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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS AND

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2004

FOR

PORT GLASGOW PROPERTY INVESTMENTS LIMITED



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COMPANY INFORMATION for the year ended 31 March 2004

DIRECTORS:

A C Gallagher

G H Gosling

SECRETARY:

S A Burnett

REGISTERED OFFICE:

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REGISTERED NUMBER:

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AUDITORS:

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

Birmingham

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS for the year ended 31 March 2004

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 March 2004.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of property investment.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

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

Both the results for the year, and the year end financial position were satisfactory. The directors consider future prospects to be satisfactory.

DIVIDENDS

No dividends will be distributed for the year ended 31 March 2004.

DIRECTORS

The directors during the year under review were:

A C Gallagher

G H Gosling

The directors holding office at 31 March 2004 did not hold any beneficial interest in the issued share capital of the company at 1 April 2003 or 31 March 2004.

The interests of the directors in the shares of the holding company are shown in the accounts of that company.

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

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 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;
- 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 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 irregularities.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS for the year ended 31 March 2004

AUDITORS

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

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

G H Gosling - Director

Date: 28 January 2005

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF PORT GLASGOW PROPERTY INVESTMENTS LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet and the related notes.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable United Kingdom law and accounting standards are set out in the statement of directors' responsibilities.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with the relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or in to whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

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 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 is not disclosed.

We read the other information contained in the Annual Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements or material inconsistencies with the financial statements. The other information comprises only the directors' report.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with 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 at 31 March 2004 and of its loss for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

Birmingham

Date: 28 January 2005

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT for the year ended 31 March 2004

1	Votes	Year Ended 31.3.04 £	Period 2.5.02 to 31.3.03 £
TURNOVER		-	-
Administrative expenses		(562)	(10,750)
OPERATING LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	3	(562)	(10,750)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	4	<u>394</u>	_
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AFTER TAXATION		(168)	(10,750)
LOSS FOR THE YEAR	9	(168)	(10,750)

CONTINUING OPERATIONS

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

TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

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

NOTE OF HISTORICAL COST PROFITS AND LOSSES

There is no difference between the results as disclosed in the profit and loss account and the results on an unmodified historical cost basis.

BALANCE SHEET 31 March 2004

	Notes	31.3.04 £	31.3.03 £
FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets	5	1,500,000	1,500,000
CURRENT ASSETS Debtors	6	482	91,000
CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year	7	(1,511,398)	(1,601,748)
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES		(1,510,916)	(1,510,748)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		(10,916)	(10,748)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called up share capital Profit and loss account	8 9	(10,918)	2 (10,750)
EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS' FUND	S 11	(10,916)	(10,748)

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

G H Gosling - Director

Approved by the Board on 28 January 2005

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 March 2004

1. **ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with applicable UK accounting standards. A summary of the more important policies which have been consistently applied is set out below.

Cash flow statement

Exemption has been taken from preparing a cash flow statement on the grounds that the company qualifies as a small company.

Investment property

Until investment properties are complete they are included in the accounts at cost. Once completed, open market valuations are performed on a 3-year cycle subject to an annual impairment review.

The Companies Act 1985 requires all properties to be depreciated. However, this requirement conflicts with the generally accepted accounting principle set out in SSAP 19. The directors consider that, because these properties are not held for consumption but for their investment potential, to depreciate them would be inappropriate. The accounting policy adopted is therefore necessary for the accounts to give a true and fair view. Depreciation is only one of many factors reflected in the annual valuation and the amount, which might otherwise have been shown, cannot reasonably be separately identified or quantified.

Deferred tax

Full provision is made for deferred tax assets and liabilities arising due to timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the financial statements and their recognition in the tax computation at the current rate of tax. Deferred tax assets are only recognised when it is considered more likely than not that they will be realised.

Going concern

Not withstanding the fact that at 31 March 2004 the company had net current liabilities, net liabilities and made a loss for the year, the accounts have been prepared by the directors on a going concern basis as the company has received confirmation of financial support from the parent company.

