ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

30 SEPTEMBER 2006

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### **COMPANY INFORMATION** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

**DIRECTORS** 

D W Taylor

P Davison-Sebry

**SECRETARY** 

M and A Secretanes Limited

**REGISTERED OFFICE** 

Elfed House

Oak Tree Court, Mulberry Drive Cardiff Gate Business Park

CARDIFF **CF23 8RS** 

REGISTERED NUMBER

04177122 (England and Wales)

**AUDITORS** 

Watts Gregory LLP

Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors Elfed House

Oak Tree Court

Cardiff Gate Business Park

**CARDIFF CF23 8RS** 

### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

The directors present their report with the accounts of the company for the year ended 30 September 2006

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of a holding company and provider of management services

### **REVIEW OF BUSINESS**

The results for the year and financial position of the company are as shown in the annexed accounts

The company will continue to act as holding company for its direct investments in the subsidiaries listed at note 9 in the financial statements. During 2006, the company achieved continued progress in line with its business development plans. Profit before tax for the year ended 30 September 2006 was £84,842 compared to £40,508 for the year ended 30 September 2005. The directors anticipate continued profitability in 2007 and improving net assets.

The 'Group' have continued to go from strength to strength not only in their traditional business but also in seeking new markets and clients

### Principal risks

The company's principal risk is the carrying value of its investments. As a result, the principal risks facing the company's largest trading subsidiary, Taylor and Sons Limited, are also the main risks facing this company.

The group's operations expose it to a variety of financial risks that include the effects of market price changes and credit risk. The company seeks to restrict negative effects on the financial performance of the company by reviewing market prices and maintaining close control over debtors.

The group pursues policies that require appropriate credit checks on potential customers before sales are made Customers are assigned credit limits and overdue debts are chased on a regular basis

The group is exposed to raw material price risk as a result of its operations. This risk is minimised, however as the company enjoys supplier contracts with several businesses.

The company monitors its cash flow position to ensure it has sufficient cash in order to fund its activities

Given the size of the company, the policies set by the board of directors are implemented by the company's finance department

### **DIVIDENDS**

Interim dividends totalling 90p per share were paid on the Ordinary 'B'  $\pounds 1$  shares during the year. No dividends were paid on the Ordinary 'A'  $\pounds 1$  shares

The total distribution of dividends for the year ended 30 September 2006 was £45,000

## **DIRECTORS**

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 October 2005 to the date of this report

D W Taylor

P Davison-Sebry

#### STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). The financial statements are required by law to 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 these 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

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

#### STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES - continued

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 irregulanties

### STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 234ZA of the Companies Act 1985) of which the company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

#### **AUDITORS**

The auditors, Watts Gregory LLP, will be proposed for re-appointment in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

P Davison-Sebry - Director

# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO TAYLOR & SONS HOLDINGS LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages five to fifteen, together with the financial statements of Taylor & Sons Holdings Limited for the year ended 30 September 2006 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 246A 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 Section 246A(3) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with that provision and to report our opinion to you

### Basis of opinion

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2006/3 "The Special Auditor's Report on Abbreviated Accounts in the United Kingdom" issued by the Auditing Practices Board. In accordance with that Bulletin 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.

#### Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 246A(3) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with that provision

Watts Gregory LLP

Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors

25/5/2007

Elfed House Oak Tree Court

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Date

# ABBREVIATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

	Notes	2006 £	2005 £
GROSS PROFIT		138,672	143,672
Administrative expenses		(5,096)	(1,968)
OPERATING PROFIT	3	133,576	141,704
Amounts written off investments	4	-	(49,000)
		133,576	92,704
Interest payable and similar charges	5	(48,734)	(52,196)
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		84,842	40,508
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	6	-	
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AFTER TAXATION		84,842	40,508

### **CONTINUING OPERATIONS**

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the current year or previous year

# **TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES**

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the profits for the current year or previous year

