

ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

(as modified by Schedule 8 of The Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986

Co Reg No. NI 21901

McCLURE WATTERS
Chartered Accountants
Registered Auditors

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DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

The directors present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2004.

Principal activities and review of the business

The principal activity of the company was the manufacture of tailor made worktops and distribution of household equipment and appliances.

Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 4.

Directors

The following directors have held office since 1 September 2003:

Y Magee

G G Fetherston

J Leckey

L Hansen

Directors' interests

The directors' have no beneficial interests in the shares of the company.

The directors' beneficial interests in the shares of the parent company, Bodel Holdings Limited, were as stated below:

	Ordinary shares of £ 1 each	
	31 August 2004 1 September 2003	
Y Magee	-	-
G G Fetherston	1	1
J Leckey	-	-
L Hansen	-	-

The above shareholding by GG Fetherston represents 50% of the issued share capital of Bodel Holdings Limited.

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;
- 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 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.

DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

Auditors

In accordance with Section 392 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986, a resolution proposing that McClure Watters, Chartered Accountants, be re-appointed as auditors of the company will be put to the Annual General Meeting.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

SECRETARY

REGISTERED OFFICE

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Date:

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO BODEL MANUFACTURING LTD UNDER ARTICLE 255B OF THE COMPANIES (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1986

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 4 to 16, together with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 August 2004 prepared under Article 234 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Schedule 4 to the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 as modified by Article 254A of that Order. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Article 254A(3) of the Order to the registrar of companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of audit opinion

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

Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Article 254A(3) of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 4 to 16 are properly prepared in accordance with that provision.

McClure Watters

Chartered Accountants **Registered Auditor**

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

	Notes	2004 £	2003 £
Gross profit		412,998	450,843
Establishment costs		(18,332)	(18,799)
Distribution costs		(291,712)	(276,217)
Administrative expenses		(37,096)	(44,518)
Other operating income		600	600
Management charges		65,000	44,000
Operating profit	2	131,458	155,909
Other interest receivable and similar income		109	473
Interest payable and similar charges	3	(12,526)	(12,970)
Profit on ordinary activities before			
taxation		119,041	143,412
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	4	(22,523)	(33,904)
Profit on ordinary activities after			
taxation	14	96,518	109,508

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.

The notes on pages 9 - 16 form part of the financial statements

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 2004

		20	2004)03
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	5		134,615		115,141
Current assets					
Stocks	6	274,054		256,835	
Debtors	7	604,400		751,867	
Cash at bank and in hand		104,179		5,257	
		982,633		1,013,959	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	8	(145,242)		(270,708)	
Net current assets			837,391		743,251
Total assets less current liabilities			972,006		858,392
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	9		(16,412)		-
Provisions for liabilities and charges	10		(8,023)		(6,739)
Accruals and deferred income	11		(21,400)		(22,000)
			926,171		829,653
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	13		18,000		18,000
Revaluation reserve	14		14,782		14,782
Other reserves	14		12,000		12,000
Profit and loss account	14		881,389		784,871
Shareholders' funds - equity interests	15		926,171		829,653

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VIII of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 relating to medium-sized companies.

Director

The notes on pages 9 - 16 form part of the financial statements

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

	2004 £	2003 £
Net cash inflow from operating activities (note 1)	247,529	51,968
Returns on investments and servicing of finance (note 2)	(12,417)	(12,497)
Taxation	(32,493)	(19,386)
Capital expenditure and financial investments (note 2)	1,000	(1,679)
Net cash inflow before management of liquid resources and financing Financing (note 2)	203,619 (3,788)	18,406
Increase/(decrease) in cash in the year	199,831	18,406