2. STAFF COSTS

There were no staff costs for the year ended 31 March 2004 nor for the period ended 31 March 2003.

The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows:

	ar Ended 31.3.04	Period 2.5.02 to 31.3.03
Directors	2	2

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued for the year ended 31 March 2004

3. **OPERATING LOSS**

The operating loss is stated after charging:

Auditors' remuneration	Year Ended 31.3.04 £	Period 2.5.02 to 31.3.03 £ 750
Directors' emoluments		_

4. TAXATION

Analysis of the tax credit

The tax credit on the loss on ordinary activities for the year was as follows:

		Period
		2.5.02
	Year Ended	to
	31.3.04	31.3.03
	£	£
Deferred tax	(394)	
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	<u>(394</u>)	

The current corporation tax charge differs from the standard UK corporation tax rate of 30% applied to the profit for the year. The differences are:

·	31.3.04	31.3.03
	£	£
Loss on ordinary activities at the standard rate of 30%	(169)	(3,225)
Creation of tax losses	169	3,225
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There are tax losses carried forward of £1,300. A deferred tax asset of £394 has been recognised in respect of these.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued for the year ended 31 March 2004

5.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	:
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	·				Freehold Investment Property £
	COST				
	At 1 April 20	903			
	and 31 Marcl	h 2004			1,500,000
	NET BOOK	TATATI TID			
	NET BOOK At 31 March				1 500 000
	At 31 Iviaicii	2004			1,500,000
	At 31 March	2003			1,500,000
6.	DEBTORS:	AMOUNTS FALLING	G DUE WITHIN ONE		
	YEAR		-		
				31.3.04	31.3.03
				£	£
	Deferred tax			394	-
	VAT			88	91,000
				<u>482</u>	91,000
7.	CREDITOR	S: AMOUNTS FALLI	ING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
				31.3.04	31.3.03
				£	£
	Amounts ow	ed to group undertakings	S	520,701	610,998
	Other credito	rs (note 9)		980,000	980,000
	Accruals and	deferred income		10,697	10,750
				1 511 200	1 (01 740
				1,511,398	1,601,748
8.	CALLED U	P SHARE CAPITAL			
	Authorised:				
	Number:	Class:	Nominal	31.3.04	31.3.03
	1 (01110 011		value:	£	£
	1,000	Ordinary	£1	1,000	1,000
					<u></u>
	Allottad iccu	ed and fully paid:			
	Number:	Class:	Nominal	31.3.04	31.3.03
	MUITIUCI.	C1455.	value:	£	£
	2	Ordinary	£1	2	2
	2	Ordinar y	<i>‰</i> 1		

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued for the year ended 31 March 2004

9. RESERVES

	Profit and loss
	account
At 1 April 2003	£ (10,750)
Loss for the year	(168)
At 31 March 2004	(10,918)

10. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

During the year Ashflame Properties Limited, the company's ultimate parent undertaking, advanced an interest free loan to the company. At 31 March 2004, the company owed £520,701 (2003: £610,998).

At 31 March 2004 the company owed J J Gallagher Limited £980,000 in relation to the purchase of land in a previous year (2003: £980,000). This amount has no fixed payment date. J J Gallagher Limited is a company controlled by Mr A C Gallagher.

11. RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

Loss for the financial year Issue of share capital	31.3.04 £ (168)	31.3.03 £ (10,750) 2
Net reduction of shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	(168) (10,748)	(10,748)
Closing shareholders' funds	<u>(10,916)</u>	<u>(10,748</u>)
Equity interests	(10,916)	(10,748)

12. CONTROLLING PARTY

Port Glasgow Property Investments Limited is a wholly owned subsidiary of Ashflame Properties Limited, (incorporated in England and Wales) its ultimate parent undertaking.

The ultimate controlling party of the company is Mr A C Gallagher by virtue of his ownership of the majority of the issued share capital of the ultimate parent undertaking.