FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

AS MODIFIED BY ARTICLE 255

COMPANIES (NI) ORDER 1986





REPORT & ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The Directors present their report and accounts for the year ended 31 December 1994.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND BUSINESS REVIEW

The company continues to develop, manufacture and market biotechnology products, with special emphasis on enzymes and enzyme-related products.

There has been no material change in the nature of the business during the year.

	1994	1993
	£	£
Profit for the year after taxation was	1,037,112	1,046,585
The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend		
Leaving profits to be transferred to reserves	1,037,112	1,046,585
Retained profits now amount to	3,942,121	2,905,009

Results continue to be pleasing. The directors expect that profitability will continue to be maintained in the future.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

The company continues to expend resources upon research and development, with a view to marketing it's products. Refer note 5 to the accounts.

TANGIBLE ASSETS

A schedule of the movement on tangible assets is shown in note 6 to the accounts.

DIRECTORS

The directors who acted during the year and their beneficial and family interests in shares of the company were as follows:-

	AT 31/12/94 ORD PREF	AT 31/12/93 ORD PREF
Dr S P Fitzgerald	71,106 -	71,106 -
Mr R J Fitzgerald	9,894 -	9,894 -
Mrs R J Fitzgerald	9,000 -	9,000 -
Mr C D M Fitzgerald	·	

DIRECTORS' REPORT Continued

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

The directors are required by company law to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at the end of the financial year and of the profit or loss for that period. In preparing the financial statements appropriate accounting policies have been used and applied consistently. Reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates have been made. The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis and in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986. 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.

AUDITORS

T Murphy & Co were appointed auditors for the year and now offer themselves for re-appointment in accordance with Article 392 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

DR S P FITZGERALD

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DATE: 2 MAY 1995

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RANDOX LABORATORIES LTD

Full financial statements for shareholders for the year ended 31 December 1994 were approved by the board of Directors on the 2 May 1995. The Directors have prepared the attached financial statements for the year ended 31 December 1994 in compliance with Articles 255 to 257 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 for filing with the registrar of companies.

AUDITORS REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF RANDOX LABORATORIES LTD.

In our opinion the company satisfies the requirements of Article 256(1) of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 for exemption as a medium sized company in respect of the year ended 31 December 1994 and in particular the modified financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with schedule 8 of that order. We are not required to express an audit opinion on the truth and fairness of these modified financial statements.

We reported as auditors of Randox Laboratories Ltd to the members on 4 May 1995 on the Company's financial statements prepared under Article 236 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 for the year ended 31 December 1994 and our audit opinion was as follows:

We have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 14 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 8.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

As described on pages 1 and 2, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with 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.

AUDITORS' REPORT Continued

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.

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31 December 1994 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986.

T MURPHY & CO

REGISTERED AUDITORS

DATE: 4 MAY 1995

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

	NOTE	1994	1993
		£	£
GROSS PROFIT		1,876,272	2,044,155
Administrative Expenses Other Operating Income Other Interest Receivable & Similar Income Interest Payable & Similar Charges		(1,574,573) 814,901 19,707 (23,887)	(1,563,306) 587,870 12 (32,086)
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	3	1,112,420	1,036,645
TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES	4	(75,308)	9,940
PROFIT		1,037,112	1,046,585
AMOUNTS TRANSFERRED TO RESERVES	16	1,037,112	1,046,585

The notes on pages 8 to 14 form part of these accounts.

MODIFIED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 1994

	NOTES	1994	1993
FIXED ASSETS		£	£
Intangible Assets Tangible Assets	5 6	2,007,552 1,548,081	1,764,748 1,332,936
		3,555,633	3,097,684
CURRENT ASSETS Stock Debtors Cash at Bank & in Hand	7 8	837,656 1,666,987 132,061	680,977 1,178,618 -
		2,636,704	1,859,595
CREDITORS Amounts Falling Due within one ye	ear 9	(502,829)	(510,241)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		2,133,875	1,349,354
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		5,689,508	4,447,038
CREDITORS Amounts falling due after more than one year	10	(1,104,026)	(973,975)
PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES & CHARGES	12	(493,362)	(418,054)
NET ASSETS		4,092,120	3,055,009
CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called Up Share Capital Profit & Loss Account	14 15	150,000 3,942,120	150,000 2,905,009
		4,092,120	3,055,009

We have relied on the exemptions for individual financial statements contained in Articles 255 to 257 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 because, under that Order, the company is entitled to benefit from these exemptions as a medium sized company.

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DATE: 2 MAY 1995

The notes on pages 9 to 15 form part of these accounts.