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

1	Reconciliation of operating profit to ne activities	et cash inflow from o	perating	2004	2003
				£	£
	Operating profit			131,458	155,909
	Depreciation of tangible assets			5,776	5,422
	Profit on disposal of tangible assets			(1,000)	-
	(Increase)/decrease in stocks			(17,219)	28,026
	Decrease/(increase) in debtors			147,467	(104,366)
	(Decrease) in creditors within one year			(18,353)	(32,423)
	Movement on grant provision			(600)	(600)
	Net cash inflow from operating activiti	ies		247,529	51,968
2	Gross Cash Flows				
	Returns on investments and servicing	of finance			
	Interest received			109	473
	Interest paid			(11,958)	(12,970)
	Interest element of finance lease rentals			(568)	-
				(12,417)	(12,497)
	Capital expenditure and financial inves	stments			
	Payments to acquire tangible assets			-	(1,679)
	Receipts from sales of tangible assets			1,000	_
				1,000	(1,679)
	Financing				
	Capital element of hire purchase repayment	ents		(3,788)	-
				(3,788)	_
3	Analysis of net funds/(debt)	1 September 2003	Cash flow	Other non- cash changes	31 August 2004
		£	£	£	£
	Net cash:				
	Cash at bank and in hand	5,257	98,922	-	104,179
	Bank overdrafts	(126,386)	100,909		(25,477)
		(121,129)	199,831	-	78,702
	Finance leases	(121,120)	3,788	(25,250)	(21,462)
	i mance reases				
	Net (debt)/funds	(121,129)	203,619	(25,250)	57,240

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NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

4	Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in net debt	2004 £	2003 £
	Increase in cash in the year	199,831	18,406
	Cash outflow from decrease in debt and lease financing	3,788	-
	Change in net debt resulting from cash flows	203,619	18,406
	New finance lease	(25,250)	-
	Movement in net funds/(debt) in the year	178,369	18,406
	Opening net debt	(121,129)	(139,535)
	Closing net funds/(debt)	57,240	(121,129)

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention modified to include the revaluation of freehold land and buildings.

1.2 Turnover

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

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

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

Land and buildings 2% straight line basis
Plant and machinery 10% straight line basis
Fixtures, fittings & equipment 10% straight line basis

1 .4 Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are capitalised as tangible assets and depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and 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.

1.5 Stock

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. In general, cost is determined on a first in first out basis and includes transport and handling costs. Net realisable value is the price at which stocks can be sold in the normal course of business after allowing for the costs of realisation. Provision is made where necessary for obsolescent, slow moving and defective stocks.

1.6 Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme providing benefits for its eligible employees. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the company to the fund in the vear.

1.7 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided at appropriate rates on all timing differences using the liability method only to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is a reasonable probability that a liability or asset will crystallise in the foreseeable future.

1.8 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.

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

1 Accounting policies

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1.9 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.

2	Operating profit	2004 £	2003 £
	On susting mostit is stated often charging:	L	ž.
	Operating profit is stated after charging: Depreciation of tangible assets	5,776	5,422
	Auditors' remuneration	3,050	3,000
	Directors' emoluments	13,420	21,283
	and after crediting:	•	
	Government grants	. 600	600 ————
3	Interest payable	2004	2003
Ū	mereor payable	£	£
	Hire purchase interest	568	-
	On amounts payable to Northern Bank	11,958	12,970
		12,526	12,970

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

4	Taxation	2004 £	2003 £
	Domestic current year tax		
	U.K. corporation tax	21,239	32,493
	Current tax charge	21,239	32,493
	Deferred tax		
	Deferred tax charge/(credit) current year	1,284	1,411
		22,523	33,904
	Factors affecting the tax charge for the year		
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	119,041	143,412
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation multiplied by standard rate of UK corporation tax of 19.88 % (2003 : 23.01 %)	23,665	32,999
	Effects of:		
	Non deductible expenses	92	109
	Capital allowances	(2,200)	(477)
	Amortisation of grants	(119)	(138)
	Profit on Disposal of non eligible assets	(199)	-
		(2,426)	(506)
	Current tax charge	21,239	32,493

Factors affecting the future tax charges

Based on current capital investment plans the company expects to be able to claim capital allowances in excess of depreciation in future years but at a slightly lower level than in the current year.

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

5	Tangible fixed assets					
	J		Land and buildings	Plant and machinery	Fixtures, fittings & equipment	Total
			£	£	£	£
	Cost or valuation					
	At 1 September 2003		148,960	54,338	60,971	264,269
	Additions		_	25,250		25,250
	At 31 August 2004		148,960	79,588	60,971	289,519
	Depreciation					
	At 1 September 2003		36,204	51,953	60,971	149,128
	Charge for the year		2,979	2,797	-	5,776
	At 31 August 2004	•	39,183	54,750	60,971	154,904
	Net book value					
	At 31 August 2004		109,777	24,838	-	134,615
	At 31 August 2003		112,756	2,385	-	115,141
						

Freehold Land and Buildings

The freehold buildings were valued at their expected open market value of £148,960 on 12th September 2000 by external professional surveyors, Morrow & Company. The depreciated historical cost of the buildings would be £96,179 had no revaluation taken place. No interim revaluation has been undertaken this year as, in the opinion of the Directors, the Net Book Value of the property is not materially different to the open market value.

