MICHELE SOLBIATI SASIL S.P.A.

Registered office: Via per Gallarate, 116, OLEGGIO

(Province of Novara) Italy

Company Capital: 10,000,000,000 Lire

Businesses Registry of Novara no. 13756/1997 Novara C.C.I.A.A. [Chamber of Commerce, industry,

crafts and agriculture] - R.E.A.

[Economic and Business Registry] no. 162216

Tax Code 00752020156

ACCOUNTS as at 30 JUNE 2000

#### PART ONE - BALANCE SHEET

	30.06.2000	30.06.1999
ASSETS: [A	mounts in Lire]	
A) SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL UNPAI	0	C
<ul><li>B) INVESTMENTS/FIXED ASSETS</li><li>I Intangible</li><li>1) Costs of plant</li><li>and expansion/</li></ul>		
development  2) Costs of research, development and	2,116,400	4,232,800
advertising	0	C
3) Patents and rights to us inventions	<b>e</b> 0	C
4) Licences, authorizations, trade marks and similar rights	29,293,224	36,845,607
5) Goodwill	0	30,043,037
6) Investments in process o being made and payment	s	
on account 7) Other	26,400,795	52,022,5 <i>1</i> 3
Total L.	57,810,419	L. 93,100,980
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<pre>II Tangible 1) Land and     buildings</pre>	5,965,554,161	5,733,518,325
2) Plant and		
machinery 3) Industrial and	1,656,024,554	1,674,294,271
trade fixtures 4) Other assets	138,962,842 812,175,540	235,264,650 1,057,754,654
5) Tangible assets in course of construction and payments on	1	
account	444,082,466	231,738,359

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	L.	9,016,799,563	L.	8,932,570,267
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III - Long-term Investments				
<ol> <li>(Share]holdings in:</li> <li>a) subsidiary</li> </ol>				
companies		9,402,044,221		9,818,816,546
b) associated companies		5,092,190,000		4,852,190,000
_c) parent companies		0		O
<ul><li>d) other companies</li><li>2) Loans to [Debts owing from]:</li></ul>		3,150,471,254		117,752,000
<ul><li>a) subsidiary companies:</li><li>due within 12 months</li><li>due after 12 months</li><li>b) associated companies:</li></ul>		141,054,530 1,319,503,282		116,586,696 1,381,376,509
<ul><li>due within 12 months</li><li>due after 12 months</li></ul>		0 0		0 0
c) parent companies: - due within 12 months - due after 12 months		0		0 0
<ul><li>d) other companies:</li><li>due within 12 months</li><li>due after 12 months</li><li>3) Other securities</li><li>4) own shares</li></ul>		0 560,105,199 0		0 557,289,516 0
(nominal value 1,000,000,000 Lire)		3,500,000,000		3,500,000,000
Total Total investments/fixed	L.	23,165,368,486		20,344,011,267
assets (B) L.		32,239,978,468		29,369,682,514
C) CURRENT ASSETS				
<pre>I - Stock: 1) Raw materials,      subsidiary      materials and</pre>				
consumables 2) Products in course of manufacture and semi-		1.5,205,609,031		12,196,747,991
finished		10,574,496,181		11,094,188,867

<ul><li>3) Work in progress under contract</li><li>4) Finished products and goods</li><li>5) Payments on account</li></ul>	0 14,815,393,027 1,127,534,322	0 14,672,810,018 0
Total L.	41,723,032,561	37,963,746,876 ******
II - Receivables [Debtors]		
1) From customers: - due within 12 months - due after 12 months 2) From subsidiary	14,914,743,653 0	12,528,512,382 131,690,474
companies - due within 12 months - due after 12 months 3) From associated	558,593,409 0	852,376,387 0
companies: - due within 12 months - due after 12 months 4) From parent companies:	94,872,137 203,000,000	300,909,074 200,000,000
- due within 12 months - due after 12 months	0 0	0
5) From others: - due within 12 months - due after 12 months	819,724,035 10,960,000	640,831,786 315,500,000
Total L.	16,601,893,234	14,969,820,103
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<pre>III - Financial assets     not constituting     long-term     investments:</pre>		
1) Holdings [participating interests] in	•	
subsidiary companies 2) Holdings in associated	0	0
companies 3) Other [share]holdings	0 165,576,195	0 5,376,433,449
4) Own shares (nominal value )	0	0
5) Other holdings [securities]	0	0
Total	165,576,195	5,376,433,449

