Company Number: 857948

Abbreviated Statutory Accounts
For the Period ended
31st December 1997



Underwood Kinson

Registered Auditor Chartered Accountants

35 Market Street Lichfield Staffordshire WS13 6LA

ABBREVIATED STATUTORY ACCOUNTS
For the Period ended 31st December 1997

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# AUDITORS' REPORT TO Eddycurrent Machinery Agents Limited

UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated financial accounts set out on pages 2 to 5, together with the financial accounts of the company for the Period ended 31st December 1997 prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

#### RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated financial accounts in accordance with section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the registrar of companies and whether the financial accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

#### BASIS OF OPINION

We have carried out the procedures we considered necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial accounts, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial accounts and that the abbreviated financial accounts to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report does not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full financial accounts.

#### OPTNTON

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated financial accounts on pages 2 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

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Underwood Kinson Registered Auditors Chartered Accountants 35 Market Street Lichfield Staffordshire WS13 6LA

23rd October 1998

# ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET As at 31st December 1997

	Notes	31.12.97 € £	£3 <u>1</u>	.10.96 £
FIXED ASSETS			-	
Tangible Assets	2	532,310		502,093
CURRENT ASSETS				
Stock and Work in Progress Debtors Cash at Bank and in Hand	968	,092 ,734 ,457	76,229 371,795 209,063	
	1,488	,283	657,087	
CREDITORS: Amounts Falling Due within One Year	(1,748	,419)	(653,023)	
NET CURRENT (LIABILITIES)/ASSETS	<del></del>	(260,136		4,064
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIE	ES	272,174		506,157
CREDITORS: Amounts Falling Due After more than One Year		-		3,618
PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES		24,741	-	24,741
		247,433	=	477,798
CAPITAL AND RESERVES				
Share Capital Other Reserves Profit and Loss Account	3	1,000 113,501 132,932		1,000 113,501 363,297
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		247,433	_	477,798

The notes on pages 4 to 5 form part of these accounts.

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ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET (continued)
As at 31st December 1997

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

Signed on behalf of the

board of directors

P Smith Director

Approved by the board: 23rd October 1998

The notes on pages 4 to 5 form part of these accounts.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS For the Period Ended 31st December 1997

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of Accounting

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified to incorporate the revaluation of certain fixed assets.

#### Turnover

Turnover represents the net invoiced sales of goods, excluding VAT.

#### Tangible Fixed Assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life:

Freehold Property	2% on cost or revalued amount
Motor Vehicles	25% on written down value
Plant and Equipment	15% on written down value
Fixtures and Fittings	15% on written down value

#### Government Grants

Grants on capital expenditure are treated as a deferred credit and are released to the profit and loss account in equal instalments over the estimated useful life of the related assets. Grants of a revenue nature are credited to income in the period to which they relate.

#### Stocks and Work in Progress

Stocks and work in progress are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving items. Cost includes all direct expenditure and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

#### Deferred Taxation

Deferred Taxation is provided on the liability method in respect of the taxation effect of all timing differences to the extent that tax liabilities are likely to crystallise in the foreseeable future.

### Foreign Currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating profit.

#### Leased Assets

Assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts are capitalised at the estimated fair value at date of inception of each lease or contract. The assets are depreciated over their expected useful lives. The finance charges are allocated over the primary period of the lease in proportion to the capital element outstanding.

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account as incurred.

#### Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable for the year are charged in the profit and loss account.

#### Cash Flow Statement

The company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement conferred by Financial Reporting Standard No. 1 on the grounds that it qualifies as a small company under the Companies Act 1985.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS For the Period Ended 31st December 1997

COST At 1st November 1996 Additions in Period At 31st December 1997	Land & Buildings £ 330,000 - 330,000	Plant & Machinery etc £ 662,944 89,489 752,433	TOTAL £ 992,944 89,489 1,082,433
<b>DEPRECIATION</b> At 1st November 1996 Charge for the Period	6,600 6,468	484,251 (361,911)	490,851 (355,443)
At 31st December 1997	13,068	122,340	135,408
NET BOOK VALUE At 31st December 1997	316,932	215,378	532,310
At 31st October 1996	323,400	178,693	502,093
3. SHARE CAPITAL		31.12.97 £	<u>31.10.96</u>
Authorised Ordinary Shares of 1 each		2,000	2,000
Allotted, Issued and Fully F Ordinary Shares of 1 each	Paid	1,000	1,000