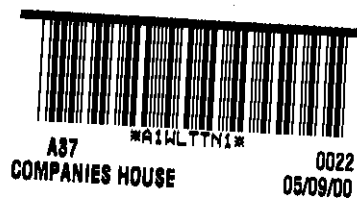


Company No. 272894

**Strongs & Bennett Limited
Report and Accounts
For the Year Ended 31 March 2000**



Strong's & Bennett Limited

Directors

R G StJ Rowlandson FCA
J K Palmer FICM F.Prof BTM MIMI

Secretary

The Finance & Industrial Trust Limited
Graham House
7 Wyllyotts Place
Potters Bar
Hertfordshire
EN6 2JD

Strong's & Bennett Limited
Report of the Directors

The Directors present their report and accounts for the year ended 31 March 2000.

Results and Business Review

The company is a dormant company within the meaning of Section 250 Companies Act 1985 and the company has not traded during the financial year under review. It is not anticipated that there will be any change in the company's dormant status.

Holding Company

The company's ultimate holding company is Hendon Central News Limited, a Company incorporated in registered in England and Wales.

Directors

The directors who held office during the year were as follows:

Mr Richard Graham St John Rowlandson

Mr John Keith Palmer

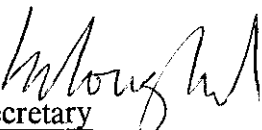
Mr John Keith Palmer retires by rotation, and being eligible, offers himself for re-election.

Auditors

The company having satisfied the provision of Section 388A Companies Act 1985, have passed a resolution not to appoint an auditor.

By Order of the Board

The Finance & Industrial Trust Limited



Secretary

Authorised Signatory

Registered Office
Graham House
7 Wyllyotts Place
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Herts
EN6 2JD

Date: 23 June 2000

Strong's & Bennett Limited
Balance Sheet
As at 31 March 2000

	2000 £	1999 £
Net Assets		
Debtors	5,180	5,180
Total Net Assets	5,180	5,180
Share Capital and Reserves:-		
Called up Share Capital:-		
Ordinary shares of £1 each	5,180	5,180
Equity shareholders' funds	5,180	5,180

The company was dormant within the meaning of Section 250 of the Companies Act 1985 throughout the year ended 31 March 2000.


R/G StJ Rowlandson
Director

Date: 23 June 2000

Strong's & Bennett Limited
Notes to the Accounts
For the year ended 31 March 2000

Accounting Policies and Basis of Preparation

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with UK statements of standard accounting practice and financial reporting standards.