The notes form part of these abbreviated accounts

# ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

	Notes	2006 £	2005 £
FIXED ASSETS	140162	<b>~</b>	~
Investments	8	1,642,225	1,652,986
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors	9	10,000	10,000
Cash at bank		1,107	41,209
		11,107	51,209
CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year	10	(207,231)	(155,318)
<u>-</u>		<del></del>	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES		(196,124)	(104,109)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		1,446,101	1,548,877
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due after more than			
year	11	(1,190,126)	(1,332,744)
NET ASSETS		255,975	216,133
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CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital	14	100,000	100,000
Profit and loss account	15	155,975	116,133
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	18	255,975	216,133

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to medium-sized companies

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on its behalf by

25/05/07

and were signed on

P Davison-Sebry - Director

# CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

	Notes	2006 £	2005 £
Net cash inflow	110100	~	-
from operating activities	1	117,266	249,766
Returns on investments and			
servicing of finance	2	(48,734)	(52,196)
<b>Faxation</b>		9,747	(20,835)
Capital expenditure	_		
and financial investment	2	15,640	(27,561)
Equity dividends paid		(45,000)	(25,000)
		48,919	124,174
Financing	2	(89,021)	(86,478)
(Decrease)/Increase in cash in th	ne period	(40,102)	37,696
to movement in net debt	3		
(Decrease)/Increase in cash in the Cash outflow	period	(40,102)	37,696
from decrease in debt		89,938	86,478
Change in net debt resulting from cash flows		49,836	124,174
Movement in net debt in the peri	od	49,836	124,174
Net debt at 1 October		(1,240,266)	(1,364,440)
Net debt at 30 September		(1,190,430)	(1,240,266)

The notes form part of these abbreviated accounts

# NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

1	RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING PROFIT TO NET CASH IN	FLOW FROM OF	PERATING ACT	TIVITIES
			2006	2005
	Operating profit		£ 133,576	£ 141,704
	Profit on disposal of fixed assets Decrease in debtors		(4,879)	- 45
	(Decrease)/Increase in creditors		(11,431)	108,017
	Net cash inflow from operating activities		117,266	249,766
2	ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOWS FOR HEADINGS NETTED IN TH	IE CASH FLOW S	STATEMENT	
			2006 £	2005 £
	Returns on investments and servicing of finance		(40.704)	(50.400)
	Interest paid		(48,734)	(52,196)
	Net cash outflow for returns on investments and servicing o	f finance	(48,734) ———	(52,196) ———
	Capital expenditure and financial investment			
	Purchase of fixed asset investments		45.040	(27,561)
	Sale of fixed asset investments		15,640	+
	Net cash inflow/(outflow) for capital expenditure and investment	financial	15,640	(27,561)
	Financing			
	Debenture repayments in year Amount introduced by directors		(89,938) 917	(86,478) -
				(06 470)
	Net cash outflow from financing		(89,021) =====	(86,478) ———
3	ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT			
		At 1/10/05 £	Cash flow £	At 30/9/06 £
	Net cash Cash at bank	41,209	(40,102)	1,107
		41,209	(40,102)	1,107
	Debt			
	Debts falling due	(00.000)	/2 FOZV	(00 505)
	within one year Debts falling due	(89,938)	(3,597)	(93,535)
	after one year	(1,191,537)	93,535	(1,098,002)
		(1,281,475)	89,938	(1,191,537)
	Total	(1,240,266)	49,836	(1,190,430)

The notes form part of these abbreviated accounts

### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

#### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention

#### Going concern

As at 30 September 2006 there were net current liabilities of £196,124. However, the directors consider the going concern basis of preparation of the financial statements to be appropriate as the company continues to be profitable and the directors are confident that the company will be in a position to meet its obligations as they fall due.

### Exemption from preparing consolidated financial statements

The financial statements contain information about Taylor & Sons Holdings Limited as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information as the parent of a group. The company is exempt under Section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 from the requirements to prepare consolidated financial statements.

