Mackays of Dingwall Limited

Directors' Report and Financial Statements

For The Year Ended 31 December 2004

COMPANY INFORMATION

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John Manson

Secretary Joan McMillan

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DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

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

Principal activities and review of the business

The principal activities of the company during the year were that of a holding company and the operation of the Vauxhall franchise in Ross-shire, Sutherland and Caithness.

The results for the year and the financial position at the year end were considered satisfactory by the directors who expect continued growth in the foreseeable future.

Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 5.

The directors have paid an interim dividend amounting to £78,400 and they recommend payment of a final dividend amounting to £28,000.

Directors

The following directors have held office since 1 January 2004:

Muir Mackay John Manson

Directors' interests

The directors' interests in the shares of the company were as stated below:

		Ordinary :	shares of £ 1 each
		31 December 2004	1 January 2004
Muir Mackay		140,530	140,530
John Manson	•	140,530	140,530

Auditors

In accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution proposing that Johnston Carmichael be reappointed as auditors of the company will be put to the Annual General Meeting.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

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 Act 1985. 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.

By order of the board

Joan McMillan

Secretary

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF MACKAYS OF DINGWALL LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Mackays of Dingwall Limited on pages 5 to 18 for the year ended 31 December 2004. These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of the directors and auditors

As described in the statement of directors' responsibilities on page 2 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the directors' report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed.

We read the directors' report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with United Kingdom 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.

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.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF MACKAYS OF DINGWALL LIMITED

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2004 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Johnston Carmichael

Chartered Accountants
Registered Auditor

16 september 2005

Alton House 4 Ballifeary Road Inverness IV3 5PJ

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

	Notes	Year ended 31 December 2004 £	Year ended 31 December 2003 £
Turnover	2	4,533,489	1,095,751
Cost of sales		(3,900,516)	(972,358)
Gross profit		632,973	123,393
Administrative expenses Other operating income		(691,456) 189,977	(234,063) 127,563
Operating profit	3	131,494	16,893
Investment income Other interest receivable and similar income	4	29,333 1,380	1,515,214 3,363
Amounts written off investments	5	(9,300)	(429,621)
Interest payable and similar charges	6	(17,077)	(10,336)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		135,830	1,095,513
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	7	(26,701)	5,085
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation		109,129	1,100,598
Dividends	8	(106,400)	(203,429)
Retained profit for the year	17	2,729	897,169

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.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2004

		20	004	20	003
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	9		409,762		428,373
Investments	10		362,360		371,660
			772,122		800,033
Current assets					
Stocks	11	811,522		832,410	
Debtors	12	361,128		498,447	
Cash at bank and in hand		78,396		56,143 ————	
		1,251,046		1,387,000	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year	13	(771,117)		(938,057)	
Net current assets			479,929		448,943
Total assets less current liabilities			1,252,051		1,248,976
Provisions for liabilities and charges	14		(3,449)		(3,103)
			1,248,602		1,245,873
					
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	16		281,060		281,060
Profit and loss account	17		967,542		964,813
Shareholders' funds - equity interests	18		1,248,602		1,245,873

The financial statements were approved by the Board on 15 109 2005

Muir Mackay
Director

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

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

2003	2004	v) from	cash inflow/(outflow	Reconciliation of operating profit to ne operating activities	1
\$	£				
16,893	131,494			Operating profit	
6,569	22,581			Depreciation of tangible assets	
(4,850)	-			Profit on disposal of tangible assets	
(832,410)	20,888			Decrease/(increase) in stocks	
(437,381)	166,652			Decrease/(increase) in debtors	
(100,506)	(123,855)			Decrease in creditors within one year	
(1,351,685)	217,760		g activities	Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operati	
31 December 2004	Other non- cash changes	Cash flow	1 January 2004	Analysis of net debt	2
£	£	£	£		
				Net cash:	
78,396	-	22,253	56,143	Cash at bank and in hand	
				Debt:	
-	-	266	(266)	Finance leases	
(415,050)		66,283	(481,333)	Debts falling due within one year	
(336,654)		88,802	(425,456)	Net debt	
2003	2004		ment in net debt	Reconciliation of net cash flow to mov	3
£	£				
(53,201)	22,253			Increase/(decrease) in cash in the year	
(481,599)	66,549	e financing	ase) in debt and lease	Cash outflow/(inflow) from decrease/(incl	
(534,800)	88,802			Movement in net debt in the year	
109,344	(425,456)			Opening net (debt)/funds	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention.

1.2 Turnover

Turnover represents the amount derived from the provision of goods and services falling within the company's activities after deduction of trade discounts and value added tax.

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

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

Land and buildings Freehold

- Straight line over 50 years

Plant and machinery

- 20 % reducing balance method

Fixtures, fittings & equipment

- 15% to 30% reducing balance method

Motor vehicles

- 25% reducing balance method

1.4 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value.

