DENHAY FARMS LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

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COMPANY INFORMATION

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Detailed trading and profit and loss account

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DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

The directors present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2013

Principal activities and review of the business

The principal activity of the company continued to be that of farming, cheese making and bacon curing

Fair review of the business

The company continues to concentrate on its core areas dairy farming producing milk which is used for its cheese making enterprise at Broadoak and bacon curing, slicing and packing at the Honiton factory

Principal risks and uncertainties

The company's focus is on producing high quality food products principally West Country Farmhouse Cheddar and Dry Cured Bacon

Reflecting the structure of the UK food chain, the company's main customers are predominantly high street supermarkets

The Waitrose Duchy brand our own brand label and our Spoilt Pig brand continue to do well. We have launched a new brand of sausage under the Spoilt Pig label

In June 2013 a decision was taken to cease the production of cheese and sell the milk we produce. All cheese currently in the manufacturing process will be fully matured and sold to the current customers.

The key financial highlights are as follows -

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Turnover	£10,687,880	£10,076,779	£9,101,501	£9,017,012
Gross profit margin	6 63%	8 12%	8 72%	4 17%
Profit/(loss) before tax	£193,331	£254,413	£219,535	£(285,567)

The company's principle finance instruments comprise bank balances, bank overdrafts, trade creditors, trade debtors, loans to the company and finance lease agreements. The main purpose of these instruments is to raise funds for the company's operations and to finance the company's operations.

Due to the nature of the finance instruments used by the company there is no exposure to price risk. The company's approach to managing other risks applicable to the financial instruments concerned is shown below.

In respect of bank balances the liquidity risk is managed by maintaining a balance between the continuity of funding and flexibility through the use of overdrafts at floating rates of interest

In respect of loans these comprise loans from the major shareholders and loans from financial institutions. The company manages the liquidity risk by ensuring there are sufficient funds to meet the monthly repayment and interest charges.

The company is a lessee in respect of finance leased assets. The liquidity risk in respect of these is managed in the same way as loans above.

Trade debtors are managed in respect of credit and cash flow risk by policies concerning the credit offered to customers and the regular monitoring of amounts outstanding for both time and credit limits

Trade creditors liquidity risk is managed by ensuring sufficient funds are available to meet amounts due

Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 6

The directors do not recommend the payment of any dividends for the year

Fixed assets

Details of assets acquired and disposed of are shown in the notes to the Financial Statements

No credit is taken in the Accounts for the value of the Company's Milk Quota acquired at nil value upon the original introduction of Quotas. Milk Quota purchased has or is being written off. (See Note 1.3)

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

Directors

The following directors have held office since 1 April 2012

The Rt Hon H L A Viscount Hood
J P Loescher
S J Streatfeild
G H Streatfeild
The Hon J S Hood
Mrs A C Streatfeild
S M Hill
D K Homan
D R Stacey

In accordance with the company's Articles of Association, The Rt Hon H L A Viscount Hood retires by rotation and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election

Auditors

In accordance with the company's articles, a resolution proposing that Mitchams be reappointed as auditors of the company will be put at a General Meeting

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

Directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Statement of disclosure to auditor

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware Additionally, the directors have taken all the necessary steps that they ought to have taken as directors in order to make themselves aware of all relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

On behalf of the board

J P Loescher

Director

1 October 2013

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF DENHAY FARMS LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Denhay Farms Limited for the year ended 31 March 2013 set out on pages 6 to 22. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an 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 and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on pages 1 - 3, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors, including APB Ethical Standard - Provisions Available for Small Entities (Revised), in the circumstances set out in note 24 to the financial statements.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors, and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Directors' Report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 March 2013 and of its profit for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006

Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

TO THE MEMBERS OF DENHAY FARMS LIMITED

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns, or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made, or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit

Timothy Meslellan (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of Mitchams

