TAVISTOCK REPERTORY GUARANTORS LIMITED

(A Company Limited by Guarantee)

COMPANY NO: 510482

Registered Charity Number 219947

ANNUAL REPORT

<u>AND</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2002

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DIRECTORS Martin South (Chairman)

Sheila Burbidge Roger Mott Green David Holyoake Stephen Ley James Spall Nicola Stanhope Laurence Tuerk Penny Tuerk

SECRETARY Clifford Chance Secretaries Limited

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Registered Auditors

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BANKERS Barclays Bank plc

Islington Branch
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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The directors present their report together with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 July 2002.

BACKGROUND

Tavistock Repertory Guarantors Limited was incorporated as a company limited by guarantee on 25 July 1952 and has as its principal object:

• to promote, maintain, improve and advance education, particularly by the support of the work of the unincorporated body known as the Tavistock Repertory Company in the production of educational plays, operas, and other stage presentations and the encouragement of the arts, including the arts of drama, mime, dance, singing and music, to formulate prepare and establish schemes therefor provided that all objects of the Company shall be of a charitable nature.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND REVIEW OF THE BUSINESS

The principal activity of the company during the year was the administration and maintenance of the Tower Theatre and premises within Canonbury Tower on behalf of the Tavistock Repertory Company (London). The premises were also used to accommodate the work of the Tower Youth Theatre, children's drama workshops and occasional hires by amateur and professional individuals and organisations associated with the arts of drama, mime, dance, singing and music.

The activities of the company were funded by payments from production surpluses generated by the Tavistock Repertory Company (London), donations made by members of that company, by Friends of the Tower Theatre and by other supporters and by fund-raising events. These included Summer and Christmas Fairs which together raised a total of £3,825 and an Auction of Promises which raised £6,135.

The company receives no grants.

All funds received were expended on the activities of the company. The company does not hold and has not historically held significant reserves.

All the activities of the company are carried on by volunteers with the exception of one fulltime and two part-time administrators employed during the year to undertake office administration and a small amount of casual box office cover and book-keeping. The accounts for this year show a higher figure for salaries and a lower figure for book-keeping than the accounts for 2000-2001 as a result of a decision to employ office staff to undertake duties which had been carried out by a freelance book-keeper.

The directors consider the results achieved and the state of affairs during the year which is the subject of this report to be satisfactory.

The directors have identified a major future risk to the company in that the leases it holds on the Tower Theatre and premises within Canonbury Tower are due to expire on 24 March 2003 and there is no expectation that they will be renewed. Steps are being taken to mitigate this risk by:

- a search for alternative temporary and/or permanent premises from which the Tavistock Repertory Company (London) will be able to carry on its activities;
- commencement of legal proceedings against the company's former solicitors Messrs Gregory Rowcliffe Milners in respect of a claim in negligence connected with the non-renewal of those leases.

This has resulted in a higher sum being expended in professional fees which have included solicitors', architects' and quantity surveyors' fees, in the period covered by these accounts.

RESULTS

The results for the year are shown in the profit and loss account on page 5.

A transfer of £825 was made into unrestricted funds.

FIXED ASSETS

Movements in fixed assets are shown in note 4 to the accounts. All fixed assets have now been written off in full.

EVENTS SINCE THE BALANCE SHEET DATE

There have been no events since the balance sheet date which materially affect the assets of the company.

DIRECTORS AND TRUSTEES OF THE CHARITY AND THEIR INTERESTS

The directors, all of whom are trustees of the charity, who served during the year were as follows:

Martin South (Chairman)
Sheila Burbidge
Roger Mott Green
David Holyoake
Stephen Ley
James Spall
Nicola Stanhope
Laurence Tuerk
Penny Tuerk

The following amounts were paid to directors (or persons connected to them) by way of reimbursement of expenses incurred on behalf of the company:

Sarah Ley (wife of Stephen Ley) £26 Laurence Tuerk £25 Nicola Stanhope £93 In addition, Sarah Ley has been employed during the period as part-time office administrator

and was paid £7,771 by way of salary.

The company is limited by guarantee and does not have a share capital. There are 53

members of the company, each of whom has undertaken to contribute up to £25 in the event

of the liquidation of the company.

RETIREMENT OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with the Articles of Association, Penny Tuerk, Sheila Burbidge and Nicola

Stanhope retire by rotation and, being eligible, will offer themselves for re-election at the next

Annual General Meeting.

AUDITORS

A resolution will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting to reappoint Hanson Burnells as

the company's auditors.

