# LAMBOARD HOLDINGS LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

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### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

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### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

The directors present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2006

#### Principal activities and review of the business

The principal activity of the company continued to be that of laminating timber/plaster based boards with paper and vinyls for use in the caravan, portable building and other industries. The company has continued to develop its business of profile wrapping of MDF/extruded plastic mouldings. The company is also a holding company.

The results for the year and the financial position at the year end were considered satisfactory by the directors who expect to see profits made in the future as they have continued to diversify into new markets to ensure that they do not suffer from the downturn in one particular industry

#### Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 5

The directors do not recommend payment of an ordinary dividend

#### Purchase of own shares

During the year the company bought back 6,680 (20%) of its issued ordinary 'A' shares from a director who left in the year £70,000 was paid out of the profit and loss reserves to pay for the shares which had been previously purchased at a cost of £30,000

#### **Directors**

The following directors have held office since 1 September 2005

D A Garrick

M J McGraw

E Dowlman

S Goodchild

R L Bristow

LC White was a director as at 1 September 2005 but left on 31 October 2005

### **Directors' interests**

The directors' interests in the shares of the company were as stated below

The directors' interests in the shares of the company were as stated be	low		
	'A' Ordinary Shares of £ 1 each		
	31 August 2006	1 September 2005	
D A Garrick	17,031	17,031	
M J McGraw	5,010	5,010	
E Dowlman	-	-	
S Goodchild	3,005	3,005	
R L Bristow	1,670	1,670	
	'B' Ordinary	Shares of £ 1 each	
	31 August 2006	1 September 2005	
D A Garrick	1	1	
M J McGraw	-	-	
E Dowlman	-	-	
S Goodchild	-	-	
R L Bristow	-	-	

### DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

#### **Auditors**

HW, Chartered Accountants were appointed auditors to the company and in accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution proposing that they be re-appointed will be put to the Annual General Meeting

#### 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,
- -state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements,
- -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 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.

#### Statement of disclosure to auditor

- (a) so far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware, and
- (b) they have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as directors in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

By order of the board

S Goodchild Secretary 26 March 2007

### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF LAMBOARD HOLDINGS LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Lamboard Holdings Ltd for the year ended 31 August 2006 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, the Cash Flow Statement and the related notes These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's 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 members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

#### Respective responsibilities of the directors and auditors

As described in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities on page 2 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland)

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 report to you whether in our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements. We also report to you if, in our opinion, 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 Directors' Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it

#### Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) 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 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.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF LAMBOARD HOLDINGS LIMITED

### Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements

-give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 August 2006, and of its loss for the year then ended, and

-have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985

-the information given in the directors' report is consistent with the financial statements

HW

HW, Chartered Accountants

26 March 2007

**Registered Auditor** 

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# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

		2006	2005
	Notes	£	£
Turnover	2	8,620,714	10,410,511
Cost of sales		(7,932,402)	(9,613,972)
Gross profit		688,312	796,539
Administrative expenses		(989,028)	(1,178,175)
Other operating income		3,552	3,552
Operating loss	3	(297,164)	(378,084)
Profit loss on sale of tangible assets		•	826,691
(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities		<del></del>	
before interest		(297,164)	448,607
Investment income	4	10,318	11,113
Other interest receivable and similar		4.750	
income	4	4,750	- (470.042)
Interest payable and similar charges	5	(103,704)	(178,042)
(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities			
before taxation		(385,800)	281,678
Tax on (loss)/profit on ordinary activities	6	112,218	(2,069)
(Loss)/profit for the year		(273,582)	279,609
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The profit and loss account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations

There are no recognised gains and losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account

# BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 2006

		20	06	20	005
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Intangible assets	7		75,443		86,219
Tangible assets	8		402,616		368,078
Investments	9		216,719		216,719
			694,778		671,016
Current assets					
Stocks	10	1,425,589		2,075,785	
Debtors	11	3,099,880		1,555,338	
Cash at bank and in hand		142,411		373,494	
		4,667,880		4,004,617	
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	12	(4,436,047)		(3,435,799)	
Net current assets			231,833		568,818
Total assets less current liabilities			926,611		1,239,834
Creditors amounts falling due after more than one year	13		(200,711)		(169,461)
Provisions for liabilities and charges	14		(45,109)		(46,000)
			680,791		1,024,373
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	15		26,717		33,397
Share premium account	16		45,986		45,986
Other reserves	16		6,680		-,
Profit and loss account	16		601,408		944,990
Shareholders' funds - equity interests	17		680,791		1,024,373

