Broadblue Catamarans Limited

Unaudited financial statements
For the year ended 31 December 2004

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Company information

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04247646

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Report of the directors

The directors present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 2004.

Principal activities

The principal activity of the company during the year was that of the construction and sale of catamarans.

The directors and their interests in the shares of the company

The directors who served the company during the year together with their beneficial interests in the shares of the company were as follows:

	Class of share	At 31 December 2004	At 1 January 2004
	Class of share	JI December 2004	1 January 2004
Mrs C W R Elliot	Ordinary A		
	shares	35	35
Mr M K R Elliot	Ordinary A		
	shares	140	140
Ms E R R Elliot	Ordinary A		
	shares	10	10
Mr P M Dean	Ordinary A		
	shares	11	11
Mrs J E Love	Ordinary A		
	shares	11	11
Mr R H Underwood	Ordinary A		
	shares	55	55
Mr R A Dempsey	Ordinary B		
	shares	18	18
Mr S P Davidsen	Ordinary B		
	shares	12	12

Mr R A Dempsey retired as a director on 27 June 2005.

Small company provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

Director

26 April 2006

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Chartered accountants' report to the board of directors on the unaudited financial statements of Broadblue Catamarans Limited

In accordance with the engagement letter dated 26 January 2005, and in order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 1985, we have compiled the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 2004 which comprise the principal accounting policies, profit and loss account, balance sheet and the related notes from the accounting records and information and explanations you have given to us.

This report is made to the company's board of directors, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement. Our work has been undertaken so that we might compile the financial statements that we have been engaged to compile, report to the company's board of directors that we have done so, and state those matters that we have agreed to state to them in this 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 board of directors, as a body, for our work or for this report.

We have carried out this engagement in accordance with technical guidance issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and have complied with the ethical guidance laid down by the Institute relating to members undertaking the compilation of financial statements.

You have acknowledged on the balance sheet for the year ended 31 December 2004 your duty to ensure that the company has kept proper accounting records and to prepare financial statements that give a true and fair view under the Companies Act 1985. You consider that the company is exempt from the statutory requirement for an audit for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit of the financial statements. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the financial statements.

The company incurred a net loss before tax of £102,161 during the year ended 31 December 2004 and, at that date, the company's liabilities exceeded its total assets by £474,208. These conditions, along with the other matters explained in note 1 to the financial statements, indicate the existence of a material uncertainty which may cast significant doubt about the company's ability to continue as a going concern. The financial statements do not include the adjustments that would result if the company was unable to continue as a going concern.

GRANT THORNTON UK LLP CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

IPSWICH 26 April 2006

Principal accounting policies

Basis of accounting

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

Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax.

Fixed assets

All fixed assets are initially recorded at cost.

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Plant & Machinery

20% reducing balance

Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

Work in progress is stated after deducting related payments on account.

Hire purchase agreements

Assets held under hire purchase agreements are capitalised and disclosed under tangible fixed assets at their fair value. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability and the interest is charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis.

Operating lease agreements

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more tax.

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted.

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates 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 profit.

Deferred government grants

Deferred government grants in respect of capital expenditure are treated as deferred income and are credited to the profit and loss account over the estimated useful life of the assets to which they relate.

Profit and loss account

	Note	2004 £	2003 £
Turnover		1,986,203	1,296,513
Cost of sales		1,730,291	1,151,024
Gross profit		255,912	145,489
Other operating charges Other operating income	2 3	357,302 (10,968)	423,750 (38,567)
Operating loss	4	(90,422)	(239,694)
Interest payable and similar charges		11,739	2,554
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(102,161)	(242,248)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	6	34,860	_
Loss for the financial year	17	(137,021)	(242,248)

Balance sheet

	Note	2004 £	2003 £
Fixed assets	7	440 005	420.157
Tangible assets	7	118,805	138,156
Current assets			
Stocks		64,777	262,150
Debtors	8	441,879	274,826
Cash at bank		134,292	115,207
		640,948	652,183
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	9	1,198,044	1,075,276
Net current liabilities		(557,096)	(423,093)
Total assets less current liabilities		(438,291)	(284,937)
Government grants	11	35,917	52,250
		(474,208)	(337,187)

	Note	2004 £	2003 £
Capital and reserves Called-up equity share capital	16	304	304
Share premium account Profit and loss account	17	44,978 (519,490)	44,978 (382,469)
Deficiency		(474,208)	(337,187)

The directors are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption from the provisions of the Companies Act 1985 (the Act) relating to the audit of the financial statements for the year by virtue of section 249A(1), and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 249B(2) of the Act.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (i) ensuring that the company keeps proper accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Act, and
- (ii) preparing financial statements 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 its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

These financial statements were approved by the directors on 26 April 2006 and are signed on their behalf

by:

Mr M K R Elliot

Director

Notes to the financial statements

1 Going concern

The directors consider that it remains appropriate for these accounts to be prepared on the going concern basis.

The directors note that the new 375 catamaran has been well received by the trade press and has led to a growing order book. Production of the company's catamarans is now subcontracted to yards in the UK and eastern europe thereby enabling the company to reduce its overheads. The management accounts for the year to 31 December 2005 show profits and the directors anticipate that this trend will continue.

