**DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** 

52 weeks to 20 August 2005

Registered Number SC2871



### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The directors present their annual report and the unaudited financial statements for the 52 weeks ended 20 August 2005.

#### Results

The company did not trade during the period.

### **Directors and their Interests**

The directors during the period were:-

D Kemp A D MacPherson R J McDonald N D Preston

The following directors have interests in the shares of Punch Taverns plc as follows:-

	At 20 August 2005		At 21 August 2004			
	Ord	Ord	Ord	Ord Share		
	Shares	Share	Shares	Options		
	Options					
D Kemp	29,945	158,339	28,139	154,871		
A D MacPherson	1,552	0	294	950		
R J McDonald	55,566	187,422	47,203	320,650		
N D Preston	2,205	57,449	1,044	60,587		

There were no other directors' interests requiring disclosure under the Companies Act 1985.

Registered Office:

Suite 5

The Touch Stables

The Touch Estate

STIRLING

FK8 3AQ

By order of the Board

S C Rudd

**Company Secretary** 

#### **BALANCE SHEET AS AT 20 AUGUST 2005**

	20 August 2005		21 August 2004	
FIXED ASSETS	£	£	£	£
Loan to Fellow Group Undertakings CREDITORS		21,908,350		21,908,350
Amounts falling due after more than one year		(20,209,000)		(20,209,000)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES				.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Share Capital – Authorised				
53,000 4.9% Preference Shares of £1 each	53,000		53,000	
350,000 Deferred Shares of £1 each	350,000		350,000	
50,000 Ordinary Shares of £0.01 each	50,000		50,000	
	403,500		403,500	
Share Capital – Allotted, Called Up and Fully Paid				
53,000 4.9% Preference Shares of £1 each		53,000		53,000
350,000 Deferred Shares of £1 each		350,000	•	350,000
35,000 Ordinary Shares of £0.01 each		350		350
Profit and Loss Account		1,296,000 1,699,350		1,296,000 1,699,350

For the period ended 20 August 2005 the company was entitled to exemption under Section 249AA(1) of the Companies Act 1985.

No members have required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the period in question in accordance with Section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (a) Ensuring the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221; and
- (b) Preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of its financial period, and of its profit or loss for the financial period in accordance with the requirements of Section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 1985 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 31 January 2006 and were signed on its behalf by:

Director

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **20 AUGUST 2005**

# 1. Ultimate Parent Company

The ultimate controlling parent company is Punch Taverns plc registered number 3752645, which is incorporated in Great Britain and registered in England and Wales and whose financial statements can be obtained from the registered office.

## 2. Profit and Loss Account

The company was dormant (within the meaning of S249AA of the Companies Act 1985) throughout the period ended 20 August 2005.

# 3. Basis of Accounting

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost accounting rules, and in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards.