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FIROKA (LONDON PARK) LIMITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2004

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FIROKA (LONDON PARK) LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the nine month period ended 31 March 2004.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

During the period the company rented out the London Park Hotel as an investment property. It continues to act as an investment holding company. The company ceased its operation of the London Park Hotel in the prior year.

RESULTS AND BUSINESS REVIEW

During the year the turnover increased to £0.45M (2003: £0.27M). The operating loss for the year was £0.87M (2003: £0.450M).

The hotel was sold on 1 April 2004, and the company's operating activities cased from that date. The company will continue to act as an investment holding company.

DIVIDEND

The directors recommend the payment of a dividend of £nil (2003: £nil).

DIRECTORS

The directors during the year and their interests (including family interests) in the issued ordinary shares of the company, were as follows:

	£1 Ordina	ry shares
	Period ended 31 March 2004	Year ended 4 July 2003
F A Kassam	100,000	100,000
A Lowry	-	-

CHARITABLE DONATIONS

During the year the company made charitable donations of £100,000 (2003: £100,000).

AUDITORS

PKF is eligible for re-appointment as auditor to the company and a resolution proposing their re-appointment will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

14th December 2004

F A Kassam Director

FIROKA (LONDON PARK) LIMITED STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Company law requires the directors to prepare accounts for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the end of the accounting period and of the profit or loss of the Company for the year. In preparing these accounts, 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 also 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 accounts 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.

The directors are responsible for ensuring that the directors' report and other information included in the financial statements is prepared in accordance with company law in the United Kingdom.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF FIROKA (LONDON PARK) LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Firoka (London Park) Limited for the period ended 31 March 2004 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the statement of the Balance Sheet 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 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 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 directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards are set out in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

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 with the company is not disclosed.

We read other information contained in the Annual Report and consider whether it is consistent with the audited financial statements. This other information comprises only the Directors' Report. We consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements or material inconsistencies with the financial statements. Our responsibilities do not extend to any other information.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with United Kingdom 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 affairs of the company as at 31 March 2004 and of its loss for the period then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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Registered Auditors

London United Kingdom

17 December 2004

FIROKA (LONDON PARK) LIMITED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2004

		9 Months Ended 31 March 2004	Year Ended 3 July 2003
	<u>Notes</u>	£	£
TURNOVER	2	450,800	271,469
Cost of sales		-	(79,439)
GROSS PROFIT		450,800	192,030
Administrative expenses - normal - exceptional	3	(187,575) (350,000)	642,325)
OPERATING LOSS	3	(86,775)	(450,295)
Exceptional items Profit on disposal of fixed assets	4		500,000
OPERATING (LOSS)/PROFIT BEFORE INTERST AND TAXATION		(86,775)	49,705
Interest receivable	7	61,438	262,961
Interest payable and similar charges	8	(29,686)	(58,451)
(LOSS)/PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		(55,023)	254,215
Tax (charge)/credit on profit on ordinary activities	9	(7,145)	8,000
(LOSS)/PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES AFTER TAXATION	18	(62,168)	262,215

All amounts above operating (loss)/profit before interest and taxation relate to discontinued operations.

STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

		<u>2004</u> ₤	2003 £
(Loss)/profit for the period Unrealised surplus on revaluation		(62,168) 502,708	262,215 7,902,949
Deferred tax on subsequent sale of revalued property	9	(1,600,000)	
Total recognised (losses)/gains relating to the period		(1,159,460)	8,165,164

FIROKA (LONDON PARK) LIMITED BALANCE SHEET AT 31 MARCH 2004

	Notes	£	<u>2004</u> €	£	<u>2003</u>
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	10		15,502,728		15,000,000
Investments	11		129,792		129,629
			15,632,520		15,129,629
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors due within one year	12	17,326		24,471	
Debtors due after one year	12	11,055,027		9,238,112	
Bank balances and cash		610,075		555,174	
		11,682,428		9,817,757	
		11,002,426		9,017,737	
CREDITORS					
Due within one year	13	(2,736,936)		(641,478)	
					