2 Other operating income and charges

		2004 £	2003 £
	Administrative expenses	357,302	423,750
3	Other operating income		
		2004	2003
		£	£
	Management charges receivable	_	27,007
	Other operating income	10,968	11,560
		10,968	38,567
4	Operating loss		
	Operating loss is stated after charging/(crediting):	2004 £	2003 £
	Amortisation of government grants re fixed assets Depreciation of owned fixed assets	(16,333) 24,229	(13,000) 24,156
	Depreciation of assets held under finance leases and hire purchase	_	5,833
	agreements Loss on disposal of fixed assets	4,191	245
	Net loss on foreign currency translation		16

138,156

5 Directors

At 31 December 2003

Remuneration in respect of directors was as follows:

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		2004	2003
		£	£
	Emoluments	100,805	96,900
	Value of company pension contributions to money purchase schemes	1,600	3,333
		102,405	100,233
		<u> </u>	
	The number of directors who accrued benefits under company pension schemes was as follows:		
		2004	2003
		No	No
	Money purchase schemes	1	1
	Money purchase schemes		
6	Taxation on ordinary activities		
•	•	2004	2003
		2004 £	200 <i>3</i> £
		~	~
	Deferred tax:		
	Origination and reversal of timing differences	34,860	
7	Tangible fixed assets		
		Plant &	Machinery
			£
	Cost		
	At 1 January 2004		195,283
	Additions		9,069
	Disposals		(4,191)
	At 31 December 2004		200,161
	Depreciation		
	At 1 January 2004		57,127
	Charge for the year		24,229
	At 31 December 2004		81,356
	Net book value		118,805
	At 31 December 2004		420.456

Included within the net book value of £118,805 is £Nil (2003 - £23,334) relating to assets held under finance leases and hire purchase agreements. The depreciation charged to the financial statements in the year in respect of such assets amounted to £Nil (2003 - £5,833).

8 Debtors

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	2004 £	2003 £
Trade debtors	224,842	31,398
Amounts owed by related undertakings	201,707	136,841
VAT recoverable	706	_
Deferred tax asset	_	34,860
Other debtors	14,624	71,727
	441,879	274,826
The deferred tax asset is represented by:		
	2004	2003
	£	£
Accelerated capital allowances	_	(15,720)
Taxable losses	_	50,580
		34,860
		
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		
	2004	2003
	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts	331,955	294,851
Trade creditors	171,262	272,933
Amounts owed to related undertakings	68,225	245,097
Payments received on account	607,165	234,500
PAYE and social security	6,786	7,961
Amounts due under finance leases and hire purchase agreements	-	9,403
Other creditors	12,651	10,531
	1,198,044	1,075,276

The bank overdraft is secured by a cross guarantee and debenture dated 12 March 2003 (see note 13).

10 Deferred taxation

Provisions have been made in the financial statements as follows using a tax rate of 19%:

	2004	2004	2003	2003
	Provided	Unprovided	Provided	Unprovided
	£	£	£	£
Accelerated capital allowances	_	(15,650)	(15,720)	_
Tax losses available	_	112,000	50,580	44,250
		96,350	34,860	44,250

Unrelieved tax losses of approximately £592,000 remain available to offset against future taxable trading profits.

11 Government grants

	2004 £	2003 £
Received and receivable: At 1 January 2004	75,000	75,000
At 31 December 2004	75,000	75,000
Amortisation: At 1 January 2004 Credit to profit and loss account	22,750 16,333	9,750 13,000
At 31 December 2004	39,083	22,750
Net balance at 31 December 2004	35,917	52,250

12 Leasing commitments

At 31 December 2004 the company had aggregate annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as set out below.

	2004	2003
	£	£
Operating leases which expire:		
Within 1 year	-	13,300
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13 Contingent assets/liabilities

The company has a contingent liability in respect of the borrowings of Broadblue Training Limited, Broadblue Furniture Limited, Broadblue Creative Limited and Broadblue Limited. The bank holds a cross guarantee and debenture dated 12 March 2003 in respect of these borrowings.

The borrowings of the above mentioned companies at 31 December 2004 are as follows:-

Broadblue Training Limited	£82,615
Broadblue Creative Limited	£57,440
Broadblue Furniture Limited	£Nil
Broadblue Limited	£238,501

14 Transactions and balances with the directors

	2004 £	2003 £
Mr M K R Elliot Transactions during the year Purchase of goods from company	180,353	682
Year end balances Sales ledger balance Deposit on a catamaran (within other creditors) Directors loan account	18,176 - -	801 (23,000) (140,000)

Mr M K Elliot is this company's controlling related party by virtue of his majority shareholding in the company.

Mr R A Dempsey Transactions during the year Purchase of goods from company	 670
Year end balances Sales ledger balance	 386

15 Related party transactions

Broadblue Limited - trading debtor balance at year end - loan balance at year end - trading creditor balance at year end - sales - purchases - sale of fixed assets - management charges receivable - management charges payable	Debtor / (Creditor) 2004 £ 78,930 83,771 (23,225)	Debtor / (Creditor) 2003 £ 81,745 33,079 (34,203)	(Sales) / Purchases 2004 £ - (107) 66,365 - 37,500	(Sales) / Purchases 2003 £ - (9,202) - (218,188) (27,007) 48,000
- rental charges Broadblue Training Limited - trading creditor balance at year end - loan balance at year end - purchases - rent Broadblue Creative Limited - loan balance at year end	(45,000) - - - 20,830	(2,894) (45,000)	10,968 - 119 11,725	9,140 - 12,920 12,764

The above companies are related parties by virtue of their common directors and shareholders.

16 Share capital

	Authorised share capital:			2004 £	2003 £
	1,000 Ordinary A shares of £1 each 100 Ordinary B shares of £1 each			1,000 100 1,100	1,000 100 1,100
	Allotted, called up and fully paid:	2004 No £		2003 No £	
	Ordinary A shares of £1 each Ordinary B shares of £1 each	274 30 304	274 30 304	$\frac{274}{30}$ $\frac{304}{304}$	$ \begin{array}{r} 274 \\ 30 \\ \hline 304 \end{array} $
17	Profit and loss account			2004 £	2003 £
	Balance brought forward Accumulated loss for the financial year Balance carried forward			(382,469) (137,021) (519,490)	(140,221) (242,248) (382,469)