The financial statements were approved by the Board on 26 March 2007

D A Garrick

Director

# CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

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	£	2006 £	£	2005 £
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from operating activities		(1,397,045)		464,786
Returns on investments and servicing of finance				
Interest received	15,068		11,113	
Interest paid	(103,704)		(178,042)	
,				
Net cash outflow for returns on investments				
and servicing of finance		(88,636)		(166,929)
Taxation		(109,964)		(75,868)
Capital expenditure				
Payments to acquire tangible assets	(66,699)		(597,483)	
Receipts from sales of tangible assets	101,351		2,450,301	
Net cash inflow for capital expenditure		34,652		1,852,818
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Net cash (outflow)/inflow before management of liquid resources and financing		(1,560,993)		2,074,807
Financing				
Purchase of own shares	(70,000)		_	
Other new short term loans	37,961		_	
Repayment of other short term loans	(399,744)		(83,932)	
Capital element of hire purchase contracts	(6,250)		-	
Capital element of finance lease contracts	-		(38,026)	
Net cash outflow from financing		(438,033)		(121,958)
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# NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

1	Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash (outflow)/inflow from operating activities			2006	2005
				£	£
	Operating loss Depreciation of tangible assets			(297,164) 73,241	(378,084) 94,246
	Amortisation of intangible assets			10,776	10,776
	(Profit)/loss on disposal of tangible assets			(67,431)	101,294
	Decrease/(increase) in stocks			650,196	(633,264)
	(Increase)/decrease in debtors			(1,434,578)	904,299
	(Decrease)/Increase in creditors within one year	ır		(332,085)	365,519
	Net cash (outflow)/inflow from operating act	tivities		(1,397,045)	464,786
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2	Analysis of net debt	1 September 2005	Cash flow	Other non- cash changes	31 August 2006
		£	£	£	£
	Net cash				
	Cash at bank and in hand	373,494	(231,083)	•	142,411
	Bank overdrafts	<del></del>	(1,767,943)	-	(1,767,943) —————
		373,494	(1,999,026)		(1,625,532)
	Bank deposits	-	-	-	-
	Debt				
	Finance leases	-	(68,750)	-	(68,750)
	Debts falling due within one year	(399,744)	361,783	-	(37,961)
	Debts falling due after one year	(169,461)	<u>-</u>		(169,461) —————
		(569,205)	293,033		(276,172)
	Net debt	(195,711)	(1,705,993)	-	(1,901,704)
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3	Reconciliation of net cash flow to movemen	t in net debt		2006	2005
				£	£
	(Decrease)/increase in cash in the year			(1,999,026)	1,952,849
	Cash outflow from decrease in debt and lease	financing		293,033	121,958
	Movement in net debt in the year			(1,705,993)	2,074,807
	Opening net debt			(195,711)	(2,270,518)
	Closing net debt			(1,901,704)	(195,711)
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

#### 1 Accounting policies

### 1 1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention

#### 1.2 Compliance with accounting standards

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, which have been applied consistently (except as otherwise stated)

#### 1.3 Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services net of VAT and trade discounts

#### 14 Goodwill

Acquired goodwill is written off in equal annual instalments over its estimated useful economic life of 10 years

#### 1.5 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows

Land and buildings Freehold

2% Straight Line

Plant and machinery

10% Straight Line

Fixtures, fittings & equipment

20% & 25% Straight Line

Freehold land is not depreciated

### 1.6 Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are capitalised as tangible assets and depreciated over their useful lives. Obligations under such agreements are included in creditors net of the finance charge allocated to future periods. The finance element of the rental payment is charged to the profit and loss account so as to produce a constant periodic rate of charge on the net obligation outstanding in each period.

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight line basis over the lease term

### 1.7 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value

#### 18 Stock

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value

#### 1.9 Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution scheme for the benefit of its employees. Contributions payable are charged to the profit and loss account in the year they are payable.

