Registered Number 3534197

RAVENSCOURT SERVICES LIMITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

31 DECEMBER 1998



Ravenscourt Services Limited Auditors' Report

Auditors' report to Ravenscourt Services Limited under section 247B of the Companies Act 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 4, together with the full accounts of the company for the period ended 31 December 1998 prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the registrar of companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of Opinion

We have carried out the procedures we considered necessary to confirm, by reference to the full accounts, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full accounts.

Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 4 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

Murphy Deaks Nolan

Accountants and Registered Auditors

Gardiner House Broomhill Road London SW18 4JQ

12 July 1999

Ravenscourt Services Limited Abbreviated Balance Sheet as at 31 December 1998

	Notes		1998 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets	2		415,666
Current assets			
Stocks		3,126	
Debtors		179,190	
Cash at bank and in hand		35,039 217,355	
Creditors: amounts falling within one year	due	(498,868)	
Net current liabilities	-		(281,513)
Total assets less current liabilities			134,153
Provisions for liabilities an charges	ıd		(27,250)
Net assets			106,903
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	3		2
Profit and loss account			106,901
Shareholders' funds			106,903

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.

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Director

Approved by the board on 12 July 1999

Ravenscourt Services Limited Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts for the period ended 31 December 1998

1 Accounting policies

Accounting convention and Going concern

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities

The accounts have been prepared on the going concern basis because of an undertaking from its parent undertaking to provide continued financial support.

Turnover

Turnover represents the invoiced value of goods and services supplied by the company to its parent undertaking, net of value added tax and trade discounts.

Depreciation

Depreciation has been provided at the following rates in order to write off the assets over their estimated useful lives.

Plant and machinery 20% - 33.33% straight line

Motor vehicles 25% straight line Leasehold improvements 20% straight line

Stocks

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Deferred taxation

Provision is made for deferred taxation using the liability method to take account of timing differences between the incidence of income and expenditure for taxation and accounting purposes, except to the extent that a liability to taxation is unlikely to crystallise.

Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts, which are those where substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset have passed to the company, are capitalised in the balance sheet and depreciated over their useful lives.

The interest element of the rental obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the lease.

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to income on a straight line basis over the lease term.

Ravenscourt Services Limited Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts for the period ended 31 December 1998

Tangible fixed assets		£
Cost		
Group transfer		195,700
Additions		318,420
At 31 December 1998		514,120
Depreciation		
Group transfer		36,302
Charge for the period		62,152
At 31 December 1998		98,454
Net book value		
At 31 December 1998		415,666
61		1998
Share capital		1996 £
Authorised:		*
Ordinary shares of £1 each		1,000
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	1998	1998
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Allotted and called up, not fully paid:	: 2	2
Ordinary shares of £1 each		

4 Related party transactions

The company is controlled by its directors.

During the course of the period the company engaged the services of Ms A Elbourne, the wife of one of the directors, as a production manager. She was paid £10,800 on normal commercial terms for the services supplied.

During the course of the period the company also engaged the services of Ms A Bowes, the wife of one of the directors, as a graphic consultant. She was paid £11,000 on normal commercial terms for the services supplied.

5 Ultimate parent undertaking

The company's ultimate parent undertaking is Lion Television Limited.