Report and Financial Statements

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OFFICERS AND PROFESSIONAL ADVISERS

DIRECTORS

D M Telling I R Stewart J Astley A Cochrane W Dunne S P Gardyne A Hill

SECRETARIES

C K Ross A F Waters (resigned 31 March 2002)

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BANKERS

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AUDITORS

Deloitte & Touche Queen Anne House 69-71 Queen Square Bristol BS1 4JP



DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report and audited financial statements for the financial year ended 9 March 2002.

The financial statements have been made up to 9 March 2002, being a date not more than seven days before the accounting reference date as permitted by Section 223 of the Companies Act 1985.

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

United Kingdom 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 as at the end of the financial year 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;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed; and
- 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 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.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY AND REVIEW OF THE BUSINESS

The company provides manned guarding services to commerce, financial institutions and to industrial clients.

The company's business has developed satisfactorily and the directors consider that the company is in a good position to continue that development.

On 26 July 2002 the company changed its name to MITIE Security (Scotland) Limited.

RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The profit for the year after taxation amounted to £28,255 (2001: £38,774). The directors propose payment of a dividend of £7,180 (2001: £7,180) and recommend that the balance of £21,075 (2001: £31,594) be transferred to reserves.

DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS

The directors during the year were as follows:

D M Telling
I R Stewart
A Cochrane
W Dunne
S P Gardyne
A Hill

J Astley

(resigned 16 May 2002)



DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS (continued)

The beneficial interests of the directors and their families in the share capital of the company were as follows:

	At 9 March 2002 £1 'B' ordinary shares No.	At 10 March 2001 £1 'B' ordinary shares No.
J Astley	5,000	5,000

No other director had a beneficial interest in the share capital of the company during the year.

The following directors had a beneficial interest in the loan stock of the company:

	At 9 March 2002 Loan stock	At 10 March 2001 Loan stock	
	£	£	
J Astley	5,000	5,000	
A Cochrane	12,080	12,080	
W Dunne	12,000	12,000	
S P Gardyne	11,000	11,000	
A Hill	5,000	5,000	

Messrs D M Telling and I R Stewart are directors of MITIE Group PLC, the parent undertaking, and their interests in the share capital of that company are shown in the financial statements of MITIE Group PLC.

The other directors' interests in the share capital of MITIE Group PLC are as follows:

	At 9 March 2002 2.5p Ordinary shares No.	At 10 March 2001 5p Ordinary shares No.
J Astley	796,440	403,220

On 2 April 2001 each MITIE Group PLC 5p ordinary share was subdivided into two ordinary shares of 2.5p each.

Share Options

				Granted 1 March during the period			Ex during the	cercised e period	At 9 March
		2001	Options	Price	Exercise From	То	Options	Price	2002
J Astley	(ii)	400,000	-	-	2001	2008	-	-	800,000
A Cochrane	(i)	1,191	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,382
S P Gardyne	(i) (ii)	4,093 13,000	1,296	£1.25	2006 2002	2007 2010	-	-	9,482 26,000

⁽i) Options under the Savings Related Option Scheme

Further details of the MITIE Group PLC Share Schemes are given in the accounts of that company.

⁽ii) Options under the Executive Share Option Scheme



DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

PAYMENT POLICY

The company's policy is to comply with the terms of payment agreed with a supplier. Where terms are not negotiated, the company endeavours to adhere with the supplier's standard terms. As at 9 March 2002 trade creditors, as a proportion of amounts invoiced from suppliers for the year, represented 63 days (2001: 57 days).

EMPLOYEES

The company offers equal opportunities to all applicants for employment whatever their sex, race or religion. Disabled persons are considered for employment, training, career development and promotion on the basis of their attitudes and abilities in common with all employees, providing the disability does not make the particular employment impractical or the employee unable to conform to the stringent regulations which apply to the operations of the company.

The company recognises the importance of good communications and employee relationships. In each company there is a relationship between the Chief Executive of MITIE Group PLC and individual employees in the company. In these conditions, complex consultative procedures are seldom required to ensure that there is an understanding of the purpose of the business and the commercial realities of success. Employees are encouraged to become shareholders through the Savings Related Share Option Scheme.

AUDITORS

A resolution for the reappointment of Deloitte & Touche as auditors of the company is to be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

Approved by the Board of Directors and signed on behalf of the Board

C K Ross Secretary

12 August 2002

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF

MITIE SECURITY (SCOTLAND) LIMITED (formerly MITIE Olscot Security Services Limited)

We have audited the financial statements of MITIE Security (Scotland) Limited (formerly MITIE Olscot Security Services Limited) for the year ended 9 March 2002 which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet, the cash flow statement and the related notes 1 to 21. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described in the statement of directors' responsibilities, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with applicable United Kingdom law and accounting standards. Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant United Kingdom legal and regulatory requirements and 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 if, in our opinion, the directors' report 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 directors' report for the above year and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements.