1 October 2013

Chartered Accountants

Statutory Auditor

1 Cornhill

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

	Notes	2013 £	2012 £
Turnover	2	10,687,880	10,076,779
Cost of sales		(9,978,869)	(9,259,908)
Gross profit		709,011	816,871
Administrative expenses		(499,011)	(519,702)
Other operating income		27,038	660
Operating profit	3	237,038	297,829
Other interest receivable and similar			
ıncome	4	7,858	5,324
Interest payable and similar charges	5	(51,565)	(48,740)
Profit on ordinary activities before			
taxation		193,331	254,413
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	6	(49,479)	(81,861)
Profit for the year	18	143,852	172,552
			

The profit and loss account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations

There are no recognised gains and losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 MARCH 2013

		20	2013		12
	-,Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Intangible assets	7		-		339
Tangible assets	8		1,826,567		1,638,282
Investments	9		46,039		46,039
			1,872,606		1,684,660
Current assets					
Stocks	10	3,173,523		2,865,582	
Debtors	11	1,806,143		1,335,855	
Cash at bank and in hand		1,637		1,774	
		4,981,303		4,203,211	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one					
year	12	(2,629,826)		(1,631,225)	
Net current assets			2,351,477		2,571,986
Total assets less current liabilities			4,224,083		4,256,646
Creditors. amounts falling due after more					
than one year	13		(552,950)		(718,305)
Provisions for liabilities	14		(32,100)		(42,500)
Accruals and deferred income	15		(7,012)		(7,672)
			3,632,021		3,488,169
Constant and accounts					
Capital and reserves	17		245 280		245 202
Called up share capital Share premium account	17		245,280 30,098		245,280
Other reserves	18 18				30,098
Profit and loss account	· · · · -		25,000		25,000
From and ioss account	18		3,331,643		3,187,791
Shareholders' funds	19		3,632,021		3,488,169

BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED)

