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GRINDCO 268 LIMITED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2001

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ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 APRIL 2001

		200	01	200	00
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets Investments	2		82,509		50,009
Current Assets					
Debtors		167,500		200,000	
Cash at bank and in hand		95		95	
		167,595		200,095	
Net Current Assets			167,595		200,095
Total Assets Less Current					
Liabilities	•		250,104		250,104
Capital and Reserves					
Called up share capital	3		62,902		62,902
Share premium account			187,202		187,202
Shareholders' Funds			250,104		250,104

The directors' statements required by Section 249B(4) are shown on the following page which forms part of this Balance Sheet.

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED)

DIRECTORS' STATEMENTS REQUIRED BY SECTION 249B(4) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2001

In approving these abbreviated accounts as directors of the company we hereby confirm:

- (a) that for the year stated above the company was entitled to the exemption conferred by Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) that no notice has been deposited at the registered office of the company pursuant to Section 249B(2) requesting that an audit be conducted for the year ended 30 April 2001 and
- (c) that we acknowledge our responsibilities for:
- (1) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221, and
- (2) preparing financial statements 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 or loss for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of Section 226 and which otherwise comply with the provisions of the Companies Act relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

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

The abbreviated accounts were approved by the Board on 10 December 2001 and signed on its behalf by

JS Bratt Director

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2001

1. Accounting Policies

1.1. Accounting convention

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention .

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS1 from the requirement to produce a cashflow statement because it is a small company.

1.2. Investments

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

1.3. Group accounts

The company is entitled to the exemption under Section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 from the obligation to prepare group accounts.

2. Fixed assets

4.	rixeu assets	Investments	Total	
		£	£	
	Cost			
	At 1 May 2000	50,009	50,009	
	Additions	32,500	32,500	
	At 30 April 2001	82,509	82,509	
	Net book values			
	At 30 April 2001	82,509	82,509	
	At 30 April 2000	50,009	50,009	
2.1.	Investment details	2001	2000	
		£	£	
	Subsidiary undertaking	82,509	50,009	

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2001

Holdings of 20% or more

The company holds 20% or more of the share capital of the following companies:

	registration	Nature of	Shares held	
Company	or incorporation	business	Class	

Subsidiary undertaking **Biocomposites Limited**

England

Ordinary

100

Country of

The aggregate amount of capital and reserves and the results of these undertakings for the last relevant financial year were as follows:

	Biocomposites Limited	Capital and reserves £ 61,333	Profit for the year £ 20
3.	Share capital	2001	2000
		£	£
	Authorised		
	225,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	225,0	00 225,000
	1 Ordinary special A shares of £1 each		1 1
	1 Ordinary special B share of £1 each		1 1
	125,000 Redeemable preference shares of £1 each	125,0	00 125,000
		350,0	02 350,002
	Allotted, called up and fully paid equity		
	400 Ordinary shares of £1 each	4	00 400
	1 Ordinary special A shares of £1 each		1 1
	1 Ordinary special B share of £1 each		1 1
	62,500 Redeemable preference shares of £1 each	62,5	00 62500
		62,9	02 62,902