We hereby certify that this Balance Sheet and the annexed Accounts are true copies of those laid before the Company at the Annual General Meeting held on the 16th August 1989.

Director 328020 Secretary

MOUNTVIEW ESTATES PLC

FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED

31 MARCH 1989

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The directors have pleasure in presenting their Fifty Second Annual Report to the Members together with the Statements of Accounts for the year ended 31 March 1989.

		19	89	19	88
		£	£	£	£
L	The Net Profits of the Group, after providing for taxation, amounted to	•	7,620,811		6,768,502
	From this sum must be deducted the following dividends				
	Interim 40% (1988: 20%) already paid	91,741		48,536	
	Final 150% (1988: 150%) which is recommended by the directors	344,031		362,137	
			435,772		410,673
	Leaving an undistributed profit for the year of		7,185,039		6,357,829
	Deduct: The transfer to reserve for property insurance		2,000		2,000
			7,183,039		6,355,829
	To this is added the balance brought forward from the previous year	:	24,096,038	•	18,415,134
	Deduct: Redomption premium on the purchase by the company of its own shares	3,725,213		671,524	
	Transfer to capital redemption reserve	12,071		3,401	
		61	3,737,284		674,925
	Leaving an unappropriated group pro to carry forward of	EIC	27,541,793		24,096,038

2 ACTIVITIES

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There has been no significant change in the principal activities of the company and its subsidiaries and these activities are shown below:

Parent Company

Mountview Estates PLC Property Dealing

Subsidiaries (both wholly owned)

Hurstway Investment Co Limited) Property Dealing Seru Investments Limited)

The future prospects of the company are reviewed in the Chairman's statement.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS (Continued)

3 FIXED ASSETS

The fixed assets in the Consolidated Balance Sheet at the net book amount of E31,773 consist wholly of motor cars and office furniture held by the Parent Company.

4 DIRECTORS

The Directors of the company are Mr W D I Sinclair, Mr F P Sinclair, Mr D M Sinclair and Mr K Langrish-Smith. No other persons have been Directors during the year.

Under Sections 379 and 293 (5) of the Companies Act 1985, Mr W D I Sinclair retires from the Board, by reason of his age and offers himself for re-election. Accordingly special notice has been received and a motion for his re-appointment will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting, notwithstanding that he is now 76 years of age.

For similar reasons special notice has been received that the re-appointment of Mr F P Sinclair will be proposed at the AGM notwithstanding that he is now 73 years of age.

In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association Mr D M Sinclair retires from the Board by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment. A motion for his re-appointment will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

Contracts of Service between the Directors of the Company and the Company or its Subsidiaries are determinable within one year without payment of compensation.

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN SHARE CAPITAL

The number of Ordinary Shares in the company in which the Directors and their families were interested is as follows:

families were interested is as rollows:	31 March 1989	31 March 1988
W D I Sinclair (including the holding by	Ordinary shares	of 5p each
Mrs Doris Sinclair of 158,500 and by Mrs Doris Sinclair of 158,500 and by Kingsway Wallpaper Stores Ltd of 70,000)	385,500	376,700
F P Sinclair (including the holding by Mrs Daphne Sinclair of 522,093 and by Viewthorpe Ltd of 2,500)	610,460	607,960
D M Sinclair (including the holding by Ars Jam Sinclair of 4,000)	489,315	501,310
K Langrish-Smith (including the holding by Mrs Eliuabeth Langrish-Smith of 216,175)	217,175	217,675

The above interests are all beneficial.

During the year Mr D M Sinclair disposed of 11,995 shares of which 5,325 were acquired by the Company through the market in accordance with the authority granted by Special Resolution at the Annual General Meeting held on 17 August 1988. These disposals were made for personal reasons and Mr Sinclair does not anticipate making any further such disposals in the foreseeable future.

In addition to the above interests notices have been received of the following substantial interests in the capital of the company:

Mrs M A Murphy TR Property Investment Trust PLC Mrs 5 M Sickins	516,295 350,000 285,189	516,295 335,000 285,189
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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS (Continued)

6 DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN CONTRACTS

There was no Contract subsisting during or at the end of the financial year in which a Director of the Company is or was materially interested and which is or was significant in relation to the Company's business.

