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# INFATRADE (UK) LIMITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

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#### DIRECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

The director presents her report and accounts for the year ended 31 December 2000.

#### Principal activities

The principal activity of the company continues to be that of the international trading of commodities.

#### Review of business

Both the level of business and the year end financial position were as expected in the light of current trading conditions.

#### Results and dividends

The profit for the year after taxation amounted to £63,245.

#### Director and her interests

The director at 31 December 2000 and her beneficial interest in the shares of the company were:

Ordinary shares of £ 1 each

31 December 2000

1 January 2000

H Mazursky

E E Klein resigned as a director on 1 October 2000.

#### **Auditors**

A resolution proposing the reappointment of H. W. Fisher & Company as auditors will be put to the members at the next Annual General Meeting.

On behalf of the Board

Director

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#### AUDITORS' REPORT UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 3 to 11, together with the audited accounts of the company for the year ended 31 December 2000 prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

#### Respective responsibilities of the director and auditors

The director is responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with section 246A 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 section 246A(3) of the Act to the registrar of companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with that provision 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 audited accounts, 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 audited accounts.

#### Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with section 246A(3) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 3 to 11 are properly prepared in accordance with that provision.

H. W. Fisher & Company

Chartered Accountants Registered Auditor Acre House 11-15 William Road London

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Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_ 15 May 20-1

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

|   |           | 2000      | 1999      |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|   | Notes     | £         | £         |
| Gross profit  |           | 867,796   | 550,444   |
| Administrative expenses                               | . ·       | (415,059) | (435,815) |
| Operating profit                                      | 2         | 452,737   | 114,629   |
| Other income  | 5         | 100,555   | 25,431    |
| Amounts written off investments                       | 6         | (2)       | (100)     |
| Interest payable and similar charges                  | 7         | (466,255) | (232,433) |
| Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities before taxation  | re        | 87,035    | (92,473)  |
| Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities           | 8         | (23,790)  | -         |
| Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities after taxation   |           | 63,245    | (92,473)  |
| Dividends   | 9         | <u>-</u>  | (10,000)  |
| Retained profit/(net deficit) for the financial year  |           | 63,245    | (102,473) |
|   |           |           |           |
| STATEMENT OF RESERVES Retained profit brought forward |           |           |           |
| As previously reported                                |           | 77,482    | 164,123   |
| Prior year adjustment                                 |           | (24,607)  | (8,775)   |
| As restated   |           | 52,875    | 155,348   |
| Retained profit/(net deficit) for the finance         | cial year | 63,245    | (102,473) |
| Retained profit carried forward                       |           | 116,120   | 52,875    |

The profit and loss account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

There are no recognised gains and losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account.

# BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2000

|        | 200                     | 00   | 199  | 9   |
|--------|-------------------------|--|--|---|
| Notes  | £                       | £  | £  | £   |
|        |                         |  |  |   |
| 11     |                         | 30,015   |  | 73,314  |
|        |                         |  |  |   |
| 13     | •                       |  | 42,442   |   |
| 14     | 6,162,203               |  | 5,774,302  |   |
|        | 426,049                 |  | 1,409,401  |   |
|        | 6,588,252               |  | 7,226,145  |   |
| in one |                         |  |  |   |
| 15     | (6,177,187)             |  | (6,872,681)  |   |
|        |                         | 411,065  |  | 353,464   |
|        |                         | 441,080  |  | 426,778   |
| more   |                         |  |  |   |
| 16     |                         | (24,960)   |  | (73,903)  |
|        |                         | 416,120  |  | 352,875   |
|        |                         |  |  |   |
|        |                         |  |  |   |
| 17     |                         | 220,000  |  | 220,000   |
| 18     |                         | 80,000   |  | 80,000  |
| 18     |                         | 116,120  |  | 52,875  |
|        |                         |  |  |   |
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In preparing these abbreviated accounts we have relied on the exemptions contained in 246 and 247 of the Companies Act 1985 on the basis that the company is entitled to the benefit of those exemptions as a medium-sized company.

The accounts were approved by the Board on 13 5 0

H Mazursky

Director

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

#### 1 Accounting policies

#### 1.1 Basis of preparation

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

#### 1.2 Turnover

Turnover represents the invoiced value of goods sold and services provided net of VAT.

#### 1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Leasehold improvements

over length of lease

Fixtures, fittings & equipment

25% reducing balance

#### 1.4 Leasing

Rental payments under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

#### 1.5 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less any provision for permanent diminution in value.

#### 1.6 Stock

Work in progress is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost includes all direct costs incurred in bringing the stocks to their present location and condition.