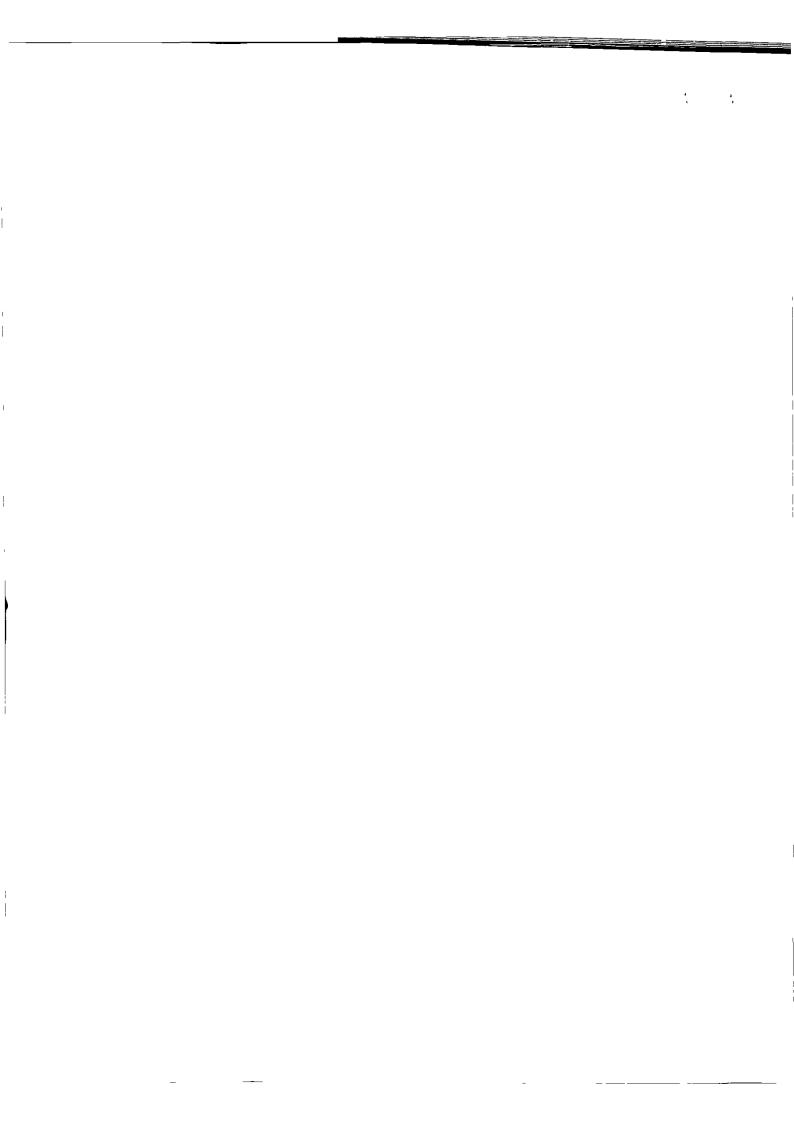
AS AT 31 MARCH 2013

Approved by the Board and authorised for issue on 1 October 2013

Director

ne Rt Han Ha A Viscount Hood

Company Registration No 00504226



CASH FLOW STATEMENT

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	£	2013 £	£	2012 £
Net cash inflow from operating activities		44,397		540,074
Returns on investments and servicing of finance				
Interest received	7,858		5,324	
Interest paid	(51,565)		(48,740)	
Net cash outflow for returns on investments and				
servicing of finance		(43,707)		(43,416)
Taxation		(77,361)		(52,587)
Capital expenditure and financial investment				
Payments to acquire intangible assets	(852)		-	
Payments to acquire tangible assets	(528,796)		(370,782)	
Payments to acquire investments	-		(708)	
Receipts from sales of tangible assets	47,180		27,200	
Net cash outflow for capital expenditure		(482,468)		(344,290)
Net cash (outflow)/inflow before management of				
liquid resources and financing		(559,139)		99,781
Financing				
New long term bank loan	(84,363)		2,187	
Other new short term loans	139,589		61,430	
Repayment of long term bank loan	(139,589)		(61,430)	
Repayment of other short term loans	(52,687)		(34,787)	
Capital element of hire purchase contracts	(73,154)		(49,221)	
Net cash outflow from financing		(210,204)		(81,821)
(Decrease)/increase in cash in the year		(769,343)		17,960

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT

Reconciliation of operating profit to net cash inflow from operating activities			
	£	£	
ng profit	237,038	297,829	
ition of tangible assets	306,957	264,086	
ation of intangible assets	1,191	2,031	
disposal of tangible assets	(13,626)	(9,055)	
in stocks	(307,941)	(140,042)	
ın debtors	(470,288)	(22,563)	
in creditors within one year	291,726	148,448	
ent on grant provision	(660)	(660)	
inflow from operating activities	44,397	540,074	
of net debt	Other non-cash changes	31 March 2013	
	£	f	
pank and in hand	-	1,637	
erdrafts	-	(976,871)	
	-	(975,234)	
oosits			
leases	-	(142,662)	
lling due within one year	-	(139,589)	
lling due after one year	-	(477,011)	
	-	(759,262)	
t .		(1,734,496)	
iation of net cash flow to movement in n	2013	2012	
	£	£	
e)/increase in cash in the year	(769,343)	17,960	
flow from decrease in debt and lease fina	57,144	48,366	
ent in net debt in the year	(712,199)	66,326	
net debt	(1,022,297)	(1,088,623)	
net debt	(1,734,496)	(1,022,297)	
movement in n		237,038 306,957 1,191 (13,626) (307,941) (470,288) 291,726 (660) 44,397 Other non-cash changes £	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention

1.2 Turnover

This represents sales in the ordinary course of the company's trade excluding VAT

1.3 Milk quota

It is the company's policy to write off milk quota over its useful life

No asset is recorded in the financial statements for the value of the company's milk quota acquired at nil value upon original introduction of quotas

1.4 Dairy Herd

The herd is treated as a fixed asset. The mature animals at the balance sheet date are kept at cost, under the rules governing the 'herd basis'.