NET CURRENT ASSETS			8,945,492		9,176,279
					
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES			24,578,012		24,305,908
STATE OF S					
CREDITORS	13		(024 666)		(1,093,122)
Due after one year	13		(924,666)		(1,093,122)
PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES					
AND CHARGES Deferred taxation	16		(1,600,000)		_
Deloned ununon	10				
			22,053,346		23,212,786
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	17		100,000		100,000
Share premium	18		6,462,822		6,462,822
Revaluation reserve	18		6,805,677		7,902,949
Profit and loss account	18		8,684,847		8,747,015
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	19		22,053,346		23,212,786
SHAREHOLDERS FUNDS	17		42,033,340		43,414,700
					

Approved by the board on 14th December 2004

F A Kassam

A Lowry

Directors

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Basis of accounting

The accounts have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of investment property, and in accordance with applicable United Kingdom accounting standards.

(b) Consolidated financial statements

The group qualifies as medium sized within the definition set out in section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. Accordingly, by virtue of section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 consolidated financial statements are not presented and these financial statements present the results and position of the company as an individual undertaking.

(c) Depreciation

In the prior year, depreciation was provided on tangible fixed assets in order to write off their costs over their estimated useful lives at the following rates:-

Building core

Building surface finishes and services

Plant and machinery

Furniture and fittings Computer equipment - 2% straight line

- 4% straight line

- 10% on written down value

- 15% straight line - 25% straight line

No depreciation was provided on freehold land.

(d) Investment property

A contract was entered into partway through the prior year to rent the freehold property to a third party and from that date it is treated as an investment property under Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No. 19 ("SSAP 19"). Accordingly, it is stated in the balance sheet at open market value. Revaluation surpluses and deficits are taken to the revaluation reserve except to the extent that they represent reversals of deficits previously recognised through the profit and loss account.

Also in accordance with SSAP 19 no depreciation is provided in respect of investment property. This is a departure from the requirement of the Companies Act 1985 which requires all assets having a limited useful economic life to be depreciated. The directors consider this treatment necessary in order to show a true and fair view.

(e) Deferred tax

As required by FRS 19 "Deferred Tax", full provision is made for deferred tax liabilities arising from all timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the financial statements and recognition in the tax computation, except for those timing differences in respect of which the standard specifies that deferred tax should not be recognised.

Deferred tax is not provided on timing differences arising from the revaluation of certain fixed assets in the financial statements.

Deferred liabilities are calculated at the tax rates expected to be effective at the time the timing differences are expected to reverse.

2 TURNOVER

Turnover is attributable to the company's principal activities and arose in the United Kingdom. Rental income is recognised evenly across the period of each receipt. Income from hotel operations was recognised as services were provided.

3 OPERATING LOSS

	9 Months Ended <u>31 March 2004</u> f	Year Ended 3 July 2003
Stated after charging/(crediting):	_	~
Auditors' remuneration - audit	4,000	4,500
- taxation	10,141	•
Depreciation of fixed assets	· -	210,702
Rentals receivable	(450,000)	(210,586)
Provision against balance due from subsidiary	350,000	-

In the period ended 31 March 2004, the company made a provision of £350,000 against the balance due from Oxford United Football Club Limited, a subsidiary undertaking (note 12).

Depreciation in 2003 arose prior to the reclassification of the freehold property as an investment property.

4	EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS	9 Months Ended <u>31 March 2004</u> £	Year Ended 3 July 2003 £
	Profit on disposal of fixed assets	-	500,000

An agreement was made to sell the hotel in August 2002, and a deposit of £500,000 was received from the purchaser. However, the sale was not completed and the deposit was forfeited and taken to income in last year's accounts.

