Ablyn Ltd

Report of the Directors and

Financial Statements

for the Period 29 June 1998 to 30 June 1999

Barter Durgan Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors 10, Victoria Road South Southsea Hants PO5 2DA

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Company Information for the Period 29 June 1998 to 30 June 1999

DIRECTORS:

G Lindsay D M Telling

SECRETARY:

A F Waters

REGISTERED OFFICE:

The Stable Block Barley Wood Wrington Bristol BS40 5SA

REGISTERED NUMBER:

3589136 (England and Wales)

AUDITORS:

Barter Durgan

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors 10, Victoria Road South

Southsea Hants PO5 2DA Report of the Directors for the Period 29 June 1998 to 30 June 1999

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the period 29 June 1998 to 30 June 1999.

INCORPORATION

The company was incorporated on 29 June 1998 and commenced trading on 3 August 1998.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activities of the company in the period under review were those of Marine and Industrial Painting, Corrosion Engineers, Scaffolding and Containment Specialists.

DIRECTORS

The directors during the period under review were:

D.C. Symon - appointed 22.7.98
G Lindsay - appointed 22.7.98
A J Thomson - appointed 22.7.98
- resigned 22.7.98
Instant Companies Ltd - appointed 29.6.98

- appointed 29.6.9 - resigned 22.7.98

The directors holding office at 30 June 1999 did not hold any beneficial interest in the issued share capital of the company at date of appointment or 30 June 1999.

Mr D C Symon resigned on 11th November 1999.

Both the directors, being eligible, offer themselves for election at the forthcoming first Annual General Meeting.

COMPANY SECRETARY

Mr D C Symon resigned as secretary on the 11th November 1999. Mr A F Waters was appointed secretary on 11th November 1999.

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, Barter Durgan, will be proposed for re-appointment in accordance with Section 385A of the Companies Act 1985.

Ablyn Ltd

Report of the Directors for the Period 29 June 1998 to 30 June 1999

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:

A F Waters - SECRETARY

Dated: 1 February 2000

Ablyn Ltd

Report of the Auditors to the Shareholders of Ablyn Ltd

We have audited the financial statements on pages five to eight which have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999), under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page seven.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page two the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements 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 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 30 June 1999 and of its loss for the period then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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Barter Durgan Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors 10, Victoria Road South Southsea Hants PO5 2DA

Dated: 1 February 2000

Profit and Loss Account for the Period 29 June 1998 to 30 June 1999

	Notes	£
TURNOVER		357,446
Cost of sales		141,997
GROSS PROFIT		215,449
Administrative expenses		236,455
OPERATING LOSS	2	(21,006)
Interest payable and similar charges		1,287
LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		(22,293)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	3	-
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIO AFTER TAXATION	D	(22,293)
DEFICIT CARRIED FORWARD		£(22,293)

Balance Sheet 30 June 1999

	Notes	£	£
FIXED ASSETS:			
Tangible assets	4		14,843
CURRENT ASSETS:			
Stocks		21,250	
Debtors	5	93,590	
Cash in hand		545	
		115,385	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling			
due within one year	6	152,519	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES:			(37,134)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES:			£(22,291)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES:			
Called up share capital	7		2
Profit and loss account			(22,293)
Shareholders' funds			£(22,291)

These financial statements 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 March 1999).

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

D M Felling DIRECTOR

G Lindsay - DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on 1 February 2000

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Period 29 June 1998 to 30 June 1999

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999).

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.

Fixtures and fittings - 15% on reducing balance
Motor vehicles - 25% on reducing balance

Computer equipment - 20% on cost

Stocks

Work in progress is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Cost includes all direct expenditure and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

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.

2. OPERATING LOSS

The operating loss is stated after charging:

Depreciation - owned assets \$
3,774

Directors' emoluments and other benefits etc

3. TAXATION

No liability to UK corporation tax arose on ordinary activities for the period.

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4. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

		Fixtures and fittings	Motor vehicles	Computer equipment	Totals
		£	£	£	£
COST:			4		
Additions		687	15,700	2,230	18,61
At 30 June 1999	•	687	15,700	2,230	18,61
DEPRECIATIO	ON:				
Charge for perio		94	3,271	409	3,77
At 30 June 1999	•	94	3,271	409	3,77
NET BOOK V	ALUE:	-			
At 30 June 1999		<u> </u>	<u>12,429</u>	<u>1,821</u>	14,843
	AOUNTS FALLING				
DUE WITHIN	ONE YEAR				£
V,A.T.					10,06
Trade debtors					83,52
					93,590
	AMOUNTS FALLING				
DUE WITHIN	ONE YEAR				£
Bank loans and	overdrafts				18,94
Trade creditors					37,73
Due to related co	ompanies				42,379
Hire purchase Other creditors					4,12° 9,33°
Directors' currer	at accounts				40,000
					152,519
CALLED UP S	HARE CAPITAL				
Authorised: Number:	Class:		Nominal		
rumoor.	Ciuss.		value:		£
1,000	Ordinary		£1		1,000
Allotted, issued	and fully paid:				
	Class:		Nominal		
n	O-4:		value:		£
2	Ordinary		£1		2