GKN COMPUTER SERVICES LIMITED

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Company has not traded during the year ended 31 December 2003 and there has been no income or expenditure.

The Directors of the Company are Mrs J.M. Felton, Mr R.A. Ogilvie Smals and Mr D.L. Rood. As required to be disclosed by the Companies Act 1985, the interests of the Directors in 50p ordinary shares of the parent company, GKN plc, were as set out below.

		Holdings including family interests at		Employees' Share Option Schemes	
<u>Name</u>	Type of security	01.01.03	31.12.03	Options granted in 2003	Options exercised in 2003
J M Felton	50p ordinary shares	42,314	46,878	24,532	4,564
R A Ogilvie Sm	als 50p ordinary shares	11,014	11,014	33,310	Nil
D L Rood	50p ordinary shares	21,178	21,178	20,576	Nil

Conditional and deferred rights to acquire GKN plc 50p ordinary shares held by Directors under the GKN long term incentive plans were as follows:

	Awards held at 0	01.01.03 Awards	held at 31.12.03	Conditional awards made in	Converted to deferred awards in	Deferred awards released in
Name	Conditional I	Deferred Condition	onal Deferred		2003	2003
J M Feltor	24,200	Nil 36,	950 Nil	15,050	Nil	Nil
R A Ogilv Smals	ie 40,850	Nil 58,	600 Nil	23,850	Nil	Nil
D L Rood	25,750	Nil 36,	950 Nil	15,050	Nil	Nil

As potential beneficiaries, the Directors are deemed to have an interest in the ordinary shares of GKN plc held from time to time by the discretionary trusts established to facilitate the operation of the GKN long term incentive plans and the GKN Executive Share Option Scheme 2001. At 31 December 2003 these trusts held 1,219,238 ordinary 50p shares (2002 – 1,219,238 50p ordinary shares).

On behalf of the Board

Judite Pell

J.M. Felton Secretary 30 September 2004

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BALANCE SHEET at 31 December 2003 and 31 December 2002

	£
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	
Current account with GKN (United Kingdom) plc	(3,383,682) (3,383,682)
Represented by:	
SHARE CAPITAL	
Ordinary Shares of £1 each (Note 1)	200,000
RESERVES	
Non-Distributable	23,013
Deficit on Distributable	(3,606,695)

(3,383,682)

1) Share Capital	Authorised	Issued
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Called up
		& Fully Paid
	$\underline{\mathbf{t}}$	£
250,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each	250,000	200,000

<u>Notes</u>

Under Section 249AA(1) of the Companies Act 1985 (the 'Act'), the Company was entitled to exemption from the provisions of Part VII of the Act relating to the audit of accounts in respect of the year ended 31 December 2003. No member or members have requested an audit pursuant to Section 249B(2) of the Act. The Directors acknowledge their responsibility for ensuring that the Company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Act and for preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company as at the end of the financial year in accordance with the requirements of Section 226 of the Act and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to accounts.

Signed

D.L. Rood Director 30 September 2004

GKN plc and GKN (United Kingdom) plc, which are registered in England, are the ultimate and immediate parent companies respectively.