ARCH OIL LIMITED DIRECTOR'S REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

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COMPANY INFORMATION

Director K Lynch (Appointed 26 October 2004)

Secretary HS (Nominees) Limited

Company number 3929069

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Auditors MRI Moores Rowland LLP

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DIRECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

The director presents his report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2004.

Principal activities

The principal activity is that of trading and service in the oil industry.

Directors

The following directors have held office since 1 January 2004:

M A Shmeleva

(Resigned 25 October 2004)

K Lynch

(Appointed 26 October 2004)

Directors' interests

The director does not have any beneficial interest in the issued share capital of the company.

Auditors

In accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution proposing that MRI Moores Rowland LLP be reappointed as auditors of the company will be put to the Annual General Meeting.

Director's responsibilities

Company law requires the director 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 director is 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 director is responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable him to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. He is 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.

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

K Lynch

Director

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF ARCH OIL LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Arch Oil Limited on pages 3 to 7 for the year ended 31 December 2004. These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002), under the historical cost convention 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 auditor's 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 the director and auditors

As described in the statement of director's responsibilities on page 1 the company's director is responsible for the preparation of the 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 director's 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 director's remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed. We read the director's report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

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 director 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 31 December 2004 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

MRI Moores Rowland LLP Chartered Accountants

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Registered Auditor

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

	Notes	2004 £	2003 £
Turnover		171,901	190,614
Administrative expenses		(152,594)	(160,381)
Operating profit	2	19,307	30,233
Other interest receivable and similar income Interest payable and similar charges		78,828 (79,035)	77,274 (77,274)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		19,100	30,233
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	3	(4,348)	(9,383)
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation	8	14,752	20,850

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2004

		2004		2003	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	4		-		1,395
Current assets					
Debtors	5	54,548		55,466	
Cash at bank and in hand		30,175		33,610	
		84,723		89,076	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year	6	(7,593)		(28,093)	
Net current assets			77,130		60,983
Total assets less current liabilities			77,130		62,378
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	7		1		1
Profit and loss account	8		77,129		62,377
Shareholders' funds			77,130		62,378

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 June 2002).

The financial statements were approved by the Board on

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K Lynch Director

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

1.2 Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services net of VAT and trade discounts.

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

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

Plant and equipment

20% straight line

1.4 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

2	Operating profit	2004	2003
		£	£
	Operating profit is stated after charging:		
	Depreciation of tangible assets	1,126	507
	Auditors' remuneration	8,207	1,500
	Director's emoluments	40,769	50,000
3	Taxation	2004	2003
		£	£
	Domestic current year tax		
	U.K. corporation tax	4,348	9,383
	Current tax charge	4,348	9,383

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4	Tangible fixed assets		Plant and
		mac	hinery etc
			£
	Cost		
	At 1 January 2004 & at 31 December 2004		2,060
	Depreciation		
	At 1 January 2004		934
	Charge for the year		1,126
	At 31 December 2004		2,060
	Net book value		
	At 31 December 2004		
	At 31 December 2003		1,126
5	Debtors	2004 £	2003 £
	Amounts owed by parent company	54,548	49,697
	Other debtors	<u>-</u>	5,769
		54,548	55,466
6	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2004 €	2003 £
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	Trade creditors	-	3,657
	Taxation and social security	7,593	11,160
	Other creditors	-	13,276
		7,593	28,093

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9 Control

During both periods under review, the ultimate controlling company is Arch Limited, a company incorporated in the Bahamas and the ultimate controlling party is Mr V Grigoriants.

10 Related party transactions

As at the year end, the company was owed £54,548 (2003: £49,697) by Arch Limited, a company incorporated in the Bahamas. During the year fees amounting to £167,293 (2003: £180,429) were receivable from the parent company.