7 PURCHASE OF OWN SHARES

During the year the Company purchased 241,425 Ordinary shares of 5p each for an aggregate consideration of £3,737,284 within the terms of the authority given by the special resolution passed at the Annual General Meeting held on 17 August 1988. Together with the 171,500 shares purchased during previous years this represents 8.26% of the called-up share capital. As explained in the documents accompanying the notice of that meeting and in the documents accompanying these Accounts it continues to be increasingly difficult to find enough suitable properties to utilise fully the Company's resources. By purchasing its own shares the Company should be better able to maintain a good return on the reduced capital without taking the greater risks of investing in unknown areas. A better market should also result from such purchases and make it easier for shareholders to realise all or part of their investment in the Company should they wish to do so in what might otherwise be a thin market.

8 INCOME AND CORPORATION TAXES ACT, 1988

The Board are of the opinion that the company is not a close company.

9 AUDITORS

Messrs BSG Valentine, have indicated their willingness to continue in office, and a motion for their re-appointment will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

10 A source and application of funds statement has not been prepared as the directors consider it would not serve any useful purpose and consequently the expense cannot be justified.

16/20 High Road Wood Green London N22 6DB

21 June 1989

By Order of the Board

D M Sinclair Secretary

D. M. Sinclain.

CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT

TRADING RESULTS

It is with pleasure that I am able to report another successful year. Group Profits before tax for the year to 31 March 1989 have increased by some 12% to E11,714,432 from £10,434,651 for the year to 31 March 1988. With Corporation Tax at 35% the resulting profits are £7,620,811 after taxation, as compared with £6,768,502 for 1988.

DIVIDEND

Your Board recommend a final dividend of 7.5p per share payable on 21 August 1989. This makes an increased total of 9.5p per share for the year compared with 8.5p per share last year. This increase reflects the increase in profits.

THE FUTURE

The increases in interest rates and the restrictions on mortgage relief since last August undoubtedly contributed to slower trading and lower selling prices during the second half of our year. Thus the full year's results are disappointing compared with the interim results for the six months to 30 September 1988, and the continuing uncertainty about interest rates which are already at high levels does nothing to encourage optimism in the housing market. Nevertheless the suitable properties available for purchase by the Company do not fully utilise its resources and your Board believe that it is in the best interests of shareholders that the Company should have the option of purchasing its own shares.

At this year's Annual General Meeting your Board will again seek authority to buy a further 5% of the Company's Issued Share Capital and thus give shareholders who wish to do so a genuine opportunity to sell their chares in the market. The smaller resources thus available can then be invested by your company without the risks of venturing into unknown areas, and those investors who would wish to place their funds elsewhere will have the opportunity to realise all or part of their shareholdings.

As at the date of this Report and Accounts purchases by the Company of its own shares have reduced the Issued Share Capital by 412,925 shares.

THANKS TO DIRECTORS AND STAFF

It gives me pleasure to thank my co-Directors and our staff for their contributions to our continued success. They worked particularly hard when we moved offices in January and I believe the improved working environment will ease our problems however difficult the coming months may prove to be.

W D I Sinclair

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS

TO THE MEMBERS OF MOUNTVIEW ESTATES PLC

We have audited the accounts on pages 6 to 13 in accordance with approved Auditing Standards.

In our opinion the accounts, which have been prepared under the historical cost convention, give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and the group at 31 March 1989 and the profit of the company and the group for the year then ended and comply with the Companies Act 1985.

The accounts do not specify the manner in which the operations of the group have been financed or in which the financial resources have been used during the year as required by Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No. 10.

In our opinion, the above qualification is not material for the purpose of determining by reference to the financial statements whether the distribution proposed by the company is permitted under Section 270 of the Companies Act 1985.

