ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2009

FOR

THE NORTH EAST OF ENGLAND PROCESS INDUSTRY CLUSTER

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COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2009

DIRECTORS:

R Coxon

S D Higgins P Booth S Bagshaw

SECRETARY:

Mrs S Murray

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REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE NORTH EAST OF ENGLAND PROCESS INDUSTRY CLUSTER UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages three to five, together with the financial statements of The North East of England Process Industry Cluster for the year ended 31 March 2009 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special auditors' 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, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of opinion

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2006/3 "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 are properly prepared.

Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

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Date ay September 2000

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 31 MARCH 2009

		2009		2008	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS	2		22.551		20.207
Tangible assets Investments	2 3		33,751		29,207 1
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			33,752		29,208
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors		572,221		607,713	
Cash at bank and in hand		259,492		98,209	
		831,713		705,922	
CREDITORS		.==		100 101	
Amounts falling due within one year		455,618		407,474	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			376,095		298,448
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES			409,847		327,656
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES			(2,605)		(880)
ACCRUALS AND					
DEFERRED INCOME			-		(7,519)
NET ASSETS			407,242		319,257
RESERVES					
Profit and loss account			407,242		319,257
			407,242		319,257
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These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 24/6/8 and were signed on its behalf by:

S D Higgins - Director

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2009

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

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

Income is recognised on an accruals basis over the life of the projects undertaken by the company, together with grants receivable from various sources. Income from membership fees is recognised over the period of the membership. Turnover in respect of events is recognised when the event occurs.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Office equipment

- 33% - 50% straight line

Fixtures and fittings

- 20% on cost

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not yet reversed at the balance sheet date, where transactions or events that result in an obligation to pay more or a right to pay less tax in the future has occurred by the balance sheet date with certain limited exceptions.

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

Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the company's pension scheme are charged to the profit and loss account in the period to which they relate.

Government grants

Government grants in respect of capital expenditure are treated as deferred credits, a proportion of which is transferred to revenue annually over the life of the asset. Government grants in respect of revenue expenditure are credited to the profit and loss account in the year in which they are receivable in order to match the income against the corresponding expenditure to which the grant relates.

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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2009

2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Total £
COST	I.
COST	02.410
At 1 April 2008	83,418
Additions	20,178
Disposals	(11,754)
At 31 March 2009	91,842
DEPRECIATION	
At 1 April 2008	54,211
Charge for year	15,364
Eliminated on disposal	(11,484)
At 31 March 2009	58,091
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 March 2009	33,751
At 31 March 2008	29,207
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3. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	Investments other than loans
COST At 1 April 2008 and 31 March 2009	£
NET BOOK VALUE At 31 March 2009	1
At 31 March 2008	<u> </u>

The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following:

The company owns the entire share capital of P&S Cluster Limited, representing one ordinary £1 share, a company incorporated in England and Wales. The company has not traded since incorporation and remained dormant at the balance sheet date.

4. COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE

The company is limited by guarantee in that every member of the company undertakes to contribute such amount not exceeding £1 in the event of the company being wound up whilst they are members.