Anspach Europe Limited

(formerely Anspach (UK) Ltd)

Report and Accounts

31 December 2000



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Anspach Europe Limited Directors and Officers

DIRECTORS

C Fong C E McGarrity

SECRETARY

B A O'Sullivan

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Directors and directors' interests

The directors at the balance sheet date and their interests in the share capital of the company were as follows:

	£1 Ordinar	£1 Ordinary shares	
	2000	1999	
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Auditors

Clifford Roberts will not seek re-election as auditors at the next AGM.

Small company rules

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Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare accounts for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for maintaining proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the accounts comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

This report was approved by the board on .!\.../!?-/2001.

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Anspach Europe Limited Auditors' Report

Report of the auditors to the members of Anspach Europe Limited

We have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 7 which have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999), under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 6.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 3, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the accounts.

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31st December 2000 and of its loss for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies.

Clifford Roberts

35-12-07

Chartered Accountants

Registered Auditors

Main House Wellingborough Northamptonshire Anspach Europe Limited
Profit and Loss Account
for the year ended 31 December 2000

	Notes	2000	10 Months 1999
		£	£
Turnover	2	102,475	68,850
Cost of sales		(17,256)	(10,866)
Gross profit		85,219	57,984
Administrative expenses		(120,429)	(82,192)
Operating loss	3	(35,210)	(24,208)
Interest payable		(4)	(4)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(35,214)	(24,212)
Taxation on ordinary activities		-	-
Loss on ordinary activities after taxation		(35,214)	(24,212)
Retained loss for the year	8	(35,214)	(24,212)

Anspach Europe Limited Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2000

	Notes		2000 £		1999 £
Fixed assets					-
Tangible assets	4		1,014		1,605
Current assets					
Debtors	5	1,931		6,234	
Cash at bank and in hand		_	_	3,949	
		1,931		10,183	
Creditors: amounts falling du					
within one year	6	(97,011)		(70,640)	
Net current liabilities	_		(95,080)		(60,457)
Total assets less current		_		~	
liabilities			(94,066)		(58,852)
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		-	(94,066)		(58,852)
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	7		200		200
Profit and loss account	8		(94,266)		(59,052)
		_	(94,066)		(58,852)

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999).

C E McGarrity

Director Director

Approved by the board on ... 18./12./2001

Anspach Europe Limited Notes to the Accounts at 31 December 2000

1 Accounting policies

Accounting convention

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and on the going concern basis.

The directors consider that it is appropriate to prepare these financial statements on the basis that the company will continue to operate as support is provided by the parent company, The Anspach Effort Inc., by way of maintaining its loan balance with the company.

Depreciation

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets, other than freehold land, at rates calculated to write off the cost, less estimated residual value, of each asset evenly over its expected useful life, as follows:

Plant and machinery

over 4 years

Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

2 Turnover

Turnover, which is stated net of value added tax, represents amounts invoiced to third parties.

3	Operating profit	2000	10 Months 1999	
	This is stated after charging:	£	£	
	Depreciation of owned fixed assets	591	281	
	Auditors' remuneration	1,800	1,600	

4 Tangible fixed assets

	Plant and machinery £
Cost	
At 1 January 2000	2,365
At 31 December 2000	2,365
Depreciation	
At 1 January 2000	760
Charge for the year	591
At 31 December 2000	1,351
Net book value	
At 31 December 2000	1,014
At 31 December 1999	1,605

Anspach Europe Limited Notes to the Accounts at 31 December 2000

5	Debtors			2000 £	10 Months 1999 £
	Other debtors			1,931	6,234
6	Creditors: amounts falling due w	rithin one year		2000 £	10 Months 1999 £
	Bank loans and overdrafts Trade creditors Other creditors			10,352 1,121 85,538	1,695 68,944
				97,011	70,639
7	Share capital			2000 £	1999 £
	Authorised: Ordinary shares of £1 each			200	200
		2000 No	1999 No	2000 £	1999 £
	Allotted, called up and fully paid: Ordinary shares of £1 each	200	200	200	200
8	Profit and loss account			2000 £	10 Months 1999 £
	At 1 January Retained loss			(59,052) (35,214)	(34,840) (24,212)
	At 31 December			(94,266)	(59,052)

9 Parent Undertakings and Related parties

The parent undertaking is The Anspach Effort Inc, incorporated in The United States of America. During the year, the company provided training services to the value of £53,375 and management services to the value of £49,100 (1999: £31,950 and £36,900) to the parent undertaking. The loan balance due to the parent undertaking at the year end amounted to £67,881 (1999: £57,199). The loan is interest free and repayable on demand.