

**Abbreviated Accounts**  
**for the Year Ended 31 March 2010**  
**for**  
**JOHN BROOKE & SONS (HOLDINGS) LTD**

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**JOHN BROOKE & SONS (HOLDINGS) LTD**

**Company Information  
for the Year Ended 31 March 2010**

<b>DIRECTORS</b>	M R H Brooke H T J Roberts
<b>SECRETARY</b>	H T J Roberts
<b>REGISTERED OFFICE</b>	Brooke's Mill Armitage Bridge Huddersfield West Yorkshire HD4 7NR
<b>REGISTERED NUMBER</b>	00056189
<b>SENIOR STATUTORY AUDITOR</b>	V J Atkinson
<b>AUDITORS</b>	Riley & Co Limited Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditor 52 St Johns Lane Halifax West Yorkshire HX1 2BW

**Report of the Independent Auditors to  
John Brooke & Sons (Holdings) Ltd  
Under Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006**

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages three to six, together with the full financial statements of John Brooke & Sons (Holdings) Ltd for the year ended 31 March 2010 prepared under Section 396 of the Companies Act 2006

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

**Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors**

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 444 of the Companies Act 2006. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section and to report our opinion to you.

**Basis of opinion**

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 issued by the Auditing Practices Board. In accordance with that Bulletin we have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared.

**Opinion**

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 444(3) of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section.

V J Atkinson (Senior Statutory Auditor)  
for and on behalf of Riley & Co Limited  
Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditor  
52 St Johns Lane  
Halifax  
West Yorkshire  
HX1 2BW



Date 29 July 2010

**JOHN BROOKE & SONS (HOLDINGS) LTD (REGISTERED NUMBER 00056189)**

**Abbreviated Balance Sheet  
31 March 2010**


	Notes	31 3 10 £	£	31 3 09 £	£
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>					
Tangible assets	2		10,952		14,968
Investments	3		2,688,438		2,343,364
Investment property	4		3,000,000		2,500,000
			<u>5,699,390</u>		<u>4,858,332</u>
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>					
Debtors		195,022		31,030	
Investments		720,113		1,138,827	
Cash at bank and in hand		284,299		106,826	
		<u>1,199,434</u>		<u>1,276,683</u>	
<b>CREDITORS</b>					
Amounts falling due within one year		<u>139,739</u>		<u>150,558</u>	
<b>NET CURRENT ASSETS</b>			<u>1,059,695</u>		<u>1,126,125</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			<u>6,759,085</u>		<u>5,984,457</u>
<b>CREDITORS</b>					
Amounts falling due after more than one year			<u>322,550</u>		<u>322,550</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>			<u><u>6,436,535</u></u>		<u><u>5,661,907</u></u>
<b>CAPITAL AND RESERVES</b>					
Called up share capital	5		420,000		420,000
Revaluation reserve			1,815,847		1,315,847
General reserve			10,000		10,000
Capital reserve			139,362		139,362
Profit and loss account			4,051,326		3,776,698
<b>SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS</b>			<u><u>6,436,535</u></u>		<u><u>5,661,907</u></u>

The abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on its behalf by

29/7/10

and were signed on



M R H Brooke - Director

The notes form part of these abbreviated accounts

**Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts  
for the Year Ended 31 March 2010**

**1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**Basis of preparing the financial statements**

Group accounts have not been prepared as the group qualifies as medium sized

**Accounting convention**

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain assets and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

**Turnover**

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of services, excluding value added tax

**Tangible fixed assets**

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life

Plant and machinery etc	- 20% on cost and 10% on cost
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**Investment property**

Investment property is shown at most recent valuation Any aggregate surplus or deficit arising from changes in market value is transferred to a revaluation reserve

**Deferred tax**

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date

**Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits**

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme Contributions payable to the company's pension scheme are charged to the profit and loss account in the period to which they relate

**2 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS**

	Total £
<b>COST</b>	
At 1 April 2009	244,610
Additions	3,470
Disposals	(7,175)
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At 31 March 2010	240,905
<b>DEPRECIATION</b>	
At 1 April 2009	229,642
Charge for year	7,486
Eliminated on disposal	(7,175)
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At 31 March 2010	229,953
<b>NET BOOK VALUE</b>	
At 31 March 2010	<hr/> 10,952 <hr/>
At 31 March 2009	<hr/> 14,968 <hr/>

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3 FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	Investments other than loans £
<b>COST</b>	
At 1 April 2009	2,343,364
Additions	2,266,184
Disposals	(1,921,110)
At 31 March 2010	<u>2,688,438</u>
<b>NET BOOK VALUE</b>	
At 31 March 2010	<u>2,688,438</u>
At 31 March 2009	<u>2,343,364</u>

The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following

**Associated Companies**

**John Brooke and Sons Limited**

Nature of business Dormant company

	% holding		
Class of shares	100 00		
Ordinary			
		31 3 10	31 3 09
		£	£
Aggregate capital and reserves		<u>237,970</u>	<u>237,970</u>

**AB Spinning Limited**

Nature of business Dormant company

	% holding		
Class of shares	100 00		
Ordinary			
		31 3 10	31 3 09
		£	£
Aggregate capital and reserves		<u>84,580</u>	<u>84,580</u>

4 INVESTMENT PROPERTY

	Total £
<b>COST OR VALUATION</b>	
At 1 April 2009	2,500,000
Revaluations	500,000
At 31 March 2010	<u>3,000,000</u>
<b>NET BOOK VALUE</b>	
At 31 March 2010	<u>3,000,000</u>
At 31 March 2009	<u>2,500,000</u>

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5 CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Allotted, issued and fully paid Number	Class	Nominal value	31 3 10 £	31 3 09 £
12,000	Ordinary	£10	120,000	120,000
240,000	'A' Ordinary	£1	240,000	240,000
6,000	4 55% Cumulative Preference	£10	60,000	60,000
			<u>420,000</u>	<u>420,000</u>