22 South Audley Street

London WIY 5DN

21 June 1989

BSG VALENTINE

Chartered Accountants

CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1989

	Notes	£ 1	989 £	£	1988 £
TURNOVER	1 (c)		15,487,945		14,071,108
Cost of sales			3,665,769		3,484,188
GROSS PROFIT			11,822,176		10,586,920
Interest receivable			139,797		23,169
			11,961,973		10,610,089
Administrative expenses			194,172		146,706
OPERATING PROFIT	2		11,767,801		10,463,383
Interest payable	5		53,369		28,732
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION			11,714,432		10,434,651
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	6		4,093,621		3,666,149
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITES AFTER TAXATION	7		7,620,811		6,768,502
DIVIDENDS	8		435,772		410,673
Michigan Care has a superior at the			7,185,039		6,357,829
Transfer to reserve for property insurance	9		2,000		2,000
RETAINED PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR			7,183,039		6,355,829
Transfer from capital reserve	10		1848		649
			7,183,039		6,355,829
RETAINED PROFIT AT 1 APRIL 1988	3		24,096,038		18,415,134
Less: Redemption premium on the purchase by the company of its own shares	11	3,725,213		671,524	
Transfer to capital redemption reserve	12	12,071	h wan kar	3,401	
UNAPPROPRIATED PROFIT OF GROUP			3,737,284 27,541,793		674,925 24,096,038
' 'OUNT RETAINED IN SUBSIDIARIES	>		6,764,495	•	5,560,503
* Earnings per share			161.9p		138.8p

^{*} The basis of the calculation is the profit on ordinary activities after taxation divided by the average number of ordinary shares in issue during the year.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 1989

		Mountview Estates			Q.,	
			PLC		roup	
		1989	1988	1989	1988 £	
	Notes	£,	£	£		
FIXED ASSETS						
	13	31,773	20,248	31,773	20,248	
Tangible assets	14	33,640	33,640		·	
Investments	2 · ·		, ,			
		65,413	53,888	31,773	20,248	
CURRENT ASSETS						
			05 (00 /22	32,341,596	26,301,972	
Stocks		31,715,539	25,629,433 566,341	1,031,080	574,700	
Debtors	15	943,272 40,305	1,017,266	130,359	1,490,113	
Cash at bank and in hand		40,30.7	1,017,1000			
		32,699,116	27,213,040	33,503,035	28,366,785	
Deferred taxation asset	16	114,677	120,712	114,677	120,712	
		32,813,793	27,333,752	33,617,712	28,487,497	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	17	4,575,681	3,513,479	5,628,399	3,980,042	
NET CURRENT ASSETS		28,238,112	23,820,273	27,989,313	24,507,455	
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		28,303,525	23,874,161	28,021,086	24,527,703	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling after more than one year	duc 18	7,217,967	5,031,766	167,680	122,052	
		21,085,558	18,842,395	27,853,406	24,405,651	
CAPITAL AND RESERVES		年代報行政政府 保 社 配 施 以 。				
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Called up share capital	19	279,354		229,354	241,425	
Capital redemption reserve	12	20,646	8,575		8,575 13,613	
Capital reserve	10	24,660				
Reserve for property insure	ince 9	33,600				
Profit and loss account		20,777,298	18,535,535			
		21,085,558	18,842,395	27,853,406	24,405,651	

Approved by the hoard on 27 June 1989

W D I Sinclair Immis Aircles

F P Sinclair

O Directors

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1989

	Notes	£	1989 £	19 £	988 £
TURNOVER	1 (c)		13,443,914		12,373,152
Cost of sales			3,436,633		3,275,708
GROSS PROFIT			10,007,281		9,097,444
Administrative expenses			92,699		121,514
OPERATING PROFIT	2		9,914,582		8,975,930
Interest payable	5		53,369		28,732
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITE BEFORE TAXATION	ES		9,861,213		8,947,198
Taxation	6		3,444,994		3,144,052
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITY AFTER TAXATION	ies 7		6,416,219		5,803,146
Dividends	8		435,772		410,673
•			5,980,447		5,392,473
Transfer to reserve for property insurance	9		1,400		1,400
RETAINED PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR			5,979,047		5,391,073
RETAINED PROFIT AT 1 APRIL	1988		18,535,535		13,819,387
Less:					
Redemption premium on the purchase by the company of its own shares	11	3,725,21	3	671,524	
Transfer to capital redemption reserve	12	12,07	1	3,401	
tangmherou reserve	2.00				674,925
RETAINED PROFIT AT 31 MARC	n 1020		20,777,298		18,535,535
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ACCOUNTING POLICIES 1

(a) Basis of Accounting

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

(b) Basis of Consolidation

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The group accounts consolidate the accounts of Mountview Estates PLC and its subsidiaries made up to 31 March each year.

(c) Turnover

Turnover includes proceeds from sales of properties, rents from properties and other sundry items of revenue before charging expenses.

(d) Tangible Fixed Assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates:

20% on reducing balance 5% on reducing balance Motor cars Office furniture

(a) Stocks

These comprise freehold and leasehold properties which are valued at the lower of cost and estimated act realisable value.