## IV - Cash at bank and in hand:

<ol> <li>Bank and post         office deposits</li> <li>Cheques</li> <li>Money and cash values</li> </ol>	2,141,858,323 48,619,678 51,011,618	1,515,162,851 57,922,748 27,193,822
Total L.	2,241,489,619	L. 1,600,279,421
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TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS (C) L.	60,731,991,609	L. 59,910,279,849
<i>y</i>	*****	*******
D) Assets adjustment account [accounts receivable and		- 220 142 777
pre-payments]	346,042,872	L. 239,143,777
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TOTAL ASSETS (A+B+C+D)	93,318,012,949	89,519,106,140 *******
LIABILITIES:  A) CAPITAL AND RESERVES:  I - [Subscribed] Capital II - Share premium reserv III - Revaluation		10,000,000,000
[writing-up]reserves - under Law 576/75	:	0
- under Law 72/83	Ŏ	0
- under Law 413/91 IV - Legal Reserve	1,586,227,180 1,305,889,186	1,586,227,180 1,251,091,904
V - Reserve for own	1/300/003/100	
shares in portfolio [held] VI - Reserves required by	3,500,000,000	3,500,000,000
memorandum and articles	0	0
VII - Other Reserves:	0.005 100 000	ስ ስርሞ ለዕስ <u>በ</u> ፀብ
<ul><li>extraordinary</li><li>Article 15 para 10</li></ul>	2,365,480,080	2,365,480,080
[Law] 429/82	1,802,353,600	1,802,253,600
- Article 8/9 Law 308 - Article 55 TUID [a consolidated law] - Article 33 Co. 9 Law	0 24,773,514	0 440,878,58 <b>4</b>

413/91 - Reserve for risk of	0	O
depreciation in value of holdings - Tax amnesty [da condono]		0 0
- Surplus from merger [?] [avanzo di fusione] - Members non-interest-	0	0
<pre>bearing account [?]   [soci c/infruttiferi] - Members capital increase</pre>	0	()
<pre>account [?] [soci c/aumento capitale] - Non-distributable profits</pre>		O
under Articles 2423 ar 2426 of the Civil Code		Û
- Profits from partnerships [societa di persone]		0
VIII- Profit (loss) brought forward	11,870,544,918	13,953,291,499
<pre>IX - Profit (Loss) for     the accounting     year</pre>	223,512,898	1,095,945,631
TOTAL (A)	35,683,781,376	35,995,268,478
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B) PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES	ES	
<ol> <li>for retirement         pensions and         similar obligations</li> <li>for taxation</li> <li>other</li> </ol>	103,172,254 723,120,000 308,516,070	98,836,019 974,484,000 137,890,358
TOTAL (B) L.	1,134,808,324	L. 1,211,210,377
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C) [NON-CONTENTIOUS] EMPLOYEES' SEVERANCE INDEMNITY L.	5,318,213,733	4,775,845,160
D) DEBTS PAYABLE [CREDITORS		
1) Straight debentures: - due within 12 months	0	0