If these properties were sold for their revalued amounts it would be necessary to replace them with similar property, and rollover relief against tax on the gain would be available. Accordingly, no timing differences arise and no provision has been made for deferred tax in respect of the revaluation.

6	Stocks	2004	2003
		£	£
	Stocks	274,054	256,835

Stocks are entirely comprised of materials for the manufacture of worktops.

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

7	Debtors	2004 £	2003 £
	Trade debtors	412,516	553,313
	Amounts owed by parent and fellow subsidiary undertakings	186,654	194,150
	Prepayments and accrued income	5,230	4,404
		604,400	751,867
0	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2004	2003
8	Creditors, amounts faming due within one year	£	£
		25.477	
	Bank loans and overdrafts	25,477 5,050	126,386
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts	61,386	87,990
	Trade creditors	21,239	32,493
	Corporation tax Other tax and social security	20,662	12,418
	Other tax and social security Other creditors	11,428	11,421
		145,242	270,708
	The bank facilities are secured by a floating charge over the assets and a fixed charge over the book debts of the company.	undertakings of the co	ompany and
9	Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	2004 £	2003 £
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts	16,412	-
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts		
	Repayable within one year	5,050	-
	Repayable between one and five years	16,412	-
		21,462	
	Included in liabilities falling due within one year	(5,050)	-
		16,412	
		-	

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

10	Provisions for liabilities and charges		
			Deferred taxation
			£
	Balance at 1 September 2003		6,739
	Profit and loss account		1,284
	Balance at 31 August 2004		8,023
	Deferred taxation provided in the financial statements is as follows:		
		_	
	·	2004	ully provided 2003
		£	£
	Deferred taxation	8,023	6,739
11	Accruals and deferred income		
			0
			Government grants
			£
	Balance at 1 September 2003		22,000
	Amortisation in the year		(600)
	Balance at 31 August 2004		21,400
12	Pension costs		
	Defined contribution		
		2004	2003
		£	£
	Contributions payable by the company for the year	5,266	3,166

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

13	Share capital		2004 £	2003 £
	Authorised 30,000 Ordinary shares of £ 1 each		30,000	30,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid 18,000 Ordinary shares of £ 1 each		18,000	18,000
14	Statement of movements on reserves	Revaluation reserve	Other reserves (see below)	Profit and loss account
		£	£	£
	Balance at 1 September 2003 Retained profit for the year	14,782 -	12,000	784,871 96,518
	Balance at 31 August 2004	14,782	12,000	881,389
	Other reserves Capital redemption reserve Balance at 1 September 2003 & at 31 August 2004		12,000	
15	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds		2004 £	2003 £
	Profit for the financial year Opening shareholders' funds		96,518 829,653	109,508 720,145
	Closing shareholders' funds		926,171	829,653
16	Directors' emoluments		2004 £	2003 £
	Emoluments for qualifying services		13,420	21,283

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2004

17 Employees

Number of employees

The average number of employees (including executive directors) during the year was:

, ,	2004 Number	2003 Number
Selling & administration	11 	11
Employment costs	2004 £	2003 £
Wages and salaries Social security costs Other pension costs	217,236 24,107 5,266	205,875 20,405 3,166
	246,609	229,446

18 Control

Bodel Manufacturing Limited is a wholly owned subsidiary of Bodel Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in Northern Ireland.

19 Related party transactions

Bodel Manufacturing Limited carried out transactions during the year ended 31 August 2004 with Bodel Distributors Limited. These companies are both subsidiaries of Bodel Holdings Limited.

The following material transactions took place during the year with Bodel Distributors Limited

· ·	2004	2003
	£	£
Loan repayments/(receipts)	73,554	69,262
Management charges	(65,000)	(44,000)
Allocated expenses	(50,231)	(45,749)

Bodel Distributors Limited owed Bodel Manufacturing Limited £139,644 at the year end (last year:£147,140).

There were no amounts written off during the year between the companies.

Bodel Holdings Limited owed Bodel Manufacturing Limited £47,010 at the year end (last year:£47,010) No transactions occured between Bodel Manufacturing Limited and Bodel Holdings Limited during this financial year.