CASH FLOW STATEMENT YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1994

	NOTE	1994	1993
		£	£
NET CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	1	1,743,164	1,903,384
RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND SERVICING OF FINA Interest Received Interest Paid	NCE	19,707 (23,887)	12 (32,086)
NET CASH OUTFLOW FROM RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND SERVICING OF FINANCE		(4,180)	(32,074)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES Payments to Acquire Intangible Fixed Assets Payments to Acquire Tangible Fixed Assets Receipts from Sales of Tangible Fixed Assets		(2,073,278) (413,513) 13,466	(1,876,099) (582,401) 35,490
NET CASH OUTFLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(2,473,325)	(2,423,010)
NET CASH OUIFLOW BEFORE FINANCING		(734,341)	(551,700)
FINANCING Capital Grants Received		953,548	601,053
NET CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING		953,548	601,053
INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	2	219,207	49,353

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT

1.	NET CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING AC	TIVITIES	1994	1993
			£	£
	Profit on Ordinary Activities Bef Interest Paid Interest Received Capital Grant Amortised Amortisation of Intangible Fixed Depreciation on Tangible Fixed As Loss on Disposal of Tangible Fixe (Increase) in Stocks (Increase) in Debtors Increase in Creditors	Assets sets	1,112,420 23,887 (19,707) (814,028) 1,830,474 177,539 7,359 (156,679) (488,369) 70,268	1,036,645 32,086 (12) (587,870) 1,486,906 148,164 696 (89,241) (214,915) 90,925
			1,743,164	1,903,384
2.	ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN CASH AND		1994	1993
	EQUIVALENT DURING THE YEAR		E	
	At 31 December 1993 Net Cash	•	(87,146) 219,207	£ (136,499) 49,353
	At 31 December 1994		132,061	(87,146)
	ANALYSIS OF THE BALANCE OF CASH AN EQUIVALENT AS SHOWN IN THE BALANCE	ND CASH E SHEET		
		1994	1993	CHANGE IN YEAR
		£	£	£
	Bank Loan and Overdrafts	132,061	(87,146)	219,207
		132,061	(87,146)	219,207

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

ACCOUNTING CONVENTION

The Company prepares its accounts on the historical cost basis of accounting. The principal accounting policies which have been adopted within that convention are set out below.

TURNOVER

Turnover represents the invoice value, excluding value added tax in respect of the sale of goods to customers during the year.

TANGIBLE ASSETS

The cost of assets comprises purchase price and any installation charges.

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost of the fixed assets over their estimated useful lives. The methods adopted and rates used are:

BUILDING RENOVATIONS	5%	STRAIGHT	LINE
LAB EQUIPMENT	20%	REDUCING	BALANCE
OFFICE EQUIPMENT	20%	REDUCING	BALANCE
MOTOR VEHICLES	25%	REDUCING	BALANCE

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

Expenditure on research and development relating to diagnostic and enzyme related products produced by the company is written off by reference to the period over which the products are likely to be sold.

STOCK

Stock is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

DEFERRED TAXATION

Deferred taxation is provided on all material timing differences except in so far as it is expected that the benefit will, with reasonable probability, be retained for the foreseeable future.

CAPITAL GRANTS

(a) Research & Development

Grants received from LEDU are credited to the Profit and Loss Account by reference to the periods over which the products to which they relate are likely to be sold.

(b) Tangible Assets

Capital Grants received in respect of Capital Expenditure upon Tangible Assets are credited to the Profit and Loss account by instalments calculated at the same rates as the depreciation on the assets to which grants relate.

REVENUE GRANTS

Revenue based grants are credited against the appropriate Profit and Loss Account items.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Continued

2. SEGMENT AND MARKET INFORMATION In accordance with Schedule 4 Section 55(5) of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 Segment and Market Information has been omitted. The directors believe that to disclose such information would be seriously prejudicial to the interests of the Company.

3.	PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	1994	1993
	after charging:	£	£
	Directors' Emoluments Depreciation Auditors Remuneration Interest Payable - Bank Borrowings Loss on Sale of Fixed Assets	64,354 177,539 3,500 23,887 7,359	89,822 148,164 3,500 32,086 696
	and after crediting:		
	Interest Received	19,707	12
4.	TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES	1994	1993
		£	£
ч	Transfer (to)/from Deferred Tax	(75,308)	9,940
5.	INTANGIBLE ASSETS	1994	1993
		£	£
	COST At 1 January 1994 Additions	5,962,101 2,073,278	4,086,002 1,876,099
	At 31 December 1994	8,035,379	5,962,101
	PROVISION FOR DIMINUTION IN VALUE At 1 January 1994 Increases	4,197,353 1,830,474	2,710,447 1,486,906
	At 31 December 1994	6,027,827	4,197,353
	BALANCE SHEET VALUE	2,007,552	1,764,748