5	STAFF COSTS	9 Months Ended 31 March 2004 £	Year Ended 3 July 2003 £
	Wages and salaries Social security costs	82,932 10,183	168,831 17,879
		93,115	186,710
	Staff numbers are as set out below	No.	No.
	Operations	1	4
6	DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION	£	£
	Directors' emoluments	93,115	111,670
7	INTEREST RECEIVABLE		
	On bank deposit account From subsidiary undertaking (note 12)	6,923 54,515	173,010 89,951
		61,438	262,961

8	INTEREST PAYABLE	<u>2004</u> €	2003 £
	Bank and other loans	29,686	58,451
9	TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES	9 Months Ended 31 March 2004 £	Year Ended 3 July 2003 £
	Analysis of charge for the year Current tax:		
	UK Corporation Tax on profits for the year Adjustments in respect of prior years	54,000 (46,855)	12,000 (20,000)
	Total current tax charge/(credit)	7,145	(8,000)
	Factors affecting the tax charge for the year (Loss)/profit on ordinary activities before tax	(55,023)	254,215
	(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 30%	(16,507)	76,265
	Effects of: Expenses not deductible for tax purposes Depreciation in excess of capital allowances Roll over of capital gain on property sale Group relief claimed Adjustments in respect of prior years	112,406 - (41,899) (46,855)	15,000 75,835 (150,000) (5,100) (20,000)
	Total current tax charge/(credit)	7,145	(8,000)

Provision has been made for deferred tax on gains recognised on revaluing the investment property to its market value and its subsequent sale. Such tax has become payable since the property has been sold without claiming rollover relief. The total amount provided for is £1.6 million and has been recognised in the statement of total recognised gains and losses.

10	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Investment <u>property</u> £
	Cost or valuation As at 4 July 2003 Revaluation	15,000,000 502,728
	As at 31 March 2004	15,502,728
	Net book value As at 31 March 2004	15,502,728
	As at 4 July 2003	15,000,000

At 31 March 2004, the freehold property is included in the balance sheet at a valuation by the directors, representing the subsequent sales proceeds.

The historical cost of the property is £8,696,485.

11	INVESTMENTS		31 March 2004	3 July 2003
	Investment in subsidiary undertakings		r	£
	Cost at 4 July 2003 Additional investment in subsidiary undertakings		129,629 163	
	Cost at 31 March 2004		129,792	129,629
	Issued share capital (% held) <u>Direct subsidiaries</u>	Reserves at 3 July 2003 £	Profit/(loss) for the period ended 3 July 2003	Principal activity
	Oxford United 800 £7 ord shares (26.0%) Football Club Ltd* 138,142 £1 ord shares (92.0%) 140,000 5.25% pref shares (97.9%)	(2,018,206)	(116,783)	Professional football club
	Firoka (Oxford) Ltd 2 £1 ord shares (100%)	9,500	1,287	Non-trading
	Subsidiary of Oxford United Football Club Limited			
	Oxford United Supporters 2 £1 ord shares (100%) Club Ltd*	33,459	-	Football club supporters
	Subsidiaries of Firoka (Oxford) Limited			Operation of
	Firoka (Oxford Leisure) Ltd 2 £1 ord shares (100%)	(18,272)	(30,624) le	public house and isure development
	Firoka (Oxford United 100 £1 ord shares (100%) Stadium) Ltd	360,369	217,057	Operation of football stadium and conference centre
	Firoka (Oxford Hotels) Ltd 2 £1 ord shares (100%)	(110,754)	(110,754)	Operation of hotel
	All subsidiaries are incorporated in England and Wales. * Subsidiaries year end 30 June 2003			
12	DEBTORS		31 March 2004 £	3 July 2003 £
	Due within one year Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income Corporation tax		15,450 1,021 855	15,450 1,021 8,000
			17,326	24,471
	Due after one year Amounts owing from subsidiary undertakings Other debtors		11,055,027	8,556,711 681,401
			11,072,353	9,262,583