- due after 12 months	2,000,000,000	2,000,000,000
<ul><li>2) Convertible debentures</li><li>due within 12 months</li><li>due after 12 months</li><li>3) Bank overdrafts and loans:</li></ul>	0 0	0 0
- due within 12 months - due after 12 months 4) Other loans:	25,700,815,768 3,297,595,715	21,005,049,838 4,669,450,524
<ul><li>due within 12 months</li><li>due after 12 months</li></ul>	0 0	8 <b>84</b> , <b>4</b> 92,910 0
5) Payments on account: - due within 12 months - due after 12 months 6) Trade creditors:	0	0
- due within 12 months - due after 12 months 7) Loans represented by negotiable instruments:	11,225,099,614	9,880,486,674 0
- due within 12 months - due after 12 months 8) Debts to subsidiary companies:	0	0 0
- due within 12 months - due after 12 months 9) Debts to associated companies:	5,229,922,609 19,818,275	6,098,442,705 19,149,292
- due within 12 months - due after 12 months 10) Debts to parent companies:	1,020,000 0	0
- due within 12 months - due after 12 months 11) Debts to tax authorities	0	0 0
- due within 12 months	998,083,376	492,811,680
<pre>- due after 12 months 12) Debts to National     Insurance and     Social Security     institutions:</pre>	0	28,469,500
- due within 12 months - due after 12 months 13) Other debts:	755,1 <b>7</b> 3,398 0	<b>643</b> , <b>34</b> 0, <b>7</b> 50
- due within 12 months - due after 12 months	1,884,998,046 5,626,000	1,744,227,034 5,626,000
	L.51,118,152,801	L.47,471,546.937

E) LIABILITIES ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT [ACCRUALS AND DEFERRED INCOME]		L. 65,235,218
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TOTAL LIABILITIES (A+B+C+D+E)	L.93,318,012,949	L.89,519,106,140
GUARANTEES GIVEN AND OTHI SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS	ER	
Guarantees given to		
third parties:		
a) guarantees in favour of subsidiary companies:	Ā	
- expressed in Lire	2,301,428,159	4,859,663,717
<pre>- expressed in foreign</pre>	153,011,250	139,941,075
d) other personal	155,011,250	100/0411/070
guarantees/security		
in favour of third partic - letters of comfort give		
to third parties:		350,000,000
in favour of subsidiary		, .
- letters of comfort in	0 000 000 000	C 000 000 000
Lire - letters of comfort in	8,720,000,000	6,920,000,000
[foreign] currency	197,999,826	197,999,826
- joint obligations unde		
Article 2362 of the		710 046 440
Civil Code: - leasing against	478,507,911	710,946,449
replacements [?]	2,306,087,573	351,990,700
[leasing C/subentri]		
Other risks, obligations and suspense		
accounts:		
- risks on SBF		4
[subject to good outcome] credit		
operations	3,829,127,809	5,424,735,594
- leasing rentals to pay		250,686,620
<ul><li>leasing rentals paid</li><li>third parties for</li></ul>	1,431,305,689	707,640,000
guarantees in our		
favour	0	252,557,812
- factored receivables	4 FOE 404 FC 2	m myrm achn neca
"with recourse"	1,587,484,506	1,765,431,194
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TOTAL	L.26,296,662,343	L.22,021,592,987

#### PART TWO - PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

### A) VALUE OF PRODUCTION/OUTPUT

<ol> <li>Income from sales         and provision of         services [turnover]</li> <li>Fluctuations in stock         of products in</li> </ol>	77,162,263,314	78,189,719,948
course of production semi-finished and finished  3) Variation in work in progress under	(377,109,677)	(1,032,769,596)
contract 4) Own work capitalised 5) Other income and receipts:	0	0
<ul><li>other income and receipts</li><li>contributions on account of accounting year</li></ul>	590,747,417 nt 0	3,332,703,439
TOTAL	L.77,375,901,054	L.80,489,653,791
B) COSTS OF PRODUCTION		
6) Raw materials, subsidiary [secondary] materials, consumables and goods	28,489,849,047 * * * * * * *	23,972,753,447 * * * * * * * * 10
7) External services: - on purchases - trade [commercial] - industrial - general	70,336,862 5,075,766,800 19,975,760,898 789,036,323	48,455,862 4,767,677,053 22,343,238,257 1,063,049,668
Total external services	L.25,910,900,883	28,222,410,840
8) Enjoyment of third party assets [rents]	1,496,869,802	1,716,161,131
<ul><li>9) Staff:</li><li>a. salaries and wages</li><li>b. social [security etc]</li></ul>	10,435,942,551	9,591,538,786
charges c. severance indemnity	3,680,279,029 805,000,492	3,503,696,567 708,695,856