1.5 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

No depreciation has been provided on the Livestock Herds. The remaining fixed assets have been depreciated on the following basis.

Tenants' improvements and buildings pre 2003 Tenants' improvements and buildings post 2003 Plant and machinery Computer equipment Livestock herd 20% on a reducing balance basis Over 15 years on a straight line basis 25% on a reducing balance basis Over 5 years on a straight line basis No depreciation has been provided

1.6 Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are capitalised as tangible assets and depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives. Obligations under such agreements are included in creditors net of the finance charge allocated to future periods. The finance element of the rental payment is charged to the profit and loss account so as to produce a constant periodic rate of charge on the net obligation outstanding in each period.

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight line basis over the lease term

1.7 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value

1.8 Stock and work in progress

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value

19 Pensions

The Company contributes to two defined contribution pension schemes. The assets of the schemes are held separately from those of the Company within independently administered insurance funds. Contributions in respect of these schemes are charged to the Profit and Loss Account in the year in which they are payable to the schemes. The pension charge for the period was £106,417.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

1 Accounting policies

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1.10 Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is provided in full in respect of taxation deferred by timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes

1 11 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. All differences are taken to profit and loss account.

1.12 Government grants

Grants are credited to deferred revenue. Grants towards capital expenditure are released to the profit and loss account over the expected useful life of the assets

2 Turnover

Geographical market

		Turnov	er
		2013	2012
		£	£
	United Kingdom	10,676,709	10,066,987
	Outside United Kingdom	11,171	9,792
		10,687,880	10,076,779
3	Operating profit	2013	2012
		£	£
	Operating profit is stated after charging		
	Amortisation of intangible assets	1,191	2,031
	Depreciation of tangible assets	306,957	264,086
	Loss on foreign exchange transactions	15	314
	Operating lease rentals	60,000	60,000
	Auditors' remuneration (including expenses and benefits in kind)	13,260	13,240
	and after crediting		
	Government grants	660	660
	Profit on disposal of tangible assets	(13,626)	(9,055)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

4	Investment income	2013	2012
		£	£
	Other interest	7,858 	5,324
5	Interest payable	2013	2012
	interest payable	£	£
	On loans and overdrafts	40,628	46,188
	Hire purchase interest	2,687	2,552
	Other interest	8,250	-
		51,565	48,740
6	Taxation	2013	2012
		£	£
	Domestic current year tax		
	U K corporation tax	59,879	77,361
	Total current tax	59,879	77,361
	Deferred tax		
	Deferred tax charge/credit current year	(10,400)	4,500
		49,479	81,861
	Factors affecting the tax charge for the year		
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	193,331	254,413
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation multiplied by standard rate of UK		
	corporation tax of 20 00% (2012 - 21 30%)	38,666	54,190
	Effects of		
	Non deductible expenses	30	64
	Depreciation add back	58,666	54,322
	Capital allowances	(37,483)	(31,215)
		21,213	23,171
	Current tax charge for the year	59,879	77,361

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

7	Intangible fixed assets	
		Mılk quota
		£
	Cost	
	At 1 April 2012	463,471
	Additions	852
	At 31 March 2013	464,323
	Depreciation	-
	At 1 April 2012	463,132
	Charge for the year	1,191
	At 31 March 2013	464,323
	Net book value	
	At 31 March 2013	
	At 31 March 2012	339