				Gro	uр
2	OPERATING PROFIT The operating profit is stated after charging:	1989 £	ent 1988 E	1989 £	1988 £
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets Directors' remuneration Auditors' remuneration	6,816 46,092 7,790	5,027 37,770 7,130	6,816 46,092 10,273	5,027 37,770 9,545
	And after crediting net rental income	1,311,101	1,473,049	2,001,835	1,665,773
3	STAFF COSTS (including director	80,265 7,245	69,733 6,096	80,265 7,245	69,733 6,096
	Social security costs	87,510	75,829	87,510	75,829

The average weekly number of employees during the year was as follows:

12 12 12 12 Office and management

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (Continued)

		Pare	n t	Grou	ıp
4	DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS	1989 £	1988 £	1989 £	1988 £
	Chairman Highest paid director Directors whose total remuneration	5,090 16,300	5,090 12,240	5,090 16,300	5,090 12,240
	was in the bracket £ 5,001 - £10,000 1 director (1988: 1)	8,550	8,200	8,550	8,200
	£10,001 - £15,000 No director (1988: 1)	-	12,240	***	12,240
	£15,001 - £20,000 1 director (1988: Nil)	16,152		16,152	, pair , pair (10) (10) (10) (10) (10) (10) (10) (10)
		46,092	37,770	46,092	37,770
6	TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITY		28,732	53,369 ************************************	28,732
	The tax charge based on the profi of the year is as follows:	its			
	Corporation tax at 35%	3,455,250	3,131,425	4,103,877	3,652,220
	(Over)/Underprovision in pravious years	(10,256)	12,627	(10,256)	13,929
		3,444,994	3,144,052	4,093,621	3,666,149
:	PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITES AFTER TAXATION Dealt with in the accounts of the company Dealt with in the accounts of		1989 £ 6,416,219	1988 £ 5,803,146 965,356	

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (Continued)

8	DIVIDENDS	Parent		Group	
·		1989 £	1988 £	1989 £	1988 £
	Dividends on ordinary shares Interim paid 40% (1988: 20%) Final proposed 150% (1988: 150%)	91,741 344,031	48,536 362,137	91,741 344,031	48,536 362,137
		435,772	410,673	435,772	410,673

9 RESERVE FOR PROPERTY INSURANCE

Balance at 1 April 1988	32,200	30,800	46,000	44,000
Transfer to reserve	1,400	1,400	2,000	2,000
Balance at 31 March 1989	33,600	32,200	48,000	46,000

10 CAPITAL RESERVE

The balance of the capital reserve represents capital reserves in group companies less consolidated goodwill.

11 PURCHASE OF COMPANY'S OWN SHARES

241,425 ordinary shares were purchased and cancelled in the year making a total of 412,925 to date.

12 TRANSFER TO CAPITAL REDEMPTION RESERVE

Nominal value of Company's own shares purchased.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (Continued)

13	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Motor Vehicles	Office Equipment	Total £
	All held by parent company	£	£	L
	Cost			
	1 April 1988 Additions Disposals	35,309 18,553 (13,392)	642 5,832 -	35,951 24,385 (13,392)
	31 March 1989	40,470	6,474	46,944
	Depreciation			
	1 April 1988	15,238	465	15,703
	Charge for the year Withdrawn following disposal	6,516 (7,348)	300	6,816 (7,348)
	31 March 1989	14,406	765	15,171
	Written down values			
	31 March 1989	26,064	5,709 ************************************	31,773
	31 March 1988	20,071 ***********	177	20,248

14 INVESTMENTS

This represents the cost of shares in the following wholly owned subsidiaries, both of which are incorporated and operate in England.

Share Capital

	Authorised		Issued		Cost
	1989	1988	1989	1988	£
Hurstway Investment Co Limited Ordinary shares of fl each	100	100	100	100	100
Seru Investments Limited Ordinary shares of El each Deferred shares of El each	14,390 5,610	14,390 5,610	5,390 5,610	5,390 5,610	16,440 17,100
			•		33,640

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (Continued)

