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WILLIAM CLARKE (GREENGROCERS) LIMITED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

4 APRIL 1994

HAMILTON-BURKE DUFAU
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
LIVERPOOL



FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 4 APRIL 1994

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Detailed trading and profit and loss account

Appendix 1

DIRECTORS' REPORT

4 APRIL 1994

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 4 April 1994.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company is that of wholesale fruit and vegetable merchants.

Business review

The company's balance sheet as detailed on page 4 shows a satisfactory position, shareholders' funds amounting to £8,967.

Profit, dividends and appropriations

The results for the year are shown in the profit and loss account on page 3. The directors do not propose payment of an ordinary dividend, the profit for the year is to be transferred to reserves.

Fixed assets

Changes in fixed assets during the year are set out in note 3 to the accounts.

Directors

The directors of the company during the year and their interests in the shares of the company as recorded in the register of directors' interests were as follows

| | 4 April 1994 Ordinary . shares | 4 April 1993 Ordinary shares |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| P J Middlehurst - Chairman | 999 | 999 |
| Mrs M Middlehurst | 1 === | 1 |

In accordance with the Articles of Association, Mrs M Middlehurst retires by rotation and offers herself for re-election.

Reporting Accountants

The directors consider that for the year ended 4 April 1994 the company was entitled to exemption from a statutory audit under section 249A of the Companies Act 1985. Under the provisions of the Act, the directors have appointed Hamilton-Burke Dufau as Reporting Accountants. Their report is shown on page 2 of the financial statements.

Small company exemptions

Advantage has been taken in the preparation of this report of special exemptions applicable to small companies.

On behalf of the board

Mrs M Middlehurst

Secretary

Gladstone House 2 Church Road Liverpool L15 9EG

25 April 1995

ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Accountants' report to the members on the unaudited financial statements of William Clarke (Greengrocers) Limited

We report on the financial statements for the year ended 4 April 1994 set out on pages 3 to 7.

Respective responsibilities of directors and reporting accountants
As described on page 4a the company's directors are responsible for the
preparation of the financial statements, and they consider that the company is
exempt from an audit. It is our responsibility to carry out procedures designed
to enable us to report our opinion.

Basis of opinion

Our work was conducted in accordance with the Statement of Standards for Reporting Accountants, and so our procedures consisted of comparing the financial statements with the accounting records kept by the company, and making such limited enquiries of the officers of the company as we considered necessary for the purposes of this report. These procedures provide only the assurance expressed in our opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion:

- (a) the financial statements are in agreement with the accounting records kept by the company under section 221 of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) having regard only to, and on the basis of, the information contained in those accounting records:
 - the financial statements have been drawn up in a manner consistent with the accounting requirements specified in section 249C(6) of the Act; and
 - (ii) the company satisfied the conditions for exemption from an audit of the financial statements for the year specified in section 249A(4) of the Act and did not, at any time within that year, fall within any of the categories of companies not entitled to the exemption specified in section 249B(1).

25 April 1995

Liverpool

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Hamilton-Burke Dufau Reporting Accountants

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 4 APRIL 1994

| | Note | 1994 £ | 1993 £ |
|---|------|------------------|------------------|
| Turnover | 1 | 127,109 | 138,775 |
| Cost of sales | | (99,195) | (107,662) |
| Gross profit | | 27,914 | 31,113 |
| Net operating expenses | | | |
| Administrative expenses | | (20,470) | (22,317) |
| Operating profit | 2 | 7,444 | 8,796 |
| Investment income | | 95 | 267 |
| Profit on ordinary activities before taxation | | 7,539 | 9,063 |
| Taxation | | (1,359) | (811) |
| Profit retained for the financial year | 8 | £ 6,180 | £ 8,252 |

Movements in reserves are shown in note 8.

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the above two financial years.

There are no recognised gains and losses in 1994 or 1993 other than the profit for the year.