#### 1 10 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided in full in respect of taxation deferred by timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes. The deferred tax balance had not been discounted

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

### 1 Accounting policies

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#### 1.11 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. All differences are taken to profit and loss account.

### 1.12 Government grants

Grants are credited to deferred revenue. Grants towards capital expenditure are released to the profit and loss account over the expected useful life of the assets. Grants towards revenue expenditure are released to the profit and loss account as the related expenditure is incurred.

#### 1.13 Group accounts

The financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. The company and its subsidiary undertaking comprise a medium-sized group. The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemptions provided by section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts.

#### 2 Turnover

### Geographical market

		Turnover	
		2006	2005
		£	£
	United Kingdom	7,686,054	8,468,891
	European Union	934,660	1,941,620
		8,620,714	10,410,511
3	Operating loss	2006	2005
		£	£
	Operating loss is stated after charging		
	Amortisation of intangible assets	10,776	10,776
	Depreciation of tangible assets	73,241	94,246
	Loss on disposal of tangible assets	•	101,294
	Operating lease rentals		
	- Plant and machinery	32,726	35,892
	- Other assets	207,025	8,669
	Auditors' remuneration	10,250	12,000
	Remuneration of auditors for non-audit work	6,851	11,535
	and after crediting		
	Government grants	3,552	3,552
	Profit on disposal of tangible assets	(67,431)	-
	Profit on foreign exchange transactions	(6,943)	-
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4	Investment income	2006 £	2005 £
	Income from shares in group undertakings Bank interest	10,318 4,750	11,113
		15,068	11,113
5	Interest payable	2006	2005
		£	£
	On bank loans and overdrafts	103,161	175,584
	Hire purchase interest	543	2,458
		103,704	178,042

6	Taxation	2006 £	2005 £
	Domestic current year tax		
	U K corporation tax	(109,964)	111,000
	Adjustment for prior years	(1,363)	(27,231)
	Current tax charge	(111,327)	83,769
	Deferred tax		
	Origination and reversal of timing differences	(891)	(81,700)
		(112,218)	2,069
	Factors affecting the tax charge for the year		
	(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities before taxation	(385,800)	281,678 ————
	(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities before taxation multiplied by standard rate of UK corporation tax of 27 58% (2005 27 58%)	(106,404)	77,687
	Effects of		
	Non deductible expenses	(3,813)	11,354
	Depreciation add back	20,200	-
	Capital allowances	(29,187)	35,537
	Tax losses utilised	9,240	· -
	Adjustments to previous periods	(1,363)	(27,231)
	Chargeable disposals	-	6,200
	Other tax adjustments	-	(19,778)
		(4,923)	6,082
	Current tax charge	(111,327)	83,769

7	Intangible fixed assets	
	•	Goodwill £
	Cost	~
	At 1 September 2005 & at 31 August 2006	107,772
	Amortisation	<del></del>
	At 1 September 2005	21,553
	Charge for the year	10,776
	At 31 August 2006	32,329
	Net book value	
	At 31 August 2006	75,443
	At 31 August 2005	86,219
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8	Tangible fixed assets			
		Plant and machinery	Fixtures, fittings &	Total
		£	equipment £	£
	Cost	L	L	L
	At 1 September 2005	666,814	86,560	753,374
	Additions	135,084	6,615	141,699
	Disposals	(64,800)	-	(64,800)
	At 31 August 2006	737,098	93,175	830,273
	Depreciation		<del></del>	•
	At 1 September 2005	308,800	76,496	385,296
	On disposals	(30,880)	-	(30,880)
	Charge for the year	68,767	4,474	73,241
	At 31 August 2006	346,687	80,970	427,657
	Net book value			
	At 31 August 2006	390,411	12,205	402,616
	At 31 August 2005	358,014	10,064	368,078
	Included above are assets held under finance leases or hire p	urchase contracts	s as follows	
				Plant and machinery £
	Net book values			
	At 31 August 2006			73,750
	Depreciation charge for the year			
	At 31 August 2006			1,250

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

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	Shares in subsidiary undertakings £
Cost	
At 1 September 2005 & at 31 August 2006	216,719
Net book value	
At 31 August 2006	216,719
At 31 August 2005	216,719
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### Holdings of more than 20%