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 9 March 2002 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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Chartered Accountants and

Registered Auditors

12 August 2002

Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Aberdeen, Beifast, Birmingham, Bracknell, Bristol, Cambridge, Cardiff, Crawley, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Leeds, Liverpool, London, Manchester, Milton Keynes, Newcastle upon Tyne, Nottingham, St Albans and Southampton.

MITIE SECURITY (SCOTLAND) LIMITED (formerly MITIE Olscot Security Services Limited)

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT Year ended 9 March 2002

ations 2001
£
88,855
43,448)
45,407
88,708)
56,699
2,614
(5,025)
54,288
(15,514)
38,774
(7,180)
31,594
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There are no recognised gains and losses for the current financial year or preceding financial year other than as stated in the profit and loss account.

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BALANCE SHEET At 9 March 2002

	Notes	£	2002 £	£	2001 £
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	6		52,996		39,835
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	7	363,050 72,218		340,793 25,169	
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	8	435,268 (304,716)		365,962 (243,324)	
Convertible redeemable unsecured loan stock	9	(50,250)		-	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			80,302		122,638
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			133,298		162,473
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR					
Convertible redeemable unsecured loan stock	9		-		(50,250)
NET ASSETS			133,298		112,223
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital Profit and loss account	10 11		89,750 43,548		89,750 22,473
TOTAL EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS' FUND	S 12		133,298		112,223

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 12 August 2002.

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors

D M Telling Director

MITIE SECURITY (SCOTLAND) LIMITED (formerly MITIE Olscot Security Services Limited)

CASH FLOW STATEMENT Year ended 9 March 2002

	Notes		2002		2001
		£	£	£	£
Net cash inflow from operating activities	13		108,573		4,516
Returns on investments and servicing of finance Interest received Interest paid	ee	3,336 (5,325)		2,403	
Cash (outflow)/inflow from returns on investment and servicing of finance	ents		(1,989)		2,403
Taxation UK corporation tax paid Group relief received		(19,831)		(5,076) 2,399	
Net cash outflow from taxation			(19,831)		(2,677)
Capital expenditure Payments to acquire tangible fixed assets Receipts from disposal of tangible fixed assets		(36,104) 3,580		(38,953)	
Net cash outflow from capital expenditure			(32,524)		(38,953)
Cash inflow/(outflow) before financing			54,229		(34,711)
Financing Issue of loan stock			-		20,000
Equity dividends paid			(7,180)		-
Increase/(decrease) in cash in the year	15		47,049		(14,711)



NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Year ended 9 March 2002

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

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

Turnover

Turnover represents the total, excluding sales taxes, receivable in respect of goods and services supplied. All turnover arises within the United Kingdom, from the company's principal activity.

Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets at rates calculated to write off the cost, less estimated residual value, of each asset on a straight-line basis over its expected useful life, as follows:

Plant 3 to 5 years
Office equipment 3 to 5 years
Motor vehicles 4 years

Leasing commitments

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

Deferred taxation

This is the first year of adoption of FRS 19 (Deferred Tax). FRS 19 requires full provision to be made for deferred tax, as stated below. It replaces the "partial provision" rules previously allowed under Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No. 15. This change had no material impact on the company and hence there is no restatement of the opening reserves.

Deferred tax is provided in full on timing differences that result in an obligation at the balance sheet date to pay more tax, or a right to pay less tax, at a future date, at rates expected to apply when they crystallise based on current tax rates and law. Timing differences arise from the inclusion of items of income and expenditure in taxation computations in periods different from those in which they are included in financial statements. Deferred tax is not provided on timing differences arising from the revaluation of fixed assets where there is no commitment to sell the asset, or on unremitted earnings of subsidiaries and associates where there is no commitment to remit these earnings. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is regarded as more likely than not that they will be recovered. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

Pension costs

Pension costs represent amounts paid to one of the group's pension schemes. Details of the schemes are given in the financial statements of MITIE Group PLC.

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Year ended 9 March 2002

2.	OPERATING PROFIT is stated after charging:	2002 £	2001 £
	Depreciation	19,268	14,339
	Auditors' remuneration - audit services	2,100	2,750
	Profit on disposal of tangible fixed assets	95	<u>-</u>
	Rentals under operating leases - other	4,447	4,389
3.	INTEREST	2002	2001
	Interest receivable	2002 £	2001 £
	Bank interest	1,915	2,614
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	Interest payable	£	£
	On bank borrowings	300	-
	On unsecured loan stock 2009	5,025	5,025
		5,325	5,025
			

4. TAX CHARGE ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

The standard rate of current tax for the year, based on the UK standard rate of corporation tax is 30% (2001: 30%). The current tax charge for the year exceeds 30% (2001: exceeds 30%) for the reasons set out in the following reconciliation:

