STANLEY HOLT & SON LIMITED

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 1997

1997 1996 £ £

CURRENT ASSET

Due from holding company 930,000 930,000

SHARE CAPITAL

Allotted, called up and fully paid share capital 930,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each

930,000

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

1. Basis of accounting

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and comply with applicable accounting standards.

2. Share Capital

The authorised share capital of the company is 1,000,000 shares of £1 each.

3. <u>Ultimate holding company</u>

The ultimate parent company is Allied Domecq PLC, a company incorporated in Great Britain and registered in England and Wales. Allied Domecq PLC group accounts are available at 24 Portland Place, London W1N 4BB.

The company was dormant throughout the year ended 31st August, 1997, within the meaning of Section 250 of the Companies Act 1985.

Director

Approved by the Board on the 1st September, 1997

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