Net realisable value is based on estimated selling price less further costs expected to be incurred to completion and disposal.

#### 1.7 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided at appropriate rates on all timing differences using the liability method only to the extent that, in the opinion of the director, there is a reasonable probability that a liability or asset will crystallise in the foreseeable future.

#### 1.8 Foreign currency translation

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to profit and loss account.

#### 1.9 Comparatives

The prior year results cover the 14 month period from 1 November 1998 to 31 December 1999.

| 2 | Operating profit                                       | 2000     | 1999   |
|---|--|----------|--------|
|   |  | £        | £      |
|   | Operating profit is stated after charging/(crediting): |          |        |
|   | Depreciation of owned tangible fixed assets            | 21,367   | 29,463 |
|   | Operating lease rentals                                |          |        |
|   | - Other assets   | (12,568) | 33,357 |
|   | Auditors' remuneration                                 | 6,500    | 6,000  |

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

| 3 | Director's emoluments   | 2000<br>£         | 1999<br>£         |
|---|---|-------------------|-------------------|
|   | Aggregate emoluments  | 41,667            | 52,500            |
| 4 | Employees   |                   |                   |
|   | Number of employees  The average monthly number of employees during the year was: | 2000<br>Number    | 1999<br>Number    |
|   | Directors Administration  | 2 2               | 2 4               |
|   |   | 4                 | 6                 |
|   | Employment costs  | £                 | £                 |
|   | Wages and salaries Social security costs  | 122,304<br>13,975 | 181,069<br>17,991 |
|   |   | 136,279           | 199,060           |
| 5 | Other income  | 2000<br>£         | 1999<br>£         |
|   | Rent receivable Other interest receivable and similar income                      | 17,000<br>83,555  | 25,431            |
|   |   | 100,555           | 25,431            |
| 6 | Amounts written off investments   | 2000<br>£         | 1999<br>£         |
|   | Amounts written off fixed asset investments: - permanent diminution in value      | 2                 | 100               |
| 7 | Interest payable and similar charges  | 2000<br>£         | 1999<br>£         |
|   | Interest payable on:<br>Bank loans and overdrafts                                 | 466,255           | 232,433           |
|   |   | 466,255           | 232,433           |

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

| 8 | Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities | 2000   | 1999   |
|---|---|--------|--------|
|   |   | £      | £      |
|   | U.K. Current year taxation                  |        |        |
|   | U.K. Corporation tax at 20% (1999 - 21%)    | 23,790 | -      |
|   |   |        |        |
| 9 | Dividends                                   | 2000   | 1999   |
|   |   | £      | £      |
|   | Ordinary interim paid                       | -      | 10,000 |
|   |   |        |        |

#### 10 Prior year adjustment

The 1998 accounts included a charge of £33,375 for rent and rates in respect of renovations to the company's new premises, rented from the then company director. The total cost of the renovations was £66,750; the balance of this expenditure was also reflected as rent in the 1999 accounts.

The five year licencing agreement, expiring in October 2002, allowed for a two year rent-free period from November 1997 to compensate the company for carrying out the renovations.

The prior period adjustment reinstates this expenditure as leasehold improvements and spreads the rent charge equally over the length of the lease, rather than merely the payment term.

The property was disposed of in November 2000.

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

| 11 Tangible fixed assets              |                           |                                      |          |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|
| C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C | Leasehold<br>improvements | Fixtures,<br>fittings &<br>equipment | Total    |
|                                       | £                         | £                                    | £        |
| Cost                                  |                           |                                      |          |
| At 1 January 2000                     | 66,750                    | 87,645                               | 154,395  |
| Additions                             | -                         | 3,655                                | 3,655    |
| Disposals                             | (66,750)                  |                                      | (66,750) |
| At 31 December 2000                   |                           | 91,300                               | 91,300   |
| Depreciation                          |                           |                                      |          |
| At 1 January 2000                     | 28,925                    | 52,156                               | 81,081   |
| On disposals                          | (41,163)                  | -                                    | (41,163) |
| Charge for the year                   | 12,238                    | 9,129                                | 21,367   |
| At 31 December 2000                   | <u> </u>                  | 61,285                               | 61,285   |
| Net book value                        |                           |                                      |          |
| At 31 December 2000                   |                           | 30,015                               | 30,015   |
| At 31 December 1999                   | 37,825                    | 35,489                               | 73,314   |

## NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

| 12 | Fixed asset investments   |   |                  |  |
|----|---|---|------------------|--|
|    |   |   |                  | Shares in<br>subsidiary<br>undertakings<br>£ |
|    | Cost.   |   |                  |  |
|    | At 1 January 2000   |   |                  | 100  |
|    | Additions   |   |                  | 2  |
|    | Disposals   |   |                  | (100)  |
|    | At 31 December 2000   |   |                  | 2  |
|    | Provisions for diminution in value                                  |   |                  |  |
|    | At 1 January 2000   |   |                  | 100  |
|    | On disposals  |   |                  | (100)  |
|    | Charge for the year   |   |                  | 2  |
|    | At 31 December 2000   |   |                  | 2  |
|    | Net book value  |   |                  |  |
|    | At 31 December 2000   |   |                  | -  |
|    | At 31 December 1999   |   |                  | •  |
|    | Holdings of more than 20% The company holds more than 20% of the sh | are capital of the following compan  Country of registration or | ies:<br>Shares h | ald.   |
|    | Company   | incorporation   |                  | ci <b>u</b>                                  |
|    | Caladdian on Local  |   | Class            | %  |
|    | Subsidiary undertakings   | P 1 1   | 1.               | 400  |
|    | IT Plastics Limited   | England   | ordinary         | 100  |
|    | IT Plastics Limited ceased to trade during the                      | period.   |                  |  |
| 13 | Stocks  |   | 2000             | 1999   |
|    |   |   | £                | £  |
|    | Finished goods and goods for resale                                 |   | _                | 42,442                                       |
|    |   |   |                  |  |

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

| 14 | Debtors   | 2000      | 1999      |
|----|---|-----------|-----------|
|    |   | £         | £         |
|    | Trade debtors   | 145,739   | 311,030   |
|    | Other debtors   | 5,980,686 | 5,417,637 |
|    | Prepayments and accrued income  | 35,778    | 45,635    |
|    | ·   | 6,162,203 | 5,774,302 |
|    | Amounts falling due after more than one year and included in the debtors above are: |           |           |
|    |   | 2000      | 1999      |
|    |   | £         | £         |
|    | Other debtors   | 29,167    | 75,000    |
| 15 | Creditors: amounts falling due within one year                                      | 2000<br>£ | 1999<br>£ |
|    | Bank loans  | 3,263,627 | 6,343,638 |
|    | Bank overdrafts   | 2,743,248 | 95,336    |
|    | Trade creditors   | 44,657    | 282,715   |
|    | Corporation tax   | 23,790    |           |
|    | Other taxes and social security costs   | 2,002     | 19,402    |
|    | Directors current accounts  | 11,748    | 23,531    |
|    | Other creditors   | 15,598    | 75,312    |
|    | Accruals and deferred income  | 72,517    | 32,747    |
|    |   | 6,177,187 | 6,872,681 |

Bank loans and overdrafts of £6,031,835 (including the figure in note 17) are secured by a specific charge on related transactions.

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

| 16 | Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year                        | 2000<br>£         | 1999<br>£              |
|----|--|-------------------|------------------------|
|    | Bank loans   | 24,960            | 73,903                 |
|    | Analysis of loans  |                   |                        |
|    | Wholly repayable within five years   | 3,288,587         | 6,417,541              |
|    | Included in current liabilities  | (3,263,627)       | (6,343,638)            |
|    |  | 24,960            | 73,903                 |
|    | Loan maturity analysis   |                   |                        |
|    | Between one and two years  | 24,960            | 73,903                 |
|    |  | 24,960            | 73,903                 |
| 17 | Share capital  | 2000              | 1999                   |
|    |  | £                 | £                      |
|    | Authorised 1,000,000 Ordinary shares of £ 1 each                               | 1,000,000         | 1,000,000              |
|    | Allotted, called up and fully paid   |                   |                        |
|    | 220,000 Ordinary shares of £ 1 each  | 220,000           | 220,000                |
| 18 | Statement of movements on reserves   |                   |                        |
|    |  | Sh                | are premium<br>account |
|    |  |                   | £                      |
|    | Balance at 1 January 2000 and at 31 December 2000                              |                   | 80,000                 |
| 19 | Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds                             | 2000              | 1999                   |
|    |  | £                 | £                      |
|    | Profit/(loss) for the financial year Dividends                                 | 63,245            | (92,473)<br>(10,000)   |
|    |  |                   |                        |
|    | Net addition to/(depletion in) shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds | 63,245<br>352,875 | (102,473)<br>455,348   |
|    |  | 416,120           |                        |