The company holds more than 20% of the share capital of the following companies

Company	Country of registration or	Shares held	
	incorporation	Class	%
Subsidiary undertakings			
LamFrance SAS	France	Ordinary	100 00
Lamboard Group Limited	England	Ordinary	100 00

The aggregate amount of capital and reserves and the results of these undertakings for the last relevant financial year were as follows

		Capital and reserves 2006	Profit for the year 2006
	Principal activity	£	£
LamFrance SAS	Laminating timber/plastic boards	(97,156)	(156,331)
Lamboard Group Limited	Dormant	169,461	-

10	Stocks	2006 £	2005 £
	Raw materials and consumables Finished goods and goods for resale	1,294,468 131,121	2,001,247 74,538
	, misrica goods and goods for rossie	1,425,589	2,075,785
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

11	Debtors	2006 £	2005 £
	Trade debtors	2,223,923	1,200,402
	Amounts owed by parent and fellow subsidiary undertakings	382,715	206,371
	Corporation tax	109,964	•
	Prepayments and accrued income	383,278	148,565
		3,099,880	1,555,338
	The subsidiary debtor is secured by land and buildings with a value of	£456,000	
12	Creditors amounts falling due within one year	2006	2005
		£	£
			_
	Bank loans and overdrafts	1,805,904	399,744
	Bank loans and overdrafts  Net obligations under hire purchase contracts	1,805,904 37,500	399,744
		• •	399,744 - 2,262,490
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts	37,500	-
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts Trade creditors	37,500	2,262,490
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts Trade creditors Corporation tax	37,500 2,352,130	2,262,490 111,327
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts Trade creditors Corporation tax Other taxes and social security costs	37,500 2,352,130 - 58,860	2,262,490 111,327 431,255
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts Trade creditors Corporation tax Other taxes and social security costs Other creditors	37,500 2,352,130 - 58,860 37,650	2,262,490 111,327 431,255 39,996

Bank loans and overdrafts include £1,604,199 (2005 £Nil) due under an invoice discounting agreement secured on the related book debts. The bank loan and overdrafts are secured by fixed and floating charges over the company's assets. Amounts due under hire purchase contracts are secured on the assets to which they relate.

C	Creditors amounts falling due after more than one year	2006 £	2005 £
١	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts	31,250	-
F	Amounts owed to group undertakings	169,461	169,461
		200,711	169,461
,	Analysis of loans		
٧	Wholly repayable within five years	207,422	569,205
		207,422	569,205
li	ncluded in current liabilities	(37.961)	(399,744)
		169,461	169,461
	oan maturity analysis n more than five years	169,461	169,461
Þ	Amounts due under hire purchase contracts are secured on the assets to which	they relate	
N	let obligations under hire purchase contracts		
	Repayable within one year	40,759	-
	Repayable between one and five years	33,966	
			-
		74,725	
F	Finance charges and interest allocated to future accounting periods	74,725 (5,975)	-
F	Finance charges and interest allocated to future accounting periods	·	- - - -
	Finance charges and interest allocated to future accounting periods noticed in liabilities falling due within one year	(5,975)	- - - - -

4	Provisions for liabilities and charges		
			Deferred tax liability £
	Balance at 1 September 2005 Profit and loss account		46,000 (891)
	Balance at 31 August 2006		45,109
	The deferred tax liability is made up as follows		
		2006	2005
		£	£
	Accelerated capital allowances	65,432	46,000
	Tax losses available	(20,323)	-
		45,109	46,000

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

15	Share capital	2006	2005
	Authorised	£	£
	499,900 'A' Ordinary Shares of £1 each	499,900	499,900
	100 'B' Ordinary Shares of £1 each	100	100
		500,000	500,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	26,716 'A' Ordinary Shares of £1 each	26,716	33,396
	1 'B' Ordinary Shares of £1 each	1	1
		26,717	33,397
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The rights attaching to the shares are as follows

#### Income

Any profits resolved to be distributed in any financial year or period are distributed to members holding any class of shares pari passu as if the same constituted one class of share