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

Total	estock herd	ComputerLive equipment	Plant and machinery	Tenants' improvements and buildings	
£	£	£	£	£	
					Cost
7,204,130	426,204	54,269	4,990,516	1,733,141	At 1 April 2012
528,796	-	4,343	366,206	158,247	Additions
(106,139)	(65)		(106,074)	-	Disposals
7,626,787	426,139	58,612	5,250,648	1,891,388	At 31 March 2013
					Depreciation
5,565,848	-	8,013	4,239,229	1,318,606	At 1 April 2012
(72,585)	-	-	(72,585)	•	On disposals
306,957		14,857	237,715	54,385	Charge for the year
5,800,220		22,870	4,404,359	1,372,991	At 31 March 2013
					Net book value
1,826,567	426,139	35,742	846,289	518,397	At 31 March 2013
1,638,282	426,204	46,256	751,287	414,535	At 31 March 2012

Included above are assets held under finance leases or hire purchase contracts as follows

	Plant and machinery £
Net book values	
At 31 March 2013	270,832
At 31 March 2012	121,556
Depreciation charge for the year	
At 31 March 2013	71,376
At 31 March 2012	41,684

The livestock herd for tax purposes is recorded under the herd basis procedure and is thus recorded in the balance sheet at historic cost of the original cows. This is not necessarily representative of the correct cost of the present herd. Current cost is in excess of the figure

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

9	Investments	2013 £	2012 £
	Unlisted trade investments at cost	46,039	46,039 ——
	<u>Being</u>		
	i) 3765NMR Ltd ordinary shares		
	ii) 15Mole Valley Farmers Ltd		
	iii) 1Farmhouse Cheesemakers Ltd ordinary	shares	
	iv) 22738Milk Link Ltd qualifying loan		
	v) 4271Milk Link Ltd non qualifying loan		
10	Stocks and work in progress	2013 £	2012 £
	Livestock	213,210	214,470
	Dairy and other produce	2,567,589	2,293,619
	Deadstock	392,724	357,493
		3,173,523	2,865,582
11	Debtors	2013	2012
		£	£
	Trade debtors	1,457,413	1,225,296
	Other debtors	233,029	66,040
	Prepayments and accrued income	115,701	44,519
		1,806,143	1,335,855

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

12	Creditors, amounts falling due within one year	2013	2012
		£	£
	Bank loans and overdrafts	1,116,460	260,352
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts	66,723	45,414
	Trade creditors	762,012	708,919
	Corporation tax	59,879	77,361
	Other taxes and social security costs	43,993	46,113
	Directors' current accounts	341,299	330,000
	Accruals and deferred income	239,460	163,066
		2,629,826	1,631,225
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The Barclays Bank overdraft and loans are secured by a mortgage debenture for all monies due to the Bank in the form of a fixed and floating charge over the current and future assets of the Company Further security is provided by Penntrust Limited, being the trustees of the Hood 1958 Settlement, in the form of a first charge on Land at Meerhay The Clydesdale Bank Loan Account is secured on land owned by S. J. Streatfeild. The Chattels Mortgage with Clydesdale Bank is secured specifically on the Processing Machinery at Honiton. Obligations under hire purchase contracts are secured on the asset to which they relate

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

13	Creditors. amounts falling due after more than one year	2013	2012
		£	£
	Bank loans	464,511	688,463
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts	75,939	17,342
	Preference shares classed as a financial liability	12,500	12,500
		552,950	718,305
			
	Analysis of loans		
	Not wholly repayable within five years by instalments		
	Bank Loans		741,150
	Wholly repayable within five years	604,100	
		604,100	741,150
	Included in current liabilities	(139,589)	(52,687)
		464,511	688,463
	Instalments not due within five years	-	43,199
	Loop materials and so		
	Loan maturity analysis In more than one year but not more than two years	145,220	53,565
	In more than two years but not more than five years	319,291	591,699
	In more than five years	-	43,199
			
	Preference shares classified as financial liabilities		
	In more than five years	12,500 ========	12,500
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts		
	Repayable within one year	66,723	45,414
	Repayable between one and five years	75,939 ———	17,342
		142,662	62,756
	Included in liabilities falling due within one year	(66,723)	(45,414)
		75,939	17,342
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