Amounts owing from subsidiary undertakings comprises loans of £1,502,438 to Oxford United Football Club Limited (2003: £1,647,922) against which a provision of £350,000 has been made, £9,867,799 to Firoka (Oxford Leisure) Limited (2003: £6,873,999) £34,790 to Firoka (Oxford United Stadium) Limited (2003: £34,790) all being subsidiaries of the company. Other debtors due after one year are amounts of £nil (2003: £681,401) due from Firoka (Kings Cross) Ltd, a company under common control. The loan to Oxford United Football Club Limited loan attracts interest at 3% over LIBOR. All other inter- company loans were non-interest bearing to 31 March 2004.

13	CREDITORS	31 March 2004	3 July 2003
	Due within one year: Bank loans (Note 15) Trade creditors	199,807	187,960
	Social security and other taxes	4,653	9,271 1,995
	Other creditors	2,239,435	225,047
	Accruals and deferred income	293,041	217,205
		2,736,936	641,478
	Other creditors includes £2,011,810 (2003: £nil) owed to Firoka (Kings Control.	Cross) Limited, a company	under common
14	CREDITORS	31 March 2004	3 July 2003
	Due after one year:	£	£
	Bank loans (Note 15)	749,666	918,122
	Other creditors	175,000	175,000
		924,666	1,093,122
	Other creditors is an amount of £175,000 (2003: £175,000) due to Firoka ((Oxford) Ltd, a subsidiary	of the company
15	BANK LOANS	31 March 2004	3 July 2003
		£	£
	Due within one year	199,807	187,960
	Due between two and five years	749,666	918,122
		949,473	1,106,082
	The bank loans are secured by a fixed charge over the company's investme rate of 0.85% above base rate. The loan was repaid on 4 April 2004.	ent property. The loan attr	racts interest at a
16	DEFERRED TAX		
	0.11 (1.11) 1.64 3 - 1166	£	
	Origination and reversal of timing differences At 4 July 2003	_	
	Charged to statement of total recognised gains and losses (note 9)	1,600,000	
	At 31 March 2004	1,600,000	
17	CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL	31 March 2004	3 July 2003
		£	£
	Authorised:		
	100,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100,000	100,000
	Allottad issued and fully poids	_	
	Allotted, issued and fully paid: 100,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100,000	100,000
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18 STATEMENT OF MOVEMENTS ON RESERVES

Revaluation reserve	Share premium account	Profit and loss account
7,902,949 502,728 (1,600,000)	6,462,822	8,747,015 (62,168)
6,805,677	6,462,822	8,684,847
	7,902,949 502,728 (1,600,000)	Revaluation premium account £ 7,902,949 6,462,822 502,728 (1,600,000) -

19	MOVEMENT IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	31 March 2004 £	3 July 2003 £
	Retained (loss)/profit for the period Revaluation of investment property Deferred tax on subsequent sale of revalued property Balance at 4 July 2003	(62,168) 502,728 (1,600,000) 23,212,786	262,215 7,902,949 - 15,047,622
	Balance at 31 March 2004	22,053,346	23,212,786

20 COMMITMENTS

The company has indicated its intention, barring unforeseen circumstances, to provide or procure funding sufficient to enable its subsidiaries, Oxford United Football Club Limited and Firoka (Oxford United Stadium) Limited to continue trading for at least one year from the date of approval of its accounts.

21 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND ULTIMATE CONTROLLING PARTY

Details of intercompany borrowings are disclosed in notes 12, 13 and 14. The directors consider Mr F A Kassam to be the company's ultimate controlling party.

22 POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

On 1 April 2004 the company completed the sale of its principal asset, London Park Hotel. The investment property is being carried in the company's accounts at an amount equivalent to its post balance sheet sales price. Following the sale of the hotel, a dividend of £12.5m was proposed and paid.

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