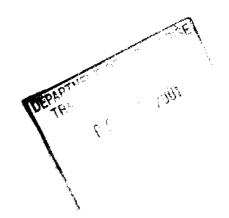
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ANTRIM HYDRAULICS AND GENERAL ENGINEERING LIMITED

ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

31 MARCH 2001

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REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO ANTRIM HYDRAULICS AND GENERAL ENGINEERING LIMITED UNDER

PARAGRAPH 24 OF SCHEDULE 8 TO THE COMPANIES (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1986

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 together with the full financial statements of Antrim Hydraulics and General Engineering Limited prepared under article 234 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 for the year ended 31 March 2001.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Article 254 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver to the Registrar of Companies abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with articles 254(5) and (6) of the Order and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

Basis of opinion

We have carried out the procedures we considered necessary to confirm, by reference to the audited financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared from those financial statements. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report does not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with articles 254(5) and (6) of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 have been properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

GRANT THORNTON
REGISTERED AUDITORS
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

BELFAST 8 June 2001

PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

BASIS OF PREPARATION

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and under the historical cost convention.

The principal accounting policies of the company have remained unchanged from the previous year and are set out below.

TURNOVER

Turnover is the total amount receivable by the company for goods supplied and services provided, excluding VAT and trade discounts.

TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION

Depreciation is calculated to write down the cost or valuation less estimated residual value of all tangible fixed assets by equal annual instalments over their expected useful lives. The rates generally applicable are:

Plant and machinery Fixtures and fittings Motor vehicles

6.67%/12.5% straight line 16.67% / 25% straight line

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STOCKS

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

DEFERRED TAXATION

Deferred tax is provided for using the tax rates estimated to arise when the timing differences reverse and is accounted for to the extent that it is probable that a liability or asset will crystallise. Unprovided deferred tax is disclosed as a contingent liability.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO PENSION FUNDS

Defined contribution scheme

The pension costs charged against profits represent the amount of the contributions payable to the scheme in respect of the accounting period.

LEASED ASSETS

Assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts are capitalised in the balance sheet and depreciated over their expected useful lives. The interest element of leasing payments represents a constant proportion of the capital balance outstanding and is charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the lease.

All other leases are regarded as operating leases and the payments made under them are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AT 31 MARCH 2001

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	Note	2001	2000
Fixed assets		£	£
Tangible assets	1	590,058	552,562
		590,058	552,562
Current assets		,	,
Stocks		30,417	18,035
Debtors		159,340	145,001
Cash at bank and in hand		107,074	36,684
		296,831	199,720
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2	(140,043)	(100,465)
Net current assets		156,788	99,255
Total assets less current liabilities		746,846	651,817
Creditors: amounts falling due after more			
than one year	2	(102,806)	(34,391)
Provisions for liabilities and charges		(15,000)	(3,000)
		629,040	614,426
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Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital Revaluation reserve	3	25,000	25,000
Profit and loss account		56,195	126,686
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		629,040	614,426

In preparing these abbreviated accounts, we have relied on the exemptions for individual financial statements conferred by section A of Part I of Schedule 8 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 on the grounds that the company is entitled to the benefit of those exemptions as a small company.

The abbreviated accounts were approved by the Board of Directors on 8 June 2001.

J Henry CBE Director

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

For the year ended 31 March 2001

FIXED ASSETS

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	Tangible fixed assets £	Total £
Cost At 1 April 2000 Additions Transfers to group undertakings	1,13 9,88 1 162,398	1,139,881 162,398
At 31 March 2001	1,202,279	1,202,279
Depreciation and amortisation At 1 April 2000 Charge for the year Transfers to group undertakings At 31 March 2001	587,320 87,210	587,320 87,210
Net book amount at 31 March 2001	612,221 590,058	590,058
Net book amount at 31 March 2000	552,561	552,561

2 CREDITORS

Creditors amounting to £154,188 (2000 £75,157) are secured.

SHARE CAPITAL

	2001 £	2000 £.
Authorised Ordinary shares of £1 each	100,000	100,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid Ordinary shares of £1 each	25,000	25,000

ULTIMATE PARENT UNDERTAKING

The ultimate parent company is Henry Group (NI) Limited, a company incorporated in Northern Ireland.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

For the year ended 31 March 2001

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Antrim Hydraulics and Engineering Limited is a subsidiary of Henry Group (NI) Limited. As Henry Group (NI) Limited produces consolidated accounts no related party transactions within the group have been disclosed.

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Dear Sir/Madam

RE:ACCOUNTS

The enclosed accounts received on 20/06/2001 cannot be accepted for the following reason(s):

They are not made up to the company's ARD, which according to our records is

The accounts are for a period of greater than 18 months.

X A director has not signed the balance sheet. now second

An auditor has not signed the audit report.

The signatures on the balance sheet / audit report must be original.

A person of whom we have no appointment has signed the accounts.

An audit exemption/dormant company statement is required.

Please complete as indicated or prepare new accounts as required.

Yours faithfully JANET MCKERNAN

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