1.5 Stock and work in progress

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is computed on a first in first out basis. Net realisable value is based on estimated selling price less the estimated cost of disposal.

Under supply agreements with General Motors, the company has access to 'consignment stock' during a consignment period. Where the nature of these supply agreements transfers risks and rewards to the company, which in substance gives the company control over the stock during the consignment period and liabilities in respect of holding costs, the company recognises these stocks in the balance sheet together with an equivalent liability.

Where supply agreements do not provide risks and rewards to the company until such time as legal title actually passes at the end of the consignment period, these stocks are not included in the balance sheet. Both the terms under which stocks are held and the financial commitment in respect of these stocks are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

1.6 Pensions

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contribution payable by the company during the year.

The regular cost of providing retirement pensions and related benefits is charged to the profit and loss account over the employees' service lives on the basis of a constant percentage of earnings.

1.7 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided in full in respect of taxation deferred by timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes.

1.8 Group accounts

The company is exempt from preparing group financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

2 Turnover

The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in the United Kingdom.

3	Operating profit Operating profit is stated after charging:	2004 £	2003 £
	·	22,581	6 560
	Depreciation of tangible assets Auditors' remuneration	5,500	6,569 2,000
	Additors remuneration	5,500	2,000
	and after crediting:		
	Profit on disposal of tangible assets	_	(4,850)
	. Tone of disposal of alligible decele		(+,000)
4	Investment income	2004 £	2003 £
		_	-
	Income from shares in group undertakings	29,333	1,515,162
	Income from other fixed asset investments		52
		29,333	1,515,214
5	Amounts written off investments	2004	2003
		£	£
	Amounts written off fixed asset investments:		
	- permanent diminution in value	9,300	429,621
6	Interest payable	2004	2003
•	interest payable	2004	2003 £
		L	L
	On bank loans and overdrafts	2,363	2,745
	On other loans wholly repayable within five years	14,377	7,477
	Other interest	337	114
		17,077	10,336
			

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

7	Taxation	2004 £	2003 £
	Domestic current year tax	-	•
	U.K. corporation tax	25,948	484
	Adjustment for prior years	407	(8,672)
	Current tax charge	26,355	(8,188)
	Deferred tax		
	Deferred tax charge credit current year	346	3,103
		26,701	(5,085)
	Factors affecting the tax charge for the year		
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	135,830	1,095,513
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation multiplied by standard rate of UK		
	corporation tax of 30.00% (2003: 19.00%)	40,749	208,147
	Effects of:		
	Non deductible expenses	3,148	82,946
	Depreciation add back	1,438	-
	Capital allowances	(162)	(3,103)
	Adjustments to previous periods	407	(8,672)
	Dividends and distributions received	(8,800)	(287,881)
	Other tax adjustments	(10,425)	375
		(14,394)	(216,335)
	Current tax charge	26,355	(8,188)
8	Dividends	2004	2003
		£	3
	Ordinary interim paid	78,400	173,429
	Ordinary final proposed	28,000	30,000
		106,400	203,429

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

9	Tangible fixed assets				
		Land and buildings Freehold	Plant and machinery	Fixtures, fittings & equipment	Total
		£	£	3	£
	Cost				
	At 1 January 2004	359,460	308,372	48,816	716,648
	Additions		<u>-</u>	3,970	3,970
	At 31 December 2004	359,460	308,372	52,786	720,618
	Depreciation			<u> </u>	
	At 1 January 2004	14,376	234,569	39,330	288,275
	Charge for the year	4,793	14,761	3,027	22,581
	At 31 December 2004	19,169	249,330	42,357	310,856
	Net book value				
	At 31 December 2004	340,291	59,042	10,429	409,762
	At 31 December 2003	345,084	73,803	9,486	428,373
	Included above are assets held under fina	ance leases or hire purch	ase contracts	as follows:	
					Plant and machinery
					£
	Net book values				
	At 31 December 2004				-
	At 31 December 2003				2,897
	Depreciation charge for the year				
	At 31 December 2004				55
	At 31 December 2003				239

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

10 Fixed asset investments

•	Listed investments	Unlisted investments	Shares in group undertakings	Total
	3	3	£	3
Cost				
At 1 January 2004 & at 31 December 2004	22,871	5,000	796,821	824,692
Provisions for diminution in value				
At 1 January 2004	18,412	4,999	429,621	453,032
Charge for the year	-		9,300	9,300
At 31 December 2004	18,412	4,999	438,921	462,332
Net book value		 .		
At 31 December 2004	4,459	1	357,900	362,360
At 31 December 2003	4,459	1	367,200	371,660

