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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 1990

FOR

LAWRENCE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY LIMITED



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#### COMPANY INFORMATION

DIRECTORS:

D.S.Holmes

I.T.Elgey

SECRETARY:

I.T.Elgey

REGISTERED OFFICE:

170 Edmiston Drive

Ibrox Glasgow

REGISTERED NUMBER: 42601

AUDITORS:

Davidson & Workman Chartered Accountants

15 Burns Street

Glasgow G4 9SA

#### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The directors present their report with the audited financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 May 1990.

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of building and construction.

#### REVIEW OF BUSINESS

The results for the year, financial position of the company, and recommended transfer to reserves are as shown in the annexed financial statements.

#### DIVIDEND

the directors recommend that no dividend be paid for the year (1989 - £NIL).

#### FIXED ASSETS

All movements in fixed assets are shown in the accompanying notes to the accounts.

#### EVENTS SINCE THE END OF THE YEAR

Information relating to events since the end of the year is given in the notes to the financial statements.

#### DIRECTORS

The directors in office during the year were as follows:

D.S.Holmes

I.T. Elgey

G.Wat (resigned 23 November 1989) W.Bi (resigned 29 September 1989)

None of the directors held any beneficial interest in the issued share capital of the apany at 31 May 1989 or 31 May 1990.

#### **AUDITORS**

Messrs Davidson & Workman were appointed auditors to the company on 11 February 1991. Messrs Davidson & Workman have expressed their willingness to continue in office as auditors and a resolution proposing their reappointment will be submitted at the annual general meeting.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

I.T.ELGEY - Secretary /\_

Dated: 29 October 1991

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## REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF LAWRENCE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages four to twelve in accordance with Auditing Standards.

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31 May 1990 and of its profit and source and application of funds for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Davidson & Workman Chartered Accountants

15 Burns Street

Glasgow G4 9SA

Dated: 29 October 1991

## PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT for the Year Ended 31 May 1990

		31.	5.90	31.	5.89
	Notes	£	£	£	£
TURNOVER	2		7,284,754		8,220,819
Cost of Sales			4,092,258		9,919,629
GROSS PROFIT/(LOSS)			3,192,496		(1,698,810)
Administrative Expenses Other Operating Charges		582,381 43,345		726,961 205,478	
OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)	4		2,566,770		(2,631,249)
Interest Payable and Similar Charges	5		15,127		9,880
PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINAR BEFORE TAXATION	Y ACTIVITIES	3	2,551,643		(2,641,129)
Tax on Profit/(Loss) on Activities	Ordinary 6		877,809		(905.025)
PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE YE	AR		1,673,834		(1,736,104)
Retained Loss brought fo	rward		(3,514,835)		(1,778,731)
RETAINED LOSS CARRIED FO	RWARD		£(1,841,001)	:	£(3,514,835)

The notes form part of these financial statements

### BALANCE SHEET As at 31 May 1990

		31. 5.90		31. 5	31. 5.89	
	Notes	£	£	£	£	
FIXED ASSETS: Tangible Assets	7		52,642		78,692	
CURRENT ASSETS: Debtors Cash In Hand	8	3,356,727 4,018		3,411,924		
		3,360,745		3,413,922		
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	9	3,454,388		5,207,449		
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(93,643)		(1,793,527)	
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES:			£(41,001)		£(1,714,835)	
CAPITAL AND RESERVES: Share Capital Profit & Loss Account	11		1,800,000 (1,841,001)		1,800,000 (3,514,835)	
	,		£(41,001)	1	£(1,714,835)	

DIRECTOR D.S. HOLMES

I.T.ELGEY - DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on 29 October 1991

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# STATEMENT OF SOURCE AND APPLICATION OF FUNDS for the Year Ended 31 May 1990

	31. 5.	90	31. 5	.89
	£	£	£	£
SOURCE OF FUNDS:				
Profit/(Loss) before taxation	2,551,643	(	2,641,1_9)	
Adjustment for items not involving the movement of funds:				
Depreciation	33,125		28,957	
(Frofit)/Loss on Disposal of Fixed Assets	(26,962)		٠,335	
Total generated from operations	2-2-1-4-1	2,557,806		(2,607,837)
Funds from other sources:				
Sale of Fixed Assets Group Relief Received Proceeds of Share Issue	34,920 (877,809)		20,507 905,025 1,600,000	2,525,532
		1,714,917		(82,305)
APPLICATION OF FUNDS: Purchase of Fixed Assets		15,033		(48,377)
		£1,699,884		£(130,682)
COMPONENTS OF INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN WORKING CAPITAL:				
Debtors Creditors less than one year	(55,197) 2,703,525	,	971,973 (863,447	')
Movement in Net Liquid Funds:				
Cash In Hand		2,020 (950,464)		1,603 (240,811)
Bank Overdraft		£1,699,884		£(130,682)

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 May 1990

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Accounting Convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

#### Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax.

#### Government Grants

Government grants are deducted from the cost of the assets to which they relate and depreciation is calculated on the net cost.

