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AIR TOOLS & COMPRESSORS LIMITED

COMPANY REGISTERED NUMBER: 01874794

ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 1998



ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST JANUARY 1998

	Notes	<u>199</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>199</u>	<u>7</u>
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible Assets	2		86779		80378
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks Debtors Cash at Bank and in Hand		31414 57328 110		37360 89605	
		88852		126965	
CREDITORS - Amounts falling due within one year		90933		131409	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(2081)		(4444)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			84698		75934
CREDITORS - Amounts falling due after more than one year		71590		65759	
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES	S	343	71933	608	66367
NET ASSETS			£12765		£9567
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called-Up Share Capital Profit and Loss Account	3		100 12665		100 9467
			£12765		£9567
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ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST JANUARY 1998

(continued)

The director is satisfied that the company was entitled to exemption under subsection (1) of section 249A of the Companies Act 1985 and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to subsection (2) of section 249B in relation to the accounts for the financial year.

The director acknowledges his responsibilities for:

- 1) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221; and
- preparing accounts 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 and loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 226, and which otherwise comply with requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

These accounts and the full financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

These accounts were approved by the Director on 13th March 1998.

Director

The notes on pages 3 and 4 form part of these accounts.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 1998

2	FIXED ASSETS	Freehold Property	Plant and Machinery	Office Equipment	Leased Vehicles	Total
	Tangible Assets Cost (or Valuation) At 1st February 1997 Additions	68865	8075 240	1740 143	30996 15855	109676 16238
	Less Disposals	-	•	-	13817	13817
	At 31st January 1998	68865	8315	1883	33034	£112097
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	Depreciation At 1st February 1997 Charge for the Year Eliminated on Disposals	- -	5193 468	1205 102	22900 4895 9445	29298 5465 9445
	Eliminated on Disposais					
	At 31st January 1998	-	5661	1307	18350	£25318
	Net Book Value at 31st January 1998	68865	2654	576	14684	£86779
	Net Book Value at 31st January 1997	68865	2882	535	8096	£80378
						
3	CALLED-UP SHARE CAPITAL					Allotted
					Authorised	Called-Up & Fully-Paid
	Ordinary Shares of £1 each				100	100
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There have been no changes during the year.

4 SECURED CREDITORS

Security has been given by the company to secure £82860 (1997: £106864) of the amount shown under creditors:

	<u>1998</u>	<u>1997</u>
Finance Lease and Hire Purchase Creditors £15000 Bank Loan Bank Commercial Mortgage Loan Loan from BCSL (factoring company)	2750 11029 54710 14371	1359 12778 54710 38017
		5106964
	£82860	£106864

The £15000 bank loan is being repaid by monthly instalments over 7 years from July 1995.

The Commercial Mortgage Bank loan is an interest-only loan and, therefore, it is unlikely that any capital repayments will be made in the next five years.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 1998

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out below and have remained unchanged from the previous year and also have been consistently applied within the same accounts.

a) Basis of Preparation of Financial Statements

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

The effect of events relating to the year ended 31st January 1998 before the date of approval of the financial statements by the director, have been included in the statements to the extent required to show a true and fair view of the state of affairs at 31st January 1998 and of the results for the year ended on that date.

b) Depreciation

Depreciation has been computed to write off the cost of tangible fixed assets over their expected useful lives using the following rates:

Plant and Machinery
Office Equipment
Motor Vehicles
- 15% per annum of net book amount
- 15% per annum of net book amount
- 25% per annum of net book amount

c) Stocks

Stocks have been valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

d) Deferred Taxation

Deferred taxation is provided on the liability method to take account of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for accounts purposes and their treatment for tax purposes. Tax deferred or accelerated is accounted for in respect of all material timing differences to the extent that it is considered that a net liability may crystallise.

e) Leasing and Hire Purchase

Tangible fixed assets acquired under finance leases or hire purchase contracts are capitalised and depreciated in the same manner as other tangible fixed assets. The related obligations, net of future finance charges, are included in creditors. Rentals payable under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

f) Pensions

The Company has a defined contribution pension scheme. The cost of the contributions made by the Company to the Scheme are charged to profit and loss account as incurred.

g) <u>Turnover</u>

The Company's turnover represents the value, excluding value added tax, of goods and services supplied to customers during the year.