Holdings of more than 20%

The company holds more than 20% of the share capital of the following companies:

Company	Country of registration or	Shares held	
	incorporation	Class	%
Subsidiary undertakings			
Autovision (Scotland) Limited	Scotland	Ordinary	66
Mackays' Garage & Agric. Co. Limited	Scotland	Ordinary	100

The aggregate amount of capital and reserves and the results of these undertakings for the last relevant financial year were as follows:

	Capital and	Profit for the
	reserves	year
	2004	2004
	£	£
Autovision (Scotland) Limited	719,598	27,914
Mackays' Garage & Agric. Co. Limited	22,900	-
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

11	Stocks and work in progress	2004 £	2003 £
	Parts stock	91,193	75,308
	Work in progress	1,895	2,652
	Vehicle stock	718,434	754,450
		811,522	832,410
12	Debtors	2004 £	2003 £
	Trade debtors	205,895	363,439
	Amounts owed by subsidiary undertakings	29,939	40,606
	Other debtors	77,862	48,664
	Prepayments and accrued income	47,432	45,738
		361,128	498,447

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

13	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2004 £	2003 £
	Stocking loans		
	Net obligations under finance leases	415,050	481,333 266
	Trade creditors	161,966	207,087
	Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings	42,060	49,203
	Corporation tax	25,948	484
	Other taxes and social security costs	11,720	85,979
	Directors' current accounts	192	192
	Other creditors	41,424	24,346
	Accruals and deferred income	44,757	59,167
	Proposed dividend	28,000	30,000
		771,117	938,057
	Debt due in one year or less	415,050	481,333
	Stocking loans are secured over vehicle stocks.		
	Net obligations under finance leases		
	Repayable within one year	-	266
	Finance charges and interest allocated to future accounting periods	-	-
		-	266
14	Provisions for liabilities and charges		
	•	D	eferred tax liability £
	Balance at 1 January 2004		3,103
	Profit and loss account		346
,	Balance at 31 December 2004		3,449
	The deferred tax liability is made up as follows:		
		2004 £	2003 £
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	Accelerated capital allowances		

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

15	Pension costs		
	Defined contribution		
		2004 £	2003 £
	Contributions payable by the company for the year	5,155	4,079
16	Share capital	2004 £	2003 £
	Authorised 300,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	300,000	300,000
	Aliotted, called up and fully paid 281,060 Ordinary shares of £1 each	281,060	281,060
17	Statement of movements on profit and loss account		Profit and
			loss account £
	Balance at 1 January 2004 Retained profit for the period		account
			account £ 964,813
18	Retained profit for the period	2004 £	964,813 2,729
18	Retained profit for the period Balance at 31 December 2004		964,813 2,729 967,542
18	Retained profit for the period Balance at 31 December 2004 Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds Profit for the financial year	£ 109,129	964,813 2,729 967,542 2003 £

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19	Directors' emoluments	2004	2003
		£	£
	Emoluments for qualifying services	14,116	21,455
	Company pension contributions to money purchase schemes	395	2,200
		14,511	23,655

The number of directors for whom retirement benefits are accruing under money purchase pension schemes amounted to 2 (2003 - 2).

20 Employees

Number of employees

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

	2004	2003
	Number	Number
Sales and service	26	24
Administration	8	8
	34	32
Employment costs	2004	2003
	£	3
Wages and salaries	254,535	115,522
Social security costs	33,401	11,534
Other pension costs	5,155	4,079
	293,091	131,135

21 Control

The company is jointly controlled by the directors Muir Mackay and John Manson.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2004

22 Related party transactions

During the year the company received head office charges of £60,000 from its subsidiary undertaking Autovision (Scotland) Limited. £20,000 of these head office charges were receivable from Macleods of Perth Limited, a company in which Autovision (Scotland) Limited own the entire issued share capital. These charges were paid to the company via Autovision (Scotland) Limited.

During the year the company traded on a normal commercial basis with its subsidiary undertaking, Autovision (Scotland) Limited, buying and selling vehicles, spares and workshop services. Purchases of goods and services during the year totalled £269,684. Sales of goods and services during the year totalled £428,511. At 31 December 2004 amounts owing of £4,675 were included in creditors falling due within one year and amounts receivable of £11,233 were included in trade debtors.

During the year the company traded on a normal commercial basis with Macleods of Perth Limited, buying and selling vehicles, spares and workshop services. Purchases of goods and services during the year totalled £73,135. Sales of goods and services during the year totalled £232,052. At 31 December 2004, amounts owing of £3,829 were included in creditors falling due within one year and amounts receivable of £177 were included in trade debtors.

Included in creditors falling due within one year is £22,060 in respect of a loan from the subsidiary undertaking Mackays' Garage and Agricultural Company Limited (2003 - £40,587).