d. pensions and similar		~
obligations	0	0 30,637,658
e. other costs	336,075,304	30,637,636
10) Amortisation and depreciation:		
a. amortisation of intangible assets	35,811,061	89,785,203
<ul><li>b. amortisation of tangible assets</li></ul>	1,283,446,001	1,303,535,649
c. other depreciation of fixed assets	0	C
d. depreciation of receivables included in current capital		
[assets] and of cash	43,572,955	41,919,327
11) Fluctuations in stock of raw materials, subsidiary [secondary] materials and		·
consumables and goods	(3,008,861,040)	2,950,127,521
12) Provision for risks	308,516,070	1,019,461,358
13) Other reserves	4,336,235	3,682,574
14) Sundry operating charges	1,672,658,416	1,887,550,383
TOTAL L.	71,494,396,806	L. 75,041,956,300
DIFFERENCE BETWEEN PRODUCTION VALUE AND COST OF PRODUCTION (A-B) I	. 5,881,504,248 ******	L. 5,447,697,49% *******
C) INCOME AND FINANCIAL CHARGES		
15) Income from shareholds - in subsidiary companies - in associated companies - in other companies	.ngs: 241,106,229 0 1,870,600	153,125,000 1,430,450
16) Other income from		

- 16) Other income from
   financial assets:
- a. from debtors shown under fixed assets:

<ul> <li>from subsidiary companies</li> <li>from associated companies</li> <li>from parent companies</li> <li>from other persons etc.</li> </ul>	27,560,578 0 0 16,263,762	26,851,375 0 0 14,765,909
b. from securities shown under fixed assets not constituting [share]holdings	0	0
<pre>c. from securities shown und</pre>	der O	0
d) various income from		
the above: - from subsidiary companies - from associated companies - from parent companies - from other persons etc.	0 6,750,000 0 743,396,915	0 11,276,000 0 961,553,735
17) Interest and other borrowing charges:		
<ul><li>from subsidiary companies</li><li>from associated companies</li><li>from parent companies</li><li>from other persons</li></ul>	0 0 0 0 3,534,401,453	0 0 0 3,940,669,079
	(2,497,453,369)	L. (2,771,666,610)
D) ADJUSTMENTS IN VALUE OF FINANCIAL ASSETS 18) Revaluations [writing up	p]:	
<ul><li>a. of [share]holdings</li><li>b. of financial fixed asset not constituting</li></ul>	0	0
[share]holdings c. of securities shown unde current assets not constituting	0	0
[share]holdings	0	0
<ul><li>19) Depreciation:</li><li>a. of [share]holdings</li><li>b. of financial fixed assets not</li></ul>	2,752,443,320	0
constituting		

c. of securities shown under current assets not constituting [share]holdings	r 0		0
TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS (D) (18-19) L.	(2,752,443,320)		Ü
E) EXTRAORDINARY INCOME AND CHARGES	×********		******
<pre>20) Income: - capital gains on     alienations [sales of     assets]</pre>	3,000,000		O
<ul> <li>other extraordinary income</li> </ul>	1,386,973,700		74,668,184
<pre>21) Charges: - capital losses on       alienations [sales of       assets] - taxes on previous years - other extraordinary       charges</pre>	0 0 47,639,361		140,845,822 0 26,182,612
TOTAL EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS (20-21)	.1,342,334,339	L.	(92,360,250)
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PRE-TAX PROFITS (A- B +/-C +/-D +/-E) L.	1,973,941,898	L.	2,583,670,631
22) TAXES ON PROFITS FOR THE ACCOUNTING YEAR L.	1,745,429,000	L.	1,487,725,000
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23) Profit (loss) for the accounting year L.	228,512,898	L.	1,095,945,631
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These Accounts are in accordance with the accounting records.

# THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

[signatures beside all the following names:]
(Dott. Vittorio SOLBIATI)

(Avv. Francesco MOLINARI)

(Carlo LAVAZZA)

(Dott. Andrea SOLBIATI)

(Maria Leopolda SOLBIATI)

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