	2002 £	2001 £
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	40,542	54,288
	£	£
Tax on profit on ordinary activities at standard rate	12,162	16,286
Factors affecting the charge:		
- disallowable expenses	143	57
- capital allowances for period in excess of depreciation	571	326
- loss on disposal of tangible fixed assets	29	-
- other short-term timing differences		94
UK corporation tax charge for the year	12,905	15,514
Deferred tax		
Timing differences, origination and reversal:		
- current year	(582)	-
- prior year	(18)	-
Prior years		
UK corporation tax	(18)	-
Tax charge on profit on ordinary activities	12,287	15,514
		

The company is not aware of any factors that may materially affect the future tax charge.

5.	DIVIDENDS	2002 £	2001 £
Final proposed: 'A' ordinary of 8p (2001: 8p) per share 'B' ardinary of 8p (2001: 8p) per share			
		6,780	6,780
	'B' ordinary of 8p (2001: 8p) per share	400	400
		7,180	7,180

6. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Summary	Plant	Office	Motor	Total
	Fiant £	equipment £	vehicles £	Total £
Cost		a.	a.	£
At 11 March 2001	7,005	10,672	47,424	65,101
Additions	4,048	6,000	24,261	34,309
Transfers in	7,070	0,000	7,824	7,824
Transfers out	-	-	(9,777)	(9,777)
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Disposals	-	-	(7,824)	(7,824)
At 9 March 2002	11,053	16,672	61,908	89,633
Depreciation		 _		
At 11 March 2001	914	7,192	17,160	25,266
Charge for the year	1,548	3,276	14,444	19,268
Transfers in	1,5 .0	3,2,0	6,029	6,029
Transfers out	_	_	(7,897)	(7,897)
Disposals	_	-	(6,029)	(6,029)
				
At 9 March 2002	2,462	10,468	23,707	36,637
Net book value				
At 9 March 2002	8,591	6,204	38,201	52,996
At 7 Majen 2002	6,391		38,201	
At 10 March 2001	6,091	3,480	30,264	39,835
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Capital commitments

At 9 March 2002 the directors had authorised capital expenditure of nil (2001: nil).

7.	DEBTORS	2002 £	2001 £
	Trade debtors	288,848	290,472
	Amounts owed by group undertakings	59,827	39,578
	Other debtors	71	-
	Prepayments and accrued income	13,704	10,743
	Deferred tax asset	600	-
			
		363,050	340,793

A deferred tax asset of £600 has been recognised at 9 March 2002 (10 March 2001: nil). This asset relates to negative accelerated capital allowances. The directors are of the opinion that suitable profits will be available in the periods in which these differences will reverse.

MITIE SECURITY (SCOTLAND) LIMITED (formerly MITIE Olscot Security Services Limited)

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Year ended 9 March 2002

8.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	2002 £	2001 £
	Trade creditors	77,737	49,116
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	78,807	17,228
	Corporation tax	1,993	8,937
	Other taxes and social security costs	111,207	138,833
	Other creditors		1,033
	Accruals and deferred income	27,792	20,997
	Proposed dividend	7,180	7,180
		304,716	243,324
9.	CONVERTIBLE REDEEMABLE UNSECURED LOAN STOCK	2002 £	2001 £
		•	a
	Convertible redeemable unsecured loan stock 2009:		
	- convertible within one year	50,250	-
	- convertible after more than one year	-	50,250
			
	On 5 July 2002 the unsecured loan stock was redeemed in exchange for ordin	ary shares in the com	pany.
10.	CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL	2002	2001
		£	£
	Authorised		
	127,500 £1 'A' ordinary shares	127,500	127,500
	122,500 £1 'B' ordinary shares	122,500	122,500
			
		250,000	250,000
		£	£
	Allotted and fully paid		
	84,750 £1 'A' ordinary shares	84,750	84,750
	5,000 £1 'B' ordinary shares	5,000	5,000
	·	89,750	89,750
		9,130	03,730

10. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL (continued)

Rights attached to shares

The holders of the £1 'A' ordinary shares and the £1 'B' ordinary shares are entitled to a dividend as decided by the Board. Thereafter, MITIE Group PLC, the holder of the £1 'A' ordinary shares, is entitled to one half of the company's annual profits available for distribution less the above amount already paid, together with any arrears of such cumulative dividends unpaid from any previous financial year.

Thereafter, the balance of profits available for distribution may be distributed amongst the holders of each class of share pari passu.

Both classes of shareholder have equal voting rights.

11. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

11.	PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	£	
	At 11 March 2001	22,473	
	Retained profit for the financial year	21,075	
	At 9 March 2002	43,548	
12.	RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	2002 ₤	2001 £
	Profit for the financial year Dividends	28,255 (7,180)	38,774 (7,180)
	Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	21,075 112,223	31,594 80,629
	Closing shareholders' funds	133,298	112,223
13.	RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING PROFIT TO NET CASH		
	INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	2002 £	2001 £
	Operating profit	43,952	56,699
	Depreciation charge	19,268	14,339
	Loss on disposal of tangible fixed assets Increase in debtors	95 (19,794)	(221,021)
	Increase in creditors	65,052	154,499
	Net cash inflow from operating activities	108,573	4,516

14. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET (DEBT)/FUNDS

		At 11 March 2001 £	Cash flow £	Non-cash changes £	At 9 March 2002 £
	Cash at bank and in hand	25,169	47,049	-	72,218
	Debt due within one year Debt due after more than one year	(50,250)	-	(50,250) 50,250	(50,250)
		(25,081)	47,049	-	21,968
15.	RECONCILIATION OF NET CASH F IN NET FUNDS/(DEBT)	LOW TO MOVE	MENT	2002 £	2001 £
	Increase/(decrease) in cash in the year Increase in debt due after one year			47,049	(14,711) (20,000)
	Change in net debt resulting from cash flo Net (debt)/funds at beginning of year	ws		47,049 (25,081)	(34,711) 9,630
	Net funds/(debt) at end of year			21,968	(25,081)

16. FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS

Operating leases

At 9 March 2002 the company had no annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases (2001: nil).

Commitments on behalf of group undertakings

The company is party with other group undertakings to cross-guarantees of each other's bank overdrafts. As at 9 March 2002, the overall commitment was nil (2001: nil).

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Year ended 9 March 2002

17. DIRECTORS

The emoluments of directors of the company were:	2002 £	2001 £
Fees and other emoluments (including benefits-in-kind)	59,490	55,940
	No.	No.
The number of directors who were members of a defined benefit		
pension scheme	1	1

Messrs D M Telling and I R Stewart are directors of MITIE Group PLC and their emoluments and pension details are disclosed in the group accounts. Messrs J Astley, S P Gardyne and A Hill are paid for their services by MITIE Olscot Limited.

Where the directors are remunerated by other group companies for their services to the group as a whole, it is not practicable to allocate their remuneration between their services as directors of MITIE Olscot Security Services Limited and their services as directors of other group companies.

18. EMPLOYEES

Number of employees

The average number of persons (including directors) employed by the company during the year was:

2002 No.	2001 No.
72	73
4	4
76	77
£	£
1,094,891	876,998
87,778	70,294
2,638	2,553
1,185,307	949,845
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19. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

As a 94.42% owned subsidiary of MITIE Group PLC, MITIE Security (Scotland) Limited (formerly MITIE Olscot Security Services Limited) has taken advantage of the exemption from the requirement to disclose related party transactions with MITIE Group PLC and companies within the group.

20. PENSION ARRANGEMENTS

For the purposes of FRS 17, the company has been unable to identify its share of the underlying assets and liabilities in the main group scheme, the MITIE Group Pension Scheme, on a consistent and reasonable basis. Therefore, following full implementation of FRS 17, the company will account for contributions to the scheme as if it were a defined contribution scheme. At 9 March 2002, the valuation of the scheme for the purposes of FRS 17 showed a net pension liability as set out in note 25 of the report and accounts of MITIE Group PLC.

21. PARENT UNDERTAKING AND CONTROLLING PARTY

The directors regard MITIE Group PLC, a company registered in Scotland, as the company's ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party. MITIE Group PLC is both the smallest and largest group for which group accounts are prepared. Copies of the group financial statements can be obtained from the Company Secretary at the registered office.

DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT Year ended 9 March 2002

	2002 £	2001 £
TURNOVER	1,686,805	1,188,855
COST OF SALES		
Labour	1,044,907	869,158
Materials and services	292,825	62,225
Travelling	17,902	11,823
Plant repairs	1,019	242
	(1,356,653)	(943,448)
GROSS PROFIT	330,152	245,407
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ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES		
Management charges payable	58,618	39,011
Salaries, including directors' salaries	140,400	105,260
Insurance	10,168	681
Telephone	3,354	1,846
Postage, stationery and advertising	1,498	1,831
Entertaining	475	190
Repairs and renewals	12	717
Motor expenses and travel	12,733	8,666
Computer costs	4,044	3,138
Trade subscriptions	2,349	1,340
Education and training	12,430	1,414
Bank charges	2,819	2,212
Audit fee	2,100	2,750
Legal and professional	11,081	924
Sundry expenses	309	2.056
Hire of vehicles	811	3,056
Hire of plant and equipment	3,636	1,333
Depreciation	19,268	14,339
Profit on disposal of tangible fixed assets	95	
	(286,200)	(188,708)
OPERATING PROFIT	43,952	56,699