Abbreviated accounts

for the year ended 31 March 2002

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Accountants' report on the unaudited financial statements to the directors of Benthams Furnishers (Horwich) Limited

As described on the balance sheet you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2002 set out on pages 2 to 4 and you consider that the company is exempt from an audit. In accordance with your instructions we have compiled these unaudited financial statements, in order to assist you to fulfil your statutory responsibilities, from the accounting records and information supplied to us.

Crossley & Davis

52 Chorley New Road Bolton

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Date: 17 December 2002

Abbreviated balance sheet as at 31 March 2002

•		2002		2001	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	2		50,000		50,000
Current assets					
Cash at bank and in hand		1,367		1,652	
		1,367		1,652	
Creditors: amounts falling					
due within one year		(980)		(1,010)	
Net current assets			387		642
Net assets			50,387		50,642
Capital and reserves	•		=====		
Called up share capital	3		3,000		3,000
Revaluation reserve			41,253		41,253
Profit and loss account			6,134		6,389
Shareholders' funds			50,387		50,642

In preparing these abbreviated accounts we have relied on the exemptions for individual financial statements conferred by section Section A of Part 1 of the Companies Act 1985 on the grounds that the company is entitled to the benefit of those exemptions as a small sized company.

The directors' statements required by Section 249B(4) are shown on the following page which forms part of this Balance Sheet.

Abbreviated balance sheet (continued)

Directors' statements required by Section 249B(4) for the year ended 31 March 2002

In approving these abbreviated accounts as directors of the company we hereby confirm:

- (a) that for the year stated above the company was entitled to the exemption conferred by Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) that no notice has been deposited at the registered office of the company pursuant to Section 249B(2) requesting that an audit be conducted for the year ended 31 March 2002 and
- (c) that we acknowledge our responsibilities for:
- (1) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221, and
- (2) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of Section 226 and which otherwise comply with the provisions of the Companies Act relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

These abbreviated accounts are prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

The abbreviated accounts were approved by the Board on 17 December 2002 and signed on its behalf by

PM Bentham

AMA

Director

Notes to the abbreviated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2002

1. Accounting policies

1.1. Accounting convention

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention modified to include the revaluation of certain fixed assets.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS1 from the requirement to produce a cashflow statement because it is a small company.

1.2. Turnover

Turnover represents the total invoice value, excluding value added tax, of sales made during the year.

1.3. Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Freehold land and buildings are treated as investment properties and are not depreciated. They are stated at open market valuation and any change in valuation is taken to the revaluation reserve.

2.	Fixed assets		Tangible fixed assets £	
	Cost/revaluation			
	At 1 April 2001 &		70 000	
	At 31 March 2002		50,000	
	Net book values			
	At 31 March 2002		50,000	
	At 31 March 2001		50,000	
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3.	Share capital	2002	2001	
		£	£	
	Authorised equity			
	5,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	5,000	5,000	
	Allotted, called up and fully paid equity			
	3,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	3,000	3,000	

4. Transactions with directors

Included in other creditors are loans to the company from its directors J Bentham £118 (2001 £118) and P Bentham £182 (2001 £182).