#### investments

Investments are recorded at cost less any provision required for diminution in value

#### 2 STAFF COSTS

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There were no staff costs for the year ended 30 September 2006 nor for the year ended 30 September 2005

### 3 OPERATING PROFIT

The operating profit is stated after charging/(crediting)

	2006 £	2005 £
Profit on disposal of fixed assets Auditors' remuneration	(4,879) 2,771 ———	1,894
Directors' emoluments	-	
The number of directors to whom retirement benefits were accruing was as follow	/s	
Money purchase schemes	1	1
The directors' aggregate emoluments in respect of qualifying services were		
Aggregate emoluments (including receivable from subsidiaries) Value of company pension contributions to money purchase scheme	2006 £ 115,894 12,770 128,664	2005 £ 104,347 9274 113,621
AMOUNTS WRITTEN OFF INVESTMENTS	2006 £	2005 £
Amounts written off associated undertakings		49,000

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

5	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIM	IILAR CHARGE	S		2006 £	2005 £
	Bank interest Loan note interest payable				48,734	52,194
					48,734	52,196
	TAXATION					
	Analysis of the tax charge No liability to UK corporation tax year ended 30 September 2005	x arose on ordir	nary activities for	the year ended	30 September 2	006 nor for
	Factors affecting the tax charge. The tax assessed for the year is below		lard rate of corpo	ration tax in the	UK The differen	ce is explai
					2006 £	2005 £
	Profit on ordinary activities before	e tax			84,842	40,50
	Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by the standard rate o in the UK of 30% (2005 - 30%)	f corporation tax	•		25,453	12,15
	Effects of Permanent disallowables Group losses relieved Chargeable gain Timing difference				1,727 (27,066) 1,351 (1,465)	14,70 (26,85
	Current tax charge				-	
	DIVIDENDS				2006	2005
	Ordinary 'B' shares of £1 each Intenm				£ 45,000 ———	£ 25,00
	FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS		Interest			
		Shares in group undertakings £	in associate undertakings £	Listed investments £	Unlisted investments	Totals £
	COST At 1 October 2005 Disposals	1,591,474	83,760	10,761 (10,761)	15,991	1,701,98 (10,76
	At 30 September 2006	1,591,474	83,760		15,991	1,691,22
	PROVISIONS At 1 October 2005 and 30 September 2006	<u>-</u>	49,000		<u> </u>	49,00
	NET BOOK VALUE At 30 September 2006	1,591,474	34,760	-	15,991	1,642,22

# 8 FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued

The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following

### Subsidiaries

Taylor & Sons Limited Nature of business Mechanical engineering	%		
Class of shares Ordinary	holding 100 00	2006	2005
Aggregate capital and reserves Profit for the year		£ 5,256,806 41,078	5,215,728 6,113
Taylor Products Limited Nature of business Mechanical engineering	0/		
Class of shares Ordinary	% holding 100 00	2006	2005
Aggregate capital and reserves Loss for the year		£ (849,874) (371,776)	£ (478,098) (178,203)
Taylor Properties (Wales) Limited Nature of business Property investment			
Class of shares Ordinary	% holding 100 00	2006	2005
Aggregate capital and reserves Loss for the year		£ 14,014 (50,718)	£ 64,732 (49,562)
Blastpride (Holdings) Limited Nature of business Shotblasting and painting	%		
Class of shares Ordinary	holding 80 00	2006	2005
Aggregate capital and reserves Loss for the year		£ (39,696) (987)	£ (38,709) (42,402) =====
Taylor Total Weed Control Limited Nature of business Commercial and domestic landscaping			
Class of shares Ordinary	% holding 100 00	2006	2005
Aggregate capital and reserves Profit/(Loss) for the year		£ 12,500 12,051	2005 £ 449 (12,051)

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

8	FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued			
	Blastpride Services Limited Nature of business Non trading Class of shares Ordinary  Aggregate capital and reserves Profit for the year	% holding 80 00	2006 £ (1,188)	2005 £ (1,188) 1,773
	From for the year		====	
	Associated Companies			
	Hoverdale Equipments Limited Nature of business Mechanical engineering	%		
	Class of shares Ordinary	holding 30 00	2006	2005
	Aggregate capital and reserves Profit for the year		£ 22,752 3,978	£ 18,774 9,453
	IMP Limited Nature of business Manufacturing	%		
	Class of shares Ordinary Preference	holding 50 00 54 00	31/3/06	31/3/05 £
	Aggregate capital and reserves Loss for the year		£ (141,444) (70,899)	(75,345) (109,172)
	The results stated reflect the latest information available			
	Innotech (Wales) Limited Nature of business Other service activities Class of shares	% holding		
	Ordinary Preference	50 00 100 00	30/6/05 £	30/6/04 £
	Aggregate capital and reserves Profit/(Loss) for the year/period		52,976 6,034 ———	46,942 (3,158)
	The results stated reflect the latest information available			
9	DEBTORS AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		2006 £	2005 £
	Amounts owed by group undertakings		10,000	10,000