#### Long Term Contracts

Profit on long term contracts is taken as the work is carried out if the final outcome can be assessed with reasonable certainty. The profit included is calculated on a prudent basis to reflect the proportion of work carried out at the year end by recording turnover and related costs. Turnover is calculated as the proportion of total contract value which costs incurred to date bear to total expected costs for that contract. Related costs are calculated as the cost of direct material and labour plus attributable overheads based on a normal level of activity. The amount by which turnover exceeds payments on account received and receivable on long term contracts are separately disclosed within debtors. Claims for progress payments are deducted from the value of long term contracts or to the extent that they exceed this value are disclosed as payments received or receivable on account.

Full provision is made for losses on all contracts in the year in which they are first foreseen.

#### Deferred Taxation

Deferred taxation is provided on the liability method on all timing differences which are expected to reverse in the future, calculated at the rate at which it is estimated that tax will be payable.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 May 1990

#### Leased Assets

Payments under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the lease term.

#### Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated to write down the cost or valuation less estimated residual value of each asset evenly over its expected useful life, as follows:

Motor Vehicles - over 4 years
Plant & Machinery - over 10 years

### Contributions To Pension Funds

The company is a member of the John Lawrence (Glasgow) Group which operates a pension scheme under which contributions by employees and the company are administered by trustees in a fund independent from the company's assets. Contributions are charged against profit to cover the cost of benefits arising from the current service of the employees. Full actuarial valuations are made at regular intervals and contribution levels reviewed.

#### 2. TURNOVER

The turnover and profit (1989 - loss) before taxation are attributable to the one principal activity of the company.

#### 3. STAFF COSTS

STAFF COSTS	1990	1989
	£	£
Wages and Salaries	710,591	777,452
Social Security Costs	115,677	128,316
Other Pension Costs	-	-
	£826,268	£905,768
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The average weekly number of employees during the		
year was as follows:	1990	1989
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Construction	18	21
Administration	===	===

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 May 1990

#### 4. OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)

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The operating profit (1989 - operating loss) is stated after charging/(crediting):

(a)	1990 £	1989 £
Directors' Emoluments Hire of Plant and Machinery Depreciation - Owned Assets (Profit)/Loss on Disposal of Fixed Assets Auditors' Remuneration	62,227 152,776 33,125 (26,962) 15,000	68,033 172,408 28,957 4,335 12,442
(b) Directors' remuneration:	£	£
Fees Other Emoluments Pensions	62,227 £ 62,227	68,033 £ 68,033

The emoluments of the chairman, excluding pension contributions, were £35,000 and of the highest paid director, excluding pension contributions, £13,958 (1989 - £24,124. Other directors' emoluments, excluding pension contributions, fell within the following ranges:

	No.	No.
£ Nil - £ 5,000	ı	3
£ 5,001 - £10,000	~	-
£10,001 - £15,000	1	-
£15,001 - £20,000	•	
£20,001 - £25,000	-	2
INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES	1000	1000

					======	======
Bank over	draft				15,127	9,880
					£	£
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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 May 1990

#### 6. TAXATION

The taxation charge is based on the result for the year and is made up as follows:

	1990 £	1989 £
Based on the result for the year: Group relief receivable at 35%	-	(956,097)
Adjustments in respect of prior years Group relief	877,809  £877,809	51,072  £(905,025)
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The company has tax losses of approximately £500,000 (1989 - £3,000,000) which are available to set off against future trading profits.

7. TANGIBLE	FIXED	ASSETS
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	Plant & Machinery	Motor Vehicles	Totals
	£	£	£
COST: As at 1 June 1989 Additions Disposals	1,480	115,828 13,553 (19,102)	
220,000	1,480	110,279	111,759
DEPRECIATION: As at 1 June 1989 Charge for Year Eliminated on Disposals	- - -	37,136 33,125 (11,144)	
		59,117	59,117
NET BOOK VALUES: As at 31 May 1990	£1,480	£51,162	£52,642
As at 31 May 1989	-	£78,692	£78,692

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 May 1990

## 8. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING

0.	DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	1990 £	1989 £
	Recoverable Under Long Term Contracts Other Debtors Due From Holding Company Due From Fellow Subsidiaries	721,264 101,376 2,534,087	1,351,405 231,409 1,589,575 239,535
		£3,356,727	
9.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	1990 £	1989 £
	Bank Overdraft ( See Note 10) Trade Creditors Other Taxes & P.A.Y.E. Other Creditors Contract & Other Accruals Due To Fellow Subsidiaries	639,246 78,812 77,799 751,303 273,979	2,484,250 457,893  £5,207,449

### 10. BANK OVERDRAFT

The bank overdraft is secured by a floating charge over all the assets of the company.

The company has guaranteed, for an unlimited amount, the overdraft facility of the holding company and those UK fellow subsidiaries covered by the group banking arrangements. These companies have in turn guaranteed, for an unlimited amount, the overdraft facility of this company.

## FORTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 May 1990

11. SHARE CAPITAL

1990 1989 £ £

Authorised:

Number: Class:

Nominal Value:

2,000,000 Ordinary

£1

£2,000,000 £2,000,000

Allotted, issued and fully paid:

Number: Class:

Nominal Value:

1,800,000 Ordinary

£1

£1,800,000 £1,800,000

12. ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY

The ultimate holding company is John Lawrence ( Glasgow ) Limited, a company registered in Scotland.

13. POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

On 16 November 1990 the whole of the issued share capital of the company was acquired by Safedeal Limited, a company registered in Scotland.

14. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

There were no capital commitments at 31 May, 1990 (1989 - £Nil)