHARE CAPITAL			
Authorised, a	llotted, issued and fully paid:			
Number:	Class:	Nominal value:	2001 £	2000 £
1,000	Ordinary	£1.00	1,000	1,000

13. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

The ultimate parent undertaking is NetIQ Corporation, a company incorporated and registered in the USA. Copies of the accounts of NetIQ Corporation may be obtained from 3553 North First Street, San Jose, CA 95134-1803, USA.

14. OTHER FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS

The Company has an annual commitment to pay accommodation charges until 2005 of £190,000 per annum and service charges of £44,000 per annum.

15. RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

Loss for the financial year	2001 £ (139,334)	2000 £ (26,967)
Net reduction of shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	(139,334) (129,102)	(26,967) (102,135)
Closing shareholders' funds	(268,436)	(129,102)
Equity interests	(268,436)	(129,102)