16	ኤ¤'oምስውሮ	Parent		Group	
15	DEBTORS	1989 £	1988 £	1989 £	1988 £
	Trade debtors Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income	932,080 10,847 345	563,368 441 2,532	1,019,888 10,847 345	571,727 441 2,532
		943,272	566,341	1,031,080	574,700
16	DEFERRED TAXATION ASSET				
	Advance Corporation Tax recoverab after more than one year	ole 114,677 ***********************************	120,712	114,677	120,712
17	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year				
charge Trade co Current	Bank overdrafts (secured by a flo charge on various properties) Trade creditors Current corporation tax	00ting 1,771,879 65,257 2,148,754	40,367 2,788,817	2,218,097 66,266 2,751,753	41,292 3,251,563
	Other taxes and social security costs Proposed dividend Other creditors Accruals	148,760 344,031 97,000	233,660 362,137 86,498 2,000	148,760 344,031 99,492	233,660 362,137 89,390 2,000
		4,575,681	3,513,479	5,628,399	3,980,042
18	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year				
	Amounts owed to subsidiaries Corporation tax of a subsidiary	7,217,967	5,031,766	167,680	122,052
		7,217,967	5,031,766	167,680	122,052
19	SHARE CAPITAL			1989 £	1988 £
	Authorised: 5,000,000 ordinary shares of 5p each			250,000	250,000
	Allocted, issued and fully paid 4,587,075 ordinary shares of 5p	each		229,354	241,425

20 CONTINGENT LIABILITY

The company has guaranteed a bank overdraft facility of a subsidiary to the extent of £600,000.

DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1989

198	88		£	£
	7624395	TRADING PROFIT		8,196,180
	1473049 9097444	NET PROPERTY REVENUE		1,811,101 10,007,281
		OTHER INCOME		
4900 14762	19662 9117106	Interest on completion (gross) Interest received	7,694 80,380	88,074 10,095,355
		DEDUCT: MANAGEMENT EXPENSES		
7168 12671 40249 10515 1998 - 6217. 28732 9267 5354 7130 - 35580 - 5018 - 9	169908 8947198 (3144052) 5803146 (410673) 5392473 (1400) 5391073 13819387	Management charge - Hurstway Investment Co Limited Office rent, rates, lighting, heating etc Salaries and national insurance Printing, postage and stationery Telephone Hire of equipment Travelling and motor expenses Bank and other interest char,'s Registrars & stock exchange listing costs Trade expenses Auditors' remuneration Legal expenses Directors' remuneration Loss on sale of motor vehicles Depreciation - Motor vehicles - Office equipment PROFIT FOR YEAR BEFORE TAXATION TAXATION PROFIT FOR YEAR AFTER TAXATION DIVIDENDS RESERVE FOR PROPERTY INSURANCE RETAINED PROFIT FOR THE YEAR RETAINED PROFIT AT " 'RIL 1988	45,210 11,670 2,894 252 7,351 53,369	234,142 9,861,215 (3,444,994) 6,416,219 (435,772) 5,980,447 (1,400) 5,979,047 18,535,535
		LESS:		
671524		Redemption premium on the purchase by the company of its own shares	,725,213	•
3401	(674925) 18535535	Transfer to capital redemption reserve	12,071	(3,737,284) 20,777,298

TRADING ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1989

19	188		£	£
	10013801	SALES PROCEEDS		10,818,533
81276 212451	202727	Less: Selling expenses Legal expenses Agents commission and auction expens	86,911 es 211,264	298,175
	293727			10,520,358
	9720074	NET SALES PROCEEDS		10,020,000
21304405 6296822 119888 3997		Deduct: Cost of properties sold Properties on hand at 1 April 1988 Purchases Legal expenses on purchases Survey fees	25,629,433 8,261,812 144,425 4,047	
27725112		Less: Properties on hand at	34,039,717	
25629433		31 March 1989	31,715,539	
	2095679			2,324,178
•	7624395	TRADING PROFIT CARRIED FORWARD TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT		8,196,180
		PROPERTY INCOME AND EXPENDITURE AC	COUNT	
	2328670	RACK RENTS RECEIVABLE		2,594,581
29666 764907 55243 7133 15862		Less: Expenses General and water rates Repairs Agents commission Professional and legal fecs Insurances	28,211 668,356 61,191 7,177 29,529	
شے الشرین کی _{نسب} جنو	872811	•		794,464
	1455859			1,800,117
30681		GROUND RENTS RECEIVABLE	30,800	
	_	Less: Expenses	(19,816)	
(13491		Ground rents payable	(13,010)	** **
	17190		_	10,984
	1473049		•	1,811,101