Company number: 4285198 (ENGLAND AND WALES)

NORTH NORTHAMPTONSHIRE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED ABBREVIATED STATUTORY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

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AUDITORS' REPORT TO NORTH NORTHAMPTONSHIRE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED

UNDER SECTION 449 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006.

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 4 together with the financial statements of North Northamptonshire Development Company Limited for the year ended 31 March 2010, prepared under s 396 of the Companies Act 2006

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with s 244 of the Companies Act 2006. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the regulations made under that section and to report our opinion to you

Basis of opinion

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 "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 s 444 of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the regulations made under that section

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for and on behalf of Moore Stephens Chartered Accountants Statutory Auditors Oakley House, Headway Business Park 3 Saxon Way West Corby Northamptonshire

Date

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NORTH NORTHAMPTONSHIRE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET

AT 31 MARCH 2010

	Note		2010		2009
Fixed assets Tangible assets	2	£	£ 6,461	£	£ 13,545
Current assets Debtors Cash at bank and in hand		329,800 348,754		322,050 120,930	
		678,554		442,980	
Creditors Amounts falling due within one year		(279,590)		(247,509)	
Net current assets			398,964		195,471
Total assets less current liabilities			405,425		209,016
Provisions for liabilities			(1,543,000)		(865,000)
Net liabilities			(1,137,575)		(655,984)
Capital and reserves Profit and loss account			(1,137,575)		(655,984)
Shareholders' funds			(1,137,575)		(655,984)

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime

Approved by the board of directors on 21 May 2010 and signed on its behalf

Director - R E Whittaker

The annexed notes form part of these financial statements

NORTH NORTHAMPTONSHIRE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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Accounting policies

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

Turnover

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This represents contributions from funders spent during the period. Funders have agreed a pattern of contributions which will not exactly match the pattern (or period) of spending. Unspent contributions have been carried forward against future spending requirements.

Going concern

The board of directors recognise the increased funding deficit arising on the defined benefit pension scheme. At the balance sheet date, the provision has grown to £1,543,000. The large increase in the provision reflects a change in actuarial assumptions, that has been applied this year to all Local Government final salary schemes in the county. Historically, the company has followed the actuary's recommended level of pension contributions, in an effort to address any funding deficit and is committed to continuing with this policy. The directors have prepared budgets and forecasts for the next twelve months, which factor in known levels of increased contributions. Thereafter new levels of contributions are expected to be recommended by the actuary in its forthcoming tri-annual review, due out later this year.

The political landscape has changed following the 2010 general election. This may give rise to policy changes which could affect future funding levels for the company, the full affect of such cannot be known at this point until the budget has been announced and the local providers have made their final funding decisions. However, the company does have in place funding commitments for the forthcoming twelve months and holds sufficient cash balances, which will allow the company to operate at current levels for several months after that, or until the future funding situation is known.

Based on this assessment, the directors consider the going concern basis to be an appropriate basis for the preparation of these financial statements

Depreciation of fixed assets

Depreciation has been computed to write off the cost of fixed assets over their expected useful lives at the following rates -

Fixtures and fittings Computer equipment 20% per annum straight line 33% per annum straight line

Debtors

Debtors are shown after providing for any amounts which in the opinion of the directors may not be collected in full

Leasing

Leasing rentals applicable to "operating leases" are written off to the profit and loss account over the life of the lease

Pension costs

Defined contribution pension scheme

Pension costs are recognised in the profit and loss account in order to provide a systematic and rational charge over the periods from which benefits are derived from employee's services

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Defined benefit pension scheme

The company has applied the Amendment to FRS 17 Retirement Benefits which is effective for accounting periods commencing on or after 6 April 2007. The amendment to FRS 17 primarily affects the disclosures in relation to defined benefit pension schemes. However, for quoted securities, the fair value is now taken to be the current bid price rather than the mid-market value.

Scheme assets are measured at fair values. Scheme liabilities are measured on an actuarial basis using the projected unit method and are discounted at appropriate high quality corporate bond rates. The net surplus or deficit, adjusted for deferred tax, is presented separately from other net assets on the balance sheet. A surplus is recognised only to the extent that it is recoverable by the company

The current service cost and costs from settlements and curtailments are charged against operating profit. Past service costs are spread over the period until the benefit increases vest interest on the scheme liabilities and the expected return on scheme assets are included net in other finance costs/income. Actuarial gains and losses are reported in the statement of total recognised gains and losses.

2 Tangible fixed assets

	Total £
Cost At 1 April 2009 Additions	81,382 271
At 31 March 2010	81,653
Depreciation At 1 April 2009 Charge for the year	67,837 7,355
At 31 March 2010	75,192
Net book value At 31 March 2010	6,461
At 31 March 2009	13,545