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Thornton Inns Limited
Unaudited Abbreviated Accounts
31 October 2008

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Abbreviated Balance Sheet

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	Note	2008	2007
	2	£	£
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets		1,825,573	2,087,341
Current assets			
Stocks		47,609	86,123
Debtors		201,205	63,694
Cash at bank and in hand		409,166	8,000
		<u>657,980</u>	<u>157,817</u>
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		<u>707,112</u>	<u>765,296</u>
Net current liabilities		<u>(49,132)</u>	<u>(607,479)</u>
Total assets less current liabilities		1,776,441	1,479,862
Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one year		1,197,393	1,265,830
Provisions for liabilities		<u>27,652</u>	<u>48,984</u>
		<u>551,396</u>	<u>165,048</u>
Capital and reserves			
Called-up equity share capital	3	1	1
Profit and loss account		<u>551,395</u>	<u>165,047</u>
Shareholders' funds		<u>551,396</u>	<u>165,048</u>

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.

The Balance sheet continues on the following page.
The notes on pages 3 to 5 form part of these abbreviated accounts.

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Abbreviated Balance Sheet *(continued)*

31 October 2008

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

These abbreviated accounts were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on, and are signed on their behalf by:

A handwritten signature, appearing to be 'G B Thornton', is written over a horizontal line. To the right of the signature, the date '3/4/09' is handwritten.

G B Thornton
Director

The notes on pages 3 to 5 form part of these abbreviated accounts.

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Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts
year ended 31 October 2008

1. 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 January 2007).

Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts received 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:

Freehold Property	-	2% per annum on cost
Leasehold Property	-	4% per annum on cost
Fixtures & Fittings	-	15% per annum on net book value
Motor Vehicles	-	25% per annum on net book value

Stocks

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

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.

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1. Accounting policies *(continued)*

Financial instruments

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for, according to the substance of the contractual arrangement, as either financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

2. Fixed assets

	Tangible Assets £
Cost	
At 1 November 2007	2,289,010
Additions	21,729
Disposals	(220,258)
At 31 October 2008	<u>2,090,481</u>
Depreciation	
At 1 November 2007	201,669
Charge for year	73,484
On disposals	(10,245)
At 31 October 2008	<u>264,908</u>
Net book value	
At 31 October 2008	<u>1,825,573</u>
At 31 October 2007	<u>2,087,341</u>

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3. Share capital

Authorised share capital:

	2008	2007
	£	£
100,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>100,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>

Allotted, called up and fully paid:

	2008		2007
	No	£	No
	1	1	1
Ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>