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IVOR HOLDINGS LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT AND ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS 31ST MARCH 1996

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AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF IVOR HOLDINGS LIMITED

PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 24 OF SCHEDULE 8 TO THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 together with the full accounts of Ivor Holdings Limited for the year ended 31st March 1996. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report was limited to confirming that the company is entitled to the exemptions claimed in the directors' statement on page 2 and that the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared from the full accounts.

In our opinion the company is entitled under Sections 246 and 247 of the Companies Act 1985 to the exemptions conferred by Section A of Part III of Schedule 8 to that Act in respect of the year ended 31st March 1996, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 have been properly prepared in accordance with that Schedule.

On 25th September 1996 we reported, as auditors of Ivor Holdings Limited, to the members on the full accounts prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31st March 1996, and our report was as follows:

"We have audited the accounts on pages 4 to 10 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 6.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

As described on page 2, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of accounts. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those accounts and to report our opinion to you.

BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the accounts. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the accounts, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the accounts are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the accounts.

OPINION

In our opinion the accounts give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31st March 1996 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies.

In our opinion the company is entitled for the year ended 31st March 1996 to the exemption conferred by Section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 from the requirement to prepare group accounts."

WEST, WAKE, PRICE & CO

Chartered Accountants and

Registered Auditors

London

25th September 1996.

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET

AT 31ST MARCH 1996

	<u>Notes</u>		<u>1996</u>	•	1995
FIXED ASSETS	•		011 404		754,120
Tangible assets	2 3		811,404 600		600
Investments	3				
			812,004		754,720
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors: amounts falling		204 200		000 000	
due within one year		304,880		272,767	
Cash at bank		1,731		12,525	
		306,611		285,292	
CREDITORS: amounts falling due					
within one year	4	686,115		633,615	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(379,504)		(348,323)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES			432,500		406,397
PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES					
Deferred taxation			22,436		20,538
			£410,064		£385,859
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	5	·	30,000		30,000
Other reserves			110,408		110,408
Profit and loss account			269,656		245,451
Shareholders' Funds			£410,064		£385,859
					
Equity interests			£386,064		£326,266
Non-equity interests			£24,000		£24,000

The directors have taken advantage of the exemptions conferred by Section A of Part III of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985 and have done so on the grounds that, in their opinion, the company is entitled to those exemptions as a small company.

The accounts on pages 2 to 5 were approved by the Board of Directors on 25th September 1996 and signed on its behalf by:

D I RAPPORT Director

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Basis of accounts

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption, conferred by Financial Reporting Standard 1, from presenting a cash flow statement as it qualifies as a small group.

(b) Consolidation

The company and its subsidiaries comprise a small group. The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemption provided by Section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts.

(c) Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost of the assets in equal annual instalments on the following basis:

Freehold and leasehold properties - None
Office equipment - 20%

(d) Deferred taxation

Provision is made for corporation tax at the rate of 33% on the excess of the net book value of fixed assets, which rank for capital allowances, over their corresponding written down value for taxation purposes.

Advance corporation tax recoverable is deducted from deferred taxation.

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2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	TOTAL
Cost:	
At 1st April 1995	770,344
Additions	92,709
Disposals	(35,000)
At 31st March 1996	£828,053
alated demonstration	-
Accumulated depreciation	16,224
At 1st April 1995	425
Charge for the year	
At 31st March 1996	£16,649
Net book value:	
At 31st March 1996	£811,404
At 31st March 1995	£754,120

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

3. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

SHARES IN

GROUP COMPANIES

Cost

At 1st April 1995 and 31st March 1996

£600

		Proportion of nominal value		
		Identity of	of issued shares held	
Name of Co	ountry of	class of	by parent	
Subsidiary re-	gistration	shares held	company	
Great Eastern				
Finance Company	England			
Limited	& Wales	Ordinary	100%	
Helwick Properties	England			
Limited	& Wales	Ordinary	100%	

At 31st March 1996, the aggregate amount of the share capital and reserves of Great Eastern Finance Company Limited amounted to £23,328 (1995: £18,014) and the profit for the year to that date was £5,314 (1995: £2,359).

At 31st March 1996, the aggregate amount of the share capital and reserves of Helwick Properties Limited amounted to £500 (1995: £500) and the result for the year to that date was \pounds - (1995: \pounds -).

4. CREDITORS

Amounts falling due within one year include the following:

Bank overdraft (a)

1996

1995

£521,619

£457,049

(a) The bank overdraft amounting to £521,619 (1995: £457,049) is secured by a charge over the company's freehold and leasehold properties.

5.	CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL	<u>1996</u>	<u>1995</u>
	Authorised, called up and fully paid: 5% (now 3.5% plus tax credit) preference shares of £1 each	24,000	24,000
	6,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	6,000	6,000
		£30,000	£30,000

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

6. TRANSACTION WITH DIRECTOR

The following director had an interest free loan during the year. The movements on this loan were as follows:

	Amount Outstanding		Maximum
	<u> 1996</u>	<u> 1995</u>	<u>in year</u>
D I Rapport	£nil	£nil	£5,000
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