

AUDITORS' REPORT TO

JACOB JÜRGENSEN [UK] LIMITED

PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 24 OF SCHEDULE 8 TO THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 6, together with the financial statements of Jacob Jürgensen [UK] Limited, prepared under s226 of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31 December 2003.

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

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 the company's entitlement 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 out opinion to you.

Basis of Opinion

We have carried out the procedures we considered necessary to confirm by reference to the audited financial statements, that the company is entitled to the exemptions and that the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared from those financial statements. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report does 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 2 to 6 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

Registered Auditor

18 February 2004

Chartered Accountants

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET - 31 DECEMBER 2003

		2003		2002	
	Note	£	£	£	£
Tangible Fixed Assets	2		14,022		49,268
Current Assets					
Stocks		268,372		263,073	
Trade debtors		156,533		222,120	
Other debtors		12,234		7,846	
Prepayments		6,990		4,056	
Cash at bank		83,793		160,410	
Cash in hand		-		312	
		527,922		657,817	
Creditors: amounts falling due					
within one year		398,652		562,942	
Net Current Assets			129,270		94,875
			143,292		144,143
Provision for Liabilities and C	harges		,		•
Deferred taxation			-		1,503
			143,292		142,640
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Capital and Reserves					
Called up share capital	3		50,000		50,000
Profit and loss account			93,292		92,640
Shareholders' Funds - equity					
interests			143,292		142,640

The financial statements 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 (effective June 2002). Approved by the Board on 18 February 2004 X W.S. War

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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

1 Accounting Policies

a Basis of Accounting

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

b Turnover

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

c Tangible Fixed Assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off the cost of each asset over its estimated useful life:-

Office equipment 25% on reducing balance Fixtures and fittings 15% on reducing balance Computer equipment 25% on cost Computer software 50% on cost

Motor vehicles 33% on straight line

d Stocks

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

e Deferred Taxation

Provision is made at current rates for taxation deferred in respect of all material timing differences.

f Leases and Hire Purchase Contracts

Payments under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account in the year in which they are incurred. Tangible fixed assets acquired under finance leases and hire purchase contracts are capitalised and depreciated in the same manner as other tangible fixed assets over their estimated useful economic lives or, if shorter the lease term. The related obligation, net of future charges, are included in creditors falling due within and after more than one year. The interest element of repayments of finance leases and hire purchase contracts is charged to the profit and loss account over the duration of the lease and represents a constant proportion of the capital balance outstanding, so as to produce a constant periodic rate of charge on the net obligations outstanding in each period.

g Pension Scheme

The company operates a defined contributions scheme. Pension contributions are charged against profit under the accruals basis.

h Foreign Currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating loss. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

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2 Tangible Fixed Assets

Fixtures						
	Office Equipment £	and Fittings £	Computer Equipment £	Computer Software £	Motor Vehicles £	Total £
Cost						
At 1 January 2003 Additions Disposals	3 9,591 1,400 (815)	357	16,543 3,254 (2,995)	3,163 3,350 -	39,400	69,054 8,004 (43,210)
At 31 December 2003	10,176	357	16,802	6,513		33,848
Accumulated Depreciation						
At 1 January 2003 Charge for the	3 3,907	66	8,276	2,961	4,576	19,786
year Eliminated on	1,764	44	3,556	685	10,212	16,261
disposals	(465)	-	(968)	<u>-</u>	(14,788)	(16,221)
At 31 December 2003	5,206	110	10,864	3,646 =		19,826
Net Book Value						
At 31 December 2003	4,970	247	5,938	2,867		14,022
At 31 December 2002	5,684	291	8,267	202	34,824	49,268
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YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2003

3	Called Up Share Capital	2003	2002
	Authorised	£	£
	50,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	50,000	50,000
			
	Allotted, issued and fully paid		
	50,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	50,000	50,000

4 Controlling Party and Ultimate Holding Company

The company is a subsidiary of Jacob Jürgensen Papier und Zellstoff Gmbh, a company registered in Germany.

Messrs S Prodöhl, W E Wroldsen and A Francke, together with Messrs A von Muller and A Francke as Managing Directors of Jacob Jürgensen GmbH & Co KG, act together as the controlling party by reason of their controlling interest in the shares of Jacob Jürgensen Papier und Zellstoff Gmbh.

5 Transactions with Related Parties

During the year, the company purchased goods and services from its parent company, Jacob Jürgensen Papier und Zellstoff Gmbh at normal commercial terms to the value of £2,300,343 (2002 £3,125,915); the purchase ledger balance at 31 December 2003 amounted to £311,037 (2002 £454,344).

Included within debtors on the balance sheet is an amount of £4,207 (2002 £1,090) due from the director, Mr M Bausor. This amount represents the maximum amount outstanding during the year and was repaid in full after the year end.