ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 1998

Company Number: 948233



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AUDITORS' REPORT TO ALBERT HAYWOOD & SONS LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 5, together with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 28 February 1998 prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated 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 accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the registrar of companies, and whether the 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 consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts, and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the financial statements.

Opinion

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

NEVILLE RUSSELL CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS and Registered Auditors

Oxford House 2 Oxford Row LEEDS West Yorkshire LS1 3BE

Dated: 29/7/98

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AT 28 FEBRUARY 1998

| | Notes | 1998 £ | 1997 £ |
|---|-------|-----------|-----------|
| FIXED ASSETS | | | |
| Tangible assets | 2 | 150,046 | 166,184 |
| CURRENT ASSETS | | | |
| Stocks | | 357,612 | 298,909 |
| Debtors | | 697,457 | 724,296 |
| Cash at bank and in hand | | 295 | 81,501 |
| | | 1,055,364 | 1,104,706 |
| CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING | • | (700.047) | |
| DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR | 3 | (729,865) | (814,616) |
| NET CURRENT ASSETS | | 325,499 | 290,090 |
| TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES | | 475,545 | 456,274 |
| CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR | 5 | (45,000) | (45,000) |
| PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES | | | |
| AND CHARGES | | (6,952) | (5,910) |
| | | 423,593 | 405,364 |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES | | | |
| Called up share capital | 4 | 16,000 | 16,000 |
| Share premium account | • | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| Profit and loss account | | 406,593 | 388,364 |
| SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS | | 423,593 | 405,364 |

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

Approved by the board on and signed on its behalf by

Philip G Haywood, Director

Notes to the Abbreviated Financial Statements for the year ended 28 February 1998

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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(a) Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention.

(b) Turnover

Turnover represents amounts invoiced, excluding value added tax, in respect of the sale of goods and services to customers.

(c) Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost or revalued amount less estimated residual value of fixed assets on a reducing balance and straight line basis over their estimated useful lives.

(d) Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is calculated using the first-in-first-out method and consists of material and direct labour costs.

(e) Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is provided in respect of the tax effect of all timing differences, to the extent that it is probable that a liability or asset will crystallise in the foreseeable future, at the rates of tax expected to apply when the timing differences reverse.

(f) Leases

Operating leases

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged on a straight line basis over the term of the lease.

(g) Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

Contributions payable to the company's pension scheme are charged to the profit and loss account in the period to which they relate.

Payments in respect of other post-retirement benefits are charged to the profit and loss account in the period to which they relate.

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2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

| | Total £ |
|---|------------------------------|
| COST OR VALUATION At 1 March 1997 Additions Disposals | 356,486 19,859 (8,423) |
| At 28 February 1998 | 367,922 |
| ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION At 1 March 1997 Charge for the year Eliminated on disposal | 190,302 31,535 (3,961) |
| At 28 February 1998 | 217,876 |
| NET BOOK VALUE At 28 February 1998 | 150,046 |
| At 28 February 1997 | 166,184 |

3. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

The bank loans and overdrafts of £110,009 (1997 £69,872) are secured by a fixed and floating charge over the company's assets.

4. SHARE CAPITAL

| | Authorised | | Allotted, Issued and Fully Paid | |
|----------------------------|------------|-----------|------------------------------------|-----------|
| | 1998 £ | 1997 £ | 1998 £ | 1997 £ |
| Ordinary shares of £1 each | 250,000 | 50,000 | 16,000 | 16,000 |

During the year the company increased its authorised share capital to £250,000.

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5. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

During the year the directors provided loans to the company and the balances outstanding at the balance sheet date were as follows:

| | £ |
|---|--------|
| David J Haywood | 16,974 |
| Philip G Haywood | 43,582 |
| Paul G Haywood | 1,500 |
| | 62,056 |
| | |
| There are no fixed repayment dates for these loans, | |
| Gross interest paid on these loans amounted to: | |
| David J Haywood | 5,042 |
| Philip G Haywood | 7,036 |
| Paul G Haywood | |
| | 12,078 |
| | 12,070 |

The company rents freehold property from Albert Haywood and Sons Limited Retirement Benefit Scheme. Mr David J Haywood and Mr Philip G Haywood are members and trustees of this scheme. Rent of £67,500 was paid to the scheme during the year based upon an external rental valuation.

The bank overdraft of Albert Haywood and Sons Limited is secured by a mortgage debenture over the freehold property owned by Albert Haywood and Sons Limited Retirement Benefit Scheme.

The loan of £45,000 from Albert Haywood and Sons Limited Retirement Benefit Scheme remained available to the company.

Gross interest of £4,396 has been paid to the scheme during the year in respect of this loan.