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are required to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a

true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the company and of the profit and 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;

Follow applicable accounting standards, subject to any material departures disclosed and

explained in the financial statements;

• Prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to

presume that the company will continue its 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

ABIL

For and on behalf of

CLIFFORD CHANCE SECRETARIES LIMITED

Authorised signatory

Date: 23/5/03

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AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF

TAVISTOCK REPERTORY GUARANTORS LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 10 which have been prepared under the

historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 7.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

As described on page 3, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our

audit, on those financial statements and to report our opinion to you.

BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with 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.

OPINION

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's

affairs as at 31 July 2002 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including

its income and expenditure in the year then ended and have been properly prepared in

accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Hanson Burnells

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Date:

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES (SOFA) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2002

	<u>Notes</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2001</u>
		(Unrestricted	d Funds)
		£	£
INCOMING RESOURCES	2		
Licence fees receivable for use of premises		4,870	5,083
Donations		13,435	4,881
Legacies		1,000	8,267
Fund-raising events		12,335	13,221
Payments from production surpluses			
by Tavistock Repertory Company (London)		71,991	75,954
Sundry income		-	17
Interest		4	69
Total income resources		103,635	107,492
RESOURCES EXPENDED			
Management and administrative expenses	3	102,809	107,009
Total resources expended		102,809	107,009
INCOMING (OUTGOING) REOURCES		825	483
BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD			
at 1st August 2001		1,878	1,395
BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD		2,703	1,878
at 31st July 2002			

The notes set out on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET AT 31 JULY 2002

	Notes	20	<u>)02</u>	200	<u>)1</u>
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	4		0		580
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	5	6,496		5,943	
Cash at bank and in hand		270		92	
TOTAL ASSETS		6,766		6,035	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within					
one year	6	-4,063		-4,737	
NET CURRENT (LIABILITIES)/ASSETS			2,703		1,298
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			2,703		1,878
GENERAL FUND	7		2,703		1,878
Unrestricted funds					

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 22 May 2003 and signed on their behalf by:

Martin South (Chairman)

Nicola Stanhope (Director)

The notes set out on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements.

TAVISTOCK REPERTORY GUARANTORS LIMITED NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2002

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and the Charities SORP 2000.

They have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

(b) Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual values, of tangible fixed assets over the term of the leases on the Tower Theatre and premises within the Canonbury Tower, which are due to expire on 24 March 2003.

All fixed assets have now been written off in full.

(c) Cash Flow Statement

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS1 (Cash Flow Statements) from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement as it qualifies as a small company.

(d) Funds

General funds represent the funds of the company that are not subject to any restrictions regarding their use and are available for application on the general purposes of the company. The company has no restricted funds or endowments.

(e) <u>Investments</u>

The company has no investments.

2 INCOME

Income is derived from payments from production surpluses generated by the Tavistock Repertory Company (London), donations made by members of that company, by Friends of the Tower Theatre and by other supporters and by fundraising events and interest.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2002 (Continued)

,	Notes	2002 £	2001 £
3 MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATIVE			
Salaries and national insurance		27,846	15,450
Other staff costs		117	1,124
Rent and services		38,900	35,987
Utilities		4,750	5,283
Insurance		6,222	6,416
Repairs and renewals			1,597
Theatre licence		791	768
Bank charges		8	29
Legal and professional fees		18,461	287
Book-keeping and admin expenses		492	8,634
Costs of generating funds		4,467	30,474
Audit fee		176	-
Depreciation	_	580	960
		102,809	107,009
4 EMPLOYEES Staff costs including directors	_		
Salaries		28,549	15,522
Social security costs (less SMP)		1,876	-325
	_	30,425	15,197
The average weekly number of employees, including directors, during the year was:			
	<u>N</u>	<u>lumber</u>	<u>Number</u>
Directors		9	9
Office		3	4
	_	12	13
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2002 (Continued)

4	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Fixtures fittings and equipment
	Cost	£
	At 1 August 2001 and 31 July 2002	15,372
	Donnaciation	
	<u>Depreciation</u>	
	At 1 August 2001 Charge for the year	14,792 580
	At 31 July 2002	15,372
	Net Book Value	
	At 31 July 2003	0

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		2002 £	2001 £
5	DEBTORS		
	Prepayments Social Security Costs	6,496	5,546 397
		6,496	5,943
	All amounts shown under debtors fall due for payment within one y	ear	
6	CREDITORS		
	(Amounts falling due within one year) Tavistock Repertory Company (London)	3,693	4 267
	Accruals	3,093	4,367 370
		4,063	4,737
7	FUNDS - UNRESTRICTED		
	Balance brought forward	1,878	1,395
	Net Movement in funds	825	483
	Balance carried forward	2,703	1,878