BALANCE SHEET

AT 4 APRIL 1994

| | | 1994 | | 1993 | |
|--------------------------------------|------|----------|-------|----------|-------------|
| | Note | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Fixed assets | | | | | |
| Tangible assets | 3 | | 2,159 | | 2,854 |
| Current assets | | | | | |
| Stocks | 4 | 186 | | 217 | |
| Debtors | 5 | 20,747 | | 13,285 | |
| Cash at bank and in hand | | 6,352 | | 6,984 | |
| | | 27,285 | | 20,486 | |
| Creditors: amounts falling due | | | | | |
| within one year | 6 | (20,477) | | (20,553) | |
| Net current assets/(liabilities) | | | 6,808 | _ | (67) |
| Total assets less current liabilitie | es | | 8,967 | | 2,787 |
| Carital and warmen | | | | _ | |
| Capital and reserves | | • | | | |
| Called up share capital | 7 | | 1,000 | | 1,000 |
| Profit and loss account | 8 | • | 7,967 | | 1,787 |
| Total shareholders' funds | | | 8,967 | | 2,787 |
| | | = | | = | |

continued

BALANCE SHEET

(continued)

AT 4 APRIL 1994

The directors consider that for the year ended 4 April 1994 the company was entitled to exemption under subsection 2 of section 249A of the Companies Act 1985. No member or members have deposited a notice requesting an audit for the current financial year under subsection 2 of section 249B of the Act.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Companies Act 1985 and preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements on pages 3 to 7 were approved by the board of directors on 25 April 1995

P J Middlehurst

Directors

Mre M Middlehurst

NOTES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

4 APRIL 1994

1 Accounting policies

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost accounting rules.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement conferred by Financial Reporting Standard No. 1 on the grounds that it is entitled to the exemptions available in Section 246 to 247 of the Companies Act 1985 for small companies.

Depreciation

Depreciation of fixed assets is calculated to write off their cost or valuation less any residual value over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Motor vehicles Fixtures and fittings 25% reducing balance 10% reducing balance

Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is computed on a first in first out basis. Net realisable value is based on estimated selling price less the estimated cost of disposal.

Finance leases and hire purchase contracts

Tangible fixed assets acquired under finance leases and hire purchase contracts are capitalised at the estimated fair value at the date of inception of each lease or contract. The total finance charges are allocated over the period of the lease in accordance with the straight line method.

Pensions

Defined contribution scheme

Contributions are charged to the profit and loss account as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the scheme.

2 Operating profit

| operating profits | 1994 | 1993 |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| | £ | £ |
| Operating profit is stated after charging | | |
| Directors emoluments | 8,000 | 8,000 |
| Other pension costs | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Auditors' remuneration | - | 2,200 |
| | | |
| Depreciation of tangible fixed assets | | |
| (note 3) | 13 | 14 |
| -owned assets | 682 | 909 |
| -assets held under finance lease | | |
| | 695 | 923 |
| | | |

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3 Tangible fixed assets

| | Motor Vehicles | Fixtures and Equipment | Total |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| Cost or valuation | £ | £ | £ |
| 5 April 1993 and 4 April 1994 | 11,497 | 400 | 11,897 |
| Depreciation | | | |
| 5 April 1993 Charge for the year | 8,769 682 | 274 13 | 9,043 695 |
| 4 April 1994 | 9,451 | 287 | 9,738 |
| Net book amount | | | |
| 4 April 1994 | 2,046 | 113 | 2,159 |

The net book amount of fixed assets includes £2046 (1993 £2728) in respect of assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts.

| 4 | Sto | cks |
|---|-----|-----|
|---|-----|-----|

| 4 | Stocks . | 1994 £ | 1993 £. |
|---|--|---------------|-----------------|
| | Finished goods | 186 | 217 |
| | | 186 | 217 |
| 5 | Debtors | | |
| | | 1994 £ | 1993 £ |
| | Amounts falling due within one year | | |
| | Trade debtors | 19,390 990 | 11,989 1,061 |
| | Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income | 367 | 235 |
| | · | 20,747 | 13,285 |
| 6 | | | |
| | within one year | 1994 £ | 1993 £ |
| | Trade creditors | 8,907 | 5,155 |
| | Other taxation and social security | 890 | 5,094 |
| | Other creditors | 6,711 | 5,019 |
| | Accruals and deferred income | 3,969 | 5,285 |
| | | 20,477 | 20,553 |
| | | | |

NOTES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

4 APRIL 1994

| 7 | Called up share capital | 1994 | | 1993 | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|-----------|--|
| | | Number of | , , , , | Number of | | |
| | | shares | £ | shares | £ | |
| | Authorised | | | | | |
| | Ordinary shares of £1 each | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | |
| | Allotted called up and fully paid | | | | | |
| | Ordinary shares of £1 each | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | |
| 8 | Profit and loss account | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1994 £ | |
| | 5 April 1993 | | | | 1,787 | |
| | Retained profit for the year | | | | 6,180 | |
| | 4 April 1994 | | | | 7,967 | |