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

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10	CREDITORS AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	2006	2005
	Other leans (see note 12)	£ 93,535	£ 89,938
	Other loans (see note 12) Amounts owed to group undertakings	31,787	361
	Taxation and social security	49,791	40,044
	Other creditors Accruals and deferred income	23,263 8,855	22,500 2,475
		207,231	155,318
11	CREDITORS AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR		
		2006 £	2005 £
	Other loans (see note 12)	1,098,002	1,191,537
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	50,000	100,000
	Directors' loan accounts	42,124	41,207
		1,190,126	1,332,744
12	LOANS		
	An analysis of the maturity of loans is given below		
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		2006 £	2005 £
	Amounts falling due within one year or on demand	L	L.
	Loan notes - less than 1 year	93,535	89,938
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	Amounts falling due between one and two years		
	Loan notes - 1 - 2 years	97,276	93,535
			<del></del>
	Amounts falling due between two and five years		
	Loan notes - 2 - 5 years	315,803	303,657
	Amounts falling due in more than five years		
	Repayable by instalments	694 022	704 245
	Loan notes - over 5 years	684,923 =======	794,345 ======
	The outstanding loan balance as at 30 September 2006 is payable to D W Ta analysis relates entirely to loan notes	ylorano: BJIay	lor The above
13	SECURED DEBTS		
	The following secured debts are included within creditors		
		2006	2005
	Other loans	£ 1,191,537	£ 1,281,475
	Other loans are secured on the assets of the company		

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

14	CALLED UP	SHARE CAPITAL			
	Authorised, all Number	lotted, issued and fully paid Class	Nominal value	2006 £	2005 £
	50,000 50,000	Ordinary 'A' Ordinary 'B'	£1 £1	50,000 50,000	50,000 50,000
				100,000	100,000
15	RESERVES				Profit and loss account £
	At 1 October 2 Profit for the y Dividends				. 116,133 84,842 (45,000)
	At 30 Septemi	ber 2006			155,975

# 16 TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS

At 30 September 2006 £42,124 (2005 - £41,207) was owed to the directors

Amounts owed to directors do not have fixed terms of repayment and are not interest bearing

During the year D W Taylor received £21,267 (2005 - £22,239) interest (net) and £49,061 (2005 - £47,174) capital repayment in respect of loan notes issued

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2006

### 17 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Taylor & Sons Holdings Limited is the ultimate parent company and is under the control of the directors as listed in the directors' report

The following companies are group companies or related parties with which the company has undertaken transactions during the year and which require disclosure under FRS 8

Group Companies	Relationship	
Taylor & Sons Limited	100% subsidiary	
Taylor Products Limited	100% subsidiary	
Taylor Total Weed Control Limited	100% subsidiary of Taylor	& Sons Limited
Related Party B J Taylor	Sister of D W Taylor and s	harahaldar
D V Taylor	Sister of D W Taylor and s	silateriolder
The following transactions were undertaken of	• ,	
	Nature of transaction	2006

•	Nature of transaction	2006	2005
		£	£
Taylor & Sons Limited	Management charges	138,672	138,672
B J Taylor	Loan notes interest paid (net)	17,720	18,528
Taylor Total Weed Control Limited	Management charges	•	5,000
	·		
The balances outstanding at the year end	d are		

		2006	2005
		£	£
		Dr/(Cr)	Dr/(Cr)
Taylor & Sons Limited	Group balance	(81,787)	(100,361)
Taylor Products Limited	Group balance	10,000	10,000
B J Taylor	Other creditor	(23,263)	(22,500)

## 18 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

	2006	2005
Profit for the financial year	£ 84,842	£ 40,508
Dividends	(45,000)	(25,000)
Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	39,842 216,133	15,508 200,625
Closing shareholders' funds	255,975	216,133
Equity interests	255,975 ————	216,133

# 19 CONTROL

The company is under the control of the directors whose names are detailed in the directors' report