# **Abbreviated Accounts**

for the Year Ended 31 October 2004

<u>for</u>

**Hull Super League Limited** 

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# Company Information for the Year Ended 31 October 2004

**DIRECTORS:** 

J Coupe

D M Fulton

Mrs K M Hetherington

D Plummer
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**SECRETARY:** 

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REGISTERED NUMBER:

3555364 (England and Wales)

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The CBA Partnership Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

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**BANKERS:** 

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# Report of the Independent Auditors to Hull Super League Limited Under Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages four to six, together with the full financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 October 2004 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special auditors' 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, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

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 consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, 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 financial statements.

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 four to six are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

Other information

On 19 August 2005 we reported, as auditors to the shareholders of the company on the financial statements for the year ended 31 October 2004 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985, and our report was as follows:

"We have audited the financial statements of Hull Super League Limited for the year ended 31 October 2004 on pages five to ten. These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002), under the historical cost convention (as modified by the revaluation of certain fixed assets) and 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 auditors' 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 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.

### Report of the Independent Auditors to **Hull Super League Limited** Under Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985

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.

Fundamental uncertainty

In forming our opinion we have considered the adequacy of the disclosures made in the financial statements concerning the support of certain Directors and Shareholders. The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, the validity of which depends upon sufficient working capital being made available by the Company's bank and funders. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that would result from a failure to obtain the necessary funding. Our opinion is not qualified in this respect.

Qualified opinion arising from disagreement about accounting treatment

Included on the balance sheet are intangible fixed assets amounting to £550,000 in respect of values placed on eligible players. The balance sheet also includes a corresponding players revaluation reserve. Inclusion of this asset is not in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, which requires that internally generated intangible assets should not be capitalised in the balance sheet. In our opinion the intangible fixed assets should be removed reducing the Fixed Assets, increasing the Net Current Liabilities and reducing the Capital and Reserves by £550,000. Except for the inclusion of the intangible fixed assets and the corresponding revaluation reserve, in our opinion, the accounts give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 October 2004 and its loss for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the the Companies Act 1985. "

The CBA Partnership Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

72 Lairgate Beverley East Yorkshire **HU178EU** 

19 August 2005

# Abbreviated Balance Sheet 31 October 2004

	200-	4	200	3
Notes	£	£	£	£
2		550,000		550,000
3		34,992		26,889
4		1		1
		584,993		576,890
			•	
			•	
	126,644		72,671	
	1,243,901		760,703	
5	2,409,301	_	1,953,703	
		(1,165,400)		(1,193,000)
		(580,407)		(616,110)
5		39,949		
		£(620,356)		£(616,110)
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6		,		799,567
				52,600
		•		550,000
		(2,022,523)		(2,018,277)
		£(620,356)		£(616,110)
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These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

### ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

D. Plumme /
D Plummer - Director
Approved by the Board on 15 - 8

### Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts for the Year Ended 31 October 2004

#### ACCOUNTING POLICIES 1.

# Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, due to the fact that certain key directors and shareholders have confirmed their willingness to support the company financially for the forseeable future.

The financial statements do not therefore include any adjustments that would result from a withdrawal of this financial support.

# Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain assets and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

### Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of tickets and other goods, excluding value added tax.

### Valuation of players

Players are valued at the end of each year by reference to the directors evaluation of the compensation recoverable for eligible players under the age of twenty four. Any transfer values received or paid are credited or charged to the profit and loss account in the period which they occur.

### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful

Plant and machinery etc

- 25% on cost. 10% on cost and

over the period of the lease

### Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

# Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account as incurred.

#### INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS 2.

	£
COST OR VALUATION	
At 1 November 2003	550,000
and 31 October 2004	550,000
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 October 2004	550,000
At 31 October 2003	550,000

Total

# Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts - continued for the Year Ended 31 October 2004

3.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

'A' ordinary

convertible

'B' ordinary redeemable

570,400

250,000

4.

5.

6.

IANGIBLE	FIXED ASSETS			Total £
COST	2002			74,093
At 1 November Additions	er 2003			23,628
At 31 October	r 2004			97,721
DEPRECIAT				47,205
At 1 November Charge for ye				15,524
At 31 October	r 2004			62,729
NET BOOK At 31 Octobe				34,992
				26,888
At 31 October	r 2003			====
FIXED ASSI	ET INVESTMENTS			
CREDITOR	s			
The following	g secured debts are included within crea	litors:		
			2004	2003
Dault assaudua	Φ		£	£ 29,930
Bank overdra	II <b>L</b>			
CALLED U	P SHARE CAPITAL			
Authorised:		Maminal	2004	2003
Number:	Class:	Nominal value:	2004 £	£
9,750,000	'A' ordinary	£1	9,750,000	9,750,000
250,000	'B' ordinary redeemable convertible	£1	250,000	250,000
			10,000,000	10,000,000
Allotted issu	ed and fully paid:			
Number:	Class:	Nominal	2004	2003
		value;	£	£

The 'B' shares are redeemable, convertible shares carrying no voting rights or entitlement to dividend. The 'B' shares can be redeemed or converted at any time after 31 October 2004.

£1

£1

570,400

229,167

799,567

570,400

229,167

799,567