	Provisions for liabilities		Deferred tax liability £
	Balance at 1 April 2012 Profit and loss account		42,500 (10,400)
	Balance at 31 March 2013		32,100
	The deferred tax liability is made up as follows		
		2013 £	2012 1
	Accelerated capital allowances	32,100	42,500
15	Accruals and deferred income		
			Governmen grants
	Balance at 1 April 2012 Amortisation in the year		7,672 (660
	Balance at 31 March 2013		7,012
16	Pension and other post-retirement benefit commitments Defined contribution		
		2013 £	2012 £
	Contributions payable by the company for the year	106,417	95,309 =
17	Share capital	2013 £	201 3
	Allotted, called up and fully paid 245,280 Ordinary Shares of £1 each	245,280	245,280

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

18	Statement of movements on reserves			
		Share premium	Other reserves	Profit and loss
		account	(see below)	account
		£	£	£
	Balance at 1 April 2012	30,098	25,000	3,187,791
	Profit for the year			143,852
	Balance at 31 March 2013	30,098	25,000	3,331,643
	Other reserves			
	Capital redemption reserve			
	Balance at 1 April 2012 & at 31 March 2013		25,000	
19	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds		2013	2012
			£	£
	Profit for the financial year		143,852	172,552
	Opening shareholders' funds		3,488,169	3,315,617
	Closing shareholders' funds		3,632,021	3,488,169

Financial commitments

At 31 March 2013 the company was committed to making the following payments under non-cancellable operating leases in the year 31 March 2014

	Land	Land and buildings	
	2013	2012	
	£	£	
Operating leases which expire			
In over five years	60,000	60,000	
			

21 Capital commitments

The Company has not committed to any major capital expenditure at the 31st March 2013

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

22	Directors' remuneration	2013 £	2012 £
	Remuneration for qualifying services Company pension contributions to defined contribution schemes	181,873 52,980	248,942 53,160
		234,853	302,102

The number of directors for whom retirement benefits are accruing under defined contribution schemes amounted to 2 (2012 - 4)

23 Employees

Number of employees

The average monthly number of employees (including directors) during the year was

	2013 Number	2012 Number
Administration	10	12
Other	77	70
	87	82
Employment costs	2013	2012
	£	£
Wages and salaries	1,891,309	1,879,230
Social security costs	149,274	167,220
Other pension costs	106,417	95,309
	2,147,000	2,141,759
		

24 Auditors' Ethical Standards

In common with many businesses of our size and nature we use our auditors to prepare and submit returns to the tax authorities and assist with the preparation of the financial statements

25 Control

The Company is controlled by Penntrust Limited who are the Trustees of the Hood 1958 Settlement

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26 Related party relationships and transactions

Loans to directors

Transactions in relation to loans with directors during the year are outlined in the table below

Description	% Rate	Opening Balance £	Amounts Advanced £	Interest Charged £	Amounts Repaid £	Closing Balance £
The Rt Hon H L A Viscount Hood	-	2,928	2,277	-	-	5,205
S J Streatfeild	-	<u> </u>	451	-	-	451
		2,928	2,728	-	-	5,656

Other transactions

Rents paid by the Company during the year to Related Parties for Land used by the Company were, G H Streatfeild £23,021, S J Streatfeild £8,390 and Penntrust Limited as trustees of the Hood 1958 Settlement £45,557

G H Streatfeild (director) had a loan balance at 1st April 2012 of £230,000. The balance of this loan at 31st March 2013 was £230,392. Interest is charged on this loan at the same rate as the Bank charge for the Company overdraft.

The Penntrust Limited as trutees of the Hood 1958 Settlement had a loan balance at 1st April 2012 of £100,000. The balance of this loan at 31st March 2013 was £101,907. Interest is charged on this loan at the same rate as the Bank charge for the Company overdraft.

These loans are unsecured In addition to this S J Streatfeild has provided security for the Clydesdale Bank Loan Account of £270,000