### Capital

On a return of assets on liquidation or capital reduction or otherwise (except upon the redemption of shares of any class or the purchase by the company of its own shares), the assets of the company available for distribution amongst the shareholders after payment of its liabilities shall be applied in the following manner and order of priority

a)first, in paying to the 'B' shareholders as a class a sum equal to £100,000

b)second, in paying to the 'A' shareholders the sum of £1 per 'A' ordinary share held together with a sum equal to any arrears of dividend thereon declared but unpaid

c)third, in paying the balance to members holding any class of shares pari passu as if the same constituted one class of share

### Voting

The 'B' shareholders are not entitled to vote at general meetings

During the year the company bought back 6,680 (20%) of its issued ordinary 'A' shares from a director who left in the year £70,000 was paid out of the profit and loss reserves to pay for the shares which had been previously purchased at a cost of £30,000

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

16	Statement of movements on reserves			
		Share	Other	<b>Profit and</b>
		premium	reserves	loss
		account	(see below)	account
		£	£	£
	Balance at 1 September 2005	45,986	-	944,990
	Loss for the year	-	-	(273,582)
	Purchase of own shares	-	-	(70,000)
	Movement during the year	-	6,680	-
	Balance at 31 August 2006	45,986	6,680	601,408
	Other reserves			
	Capital redemption reserve			
	Capital redemption reserve increase		6,680	
	Balance at 31 August 2006		6,680	
17	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds		2006	2005
••			£	£
	(Loss)/Profit for the financial year		(273,582)	279,609
	Purchase of own shares		(70,000)	-
			(0.40, 500)	
	Net (depletion in)/addition to shareholders' funds		(343,582)	279,609
	Opening shareholders' funds		1,024,373	744,764 ————
	Closing shareholders' funds		680,791	1,024,373

### 18 Financial commitments

At 31 August 2006 the company was committed to making the following payments under non-cancellable operating leases in the year to 31 August 2007

	Land ar	nd buildings		Other
	2006	2005	2006	2005
	£	£	£	£
Operating leases which expire				
Within one year	-	-	7,402	7,329
Between two and five years	-	-	31,773	40,225
In over five years	200,000	200,000	•	-
	200,000	200,000	39,175	47,554

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	Directors' emoluments	2006 £	2005 £
	Emoluments for qualifying services	307,658	327,383
	Company pension contributions to money purchase schemes	12,380	15,659
	Compensation for loss of office	30,000	<u> </u>
	The number of directors for whom retirement benefits are accruing under schemes amounted to 4 (2005 - 5)	money purch	ase pension
	Emoluments disclosed above include the following amounts paid to the highest paid director		
	Emoluments for qualifying services	70,502	72,448
	Company pension contributions to money purchase schemes	2,838	3,600
20	Employees		<del></del>
	Number of employees The average monthly number of employees (including directors) during the		
	year was		
	year was	2006	2005
	year was	2006 Number	
	Production		
		Number	2005 Number 35 13
	Production	Number 31	Number 35
	Production	Number 31 12	Number 35 13
	Production	Number 31 12	Number 35 13
	Production Administration and sales	31 12 43	35 13 48 2005
	Production Administration and sales  Employment costs  Wages and salaries	Number  31 12 43 2006 £ 1,031,239	Number  35 13 48  2005 £
	Production Administration and sales  Employment costs  Wages and salaries Social security costs	Number  31 12 43 2006 £ 1,031,239 90,143	35 13 48 2005 £ 1,087,559 102,816
	Production Administration and sales  Employment costs  Wages and salaries	Number  31 12 43 2006 £ 1,031,239	Number 35 13 48 2005

### 21 Control

The directors consider that D A Garrick is the company's controlling party by virtue of his majority shareholding

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2006

### 22 Related party transactions

During the year the company sold goods for a value of £ 228,994 (2005 £210,909) to Lam France SAS, a subsidiary undertaking and purchased goods for a value of £Nil (2005 £34,807)

During the year the company made a provision of £Nil (2005 £227,635) against the amount due from Lam France SAS

At the year end an amount of £382,715 (2005 £206,371) was due from Lam France SAS This debt is secured on land and buildings with a value of £456,000

At the year end an amount of £169,461 (2005 £169,461) was owed to Lamboard Group Limited, a subsidiary undertaking