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Continued

6. TANGIBLE ASSETS

TOTAL	យ	1,969,949 413,513 (45,379)	2,338,083	637,013 177,539 (24,550)	790,002	1,548,081	1,332,936	
LAND	់ព។	240,225 45,000	285,225	111	1	285,225	240,225	Terminal de constant de consta
OFFICE EQUIPMENT	сt	128,883	204,352	56,796 29,511 -	86,307	118,045	72,087	
MOTOR	យ	196,665 94,932 (45,379)	246,218	103,681 41,771 (24,550)	120,902	125,316	92,984	White the same of
LABORATORY EQUIPMENT	យ	583,417	642,262	350,979 58,256 -	409,235	233,027	232,438	
BUILDING RENOVATIONS	댒	820,759	960,026	125,557 48,001 -	173,558	786,468	695,202	Very appropriate to the second
		COST At 1 January 1994 Additions Disposals	At 31 December 1994	DEPRECIATION At 1 January 1994 Charge for year Disposals	At 31 December 1994	BALANCE SHEET VALUE At 31 December 1994	BALANCE SHEET VALUE At 31 December 1993	

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Continued

7.	STOCKS	1994	1993
	•	£	£
	Raw Materials Finished Goods Other Stock	360,576 475,128 1,952	388,161 290,864 1,952
		837,656	680,977
8.	DEBTORS	<u>1994</u>	1993
		£	£
	Trade Debtors Grants Receivable Other Debtors Prepayments & Accrued Income	1,312,389 312,682 37,029 4,887	759,659 351,444 67,115 400
		1,666,987	1,178,618
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9.	CREDITORS (Amounts due within one year)	1994	<u>1993</u>
		£	£
	Bank Loans & Overdrafts Trade Creditors Other Creditors Taxation & Social Security Costs Accruals & Deferred Income	437,203 7,115 49,703 8,808 502,829	87,146 381,386 (7,472) 37,536 11,645
10	CREDITORS (Amounts due after one year)	1004	1003
10.	(Anduires ade arcer one year)	1994	1993
		£	£
	Family Investment Capital Grants (See Note 15) Other Creditors	23,993 1,076,379 3,654	23,993 936,859 13,123
		1,104,026	973,975

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Continued

11	. BANK LOANS AND OVERDRAFTS	5		1994	1993
	•			£	£
	Bank Loans & Overdrafts	,		-	87,146
	TOTAL			-	87,146
	DUE INSIDE ONE YEAR Bank Loans & Overdrafts			_	87,146
				***	87,146
	DETAILS OF SECURITY: The Bank of Ireland Ltd h	old a deben	ture on the	assets of t	he company.
12.	PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES	& CHARGES			DEFERRED TAX
	At 1 January 1994 Transfer from Profit & Los	ss Account			£ 418,054 75,308
	At 31 December 1994				493,362
13.	DEFERRED TAXATION	FUI <u>POTENTIAL</u> 1994 £		PROVISIO	1993
	Capital Allowances in Advance of Depreciation Losses B/Fwd	559,288 (65,926)	537,007 (118,953)	£ 559,288 (65,926)	£ 537,007 (118,953)
		493,362	418,054	493,362	418,054
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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Continued

14. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL	1994	1993
	£	£
ALLOTTED & FULLY PAID UP 90,000 Shares of £1 each 60,000 Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 e	90,000 each 60,000	90,000 60,000
AUTHORISED 500,000 Shares of £1 each	500,000	500,000

LEDU have the option to redeem the cumulative preference shares at par. In January 1990, the company's authorised share capital was increased to 500,000 shares of £1 each and the company's issued share capital was increased to 150,000 by means of a bonus issue of 759 shares for every 141 shares held.

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15.	CAPITAL GRANT RESERVE	1994	1993
		£	£
	Balance At 1 January 1994 Grants Received & Receivable During the Year Less Credited to Profit & Loss Account	936,859 953,548 (814,028)	923,676 601,053 (587,870)
	At 31 December 1994	1,076,379	936,859
16.	PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	1994	1993
	At 1 January 1994 Profit for the Year	£ 2,905,009 1,037,112	£ 1,858,424 1,046,585
	At 31 December 1994	3,942,121	2,905,009
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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS Continued

17.	DIRE	ECTORS & EMPLOYEES Directors	1994	1993
	(α,	The remuneration paid to Directors was:	£	£
		Fees	64,354	89,822
	-	Directors' remuneration, excluding pensic contributions are as follows:	n	100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100
		Chairman Highest Paid Director	30,000	30,000 33,954
	(b)	Employees The average weekly number of persons (including directors) employed by the company during the year was:	1994	1993
		Administration Production Sales	27 135 18	24 ¹ 121 15
			180	160
		Remuneration net of grants was:	£	£
		Wages & Salaries	1,511,874	928,304