Company Number: 753964

BRITISH AEROSPACE PENSION FUNDS TRUSTEES LIMITED

ANNUAL REPORT AND ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1997



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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors present their report for the year ended 31st December 1997.

Activities

The Company has not traded during the year, and was dormant under section 250 of the Companies Act 1985.

On 30th March 1979, the Company was appointed Trustee of the British Aerospace Pension Scheme and since then it has acted in that capacity.

Directors

The following individuals have been Directors of the Company since 1st January, 1997:

Holding Office under Article 79(A)(i)

Mr. A.E. Dean

Mr. D. Goodenough

Mr. R.H.B. Hart

Mr. F. Hilton

Mr. J. Keeble

Mr. B.P. Pemberton

Mr. T. Royle

Holding Office under Article 79(A)(ii)

Mr. C.R. Dickson

Mr. D.W. Griffiths

(resigned 4.9.97)

Mr. R.D. Lapthorne

Mr. T.K. Morgan

(appointed 4.9.97)

Mr. T. Nicholson

Mr. P. Riley

Mr. K. Smith

Miss H.J. Turner

During 1997 Mr. T.K. Morgan was appointed to the Board of Directors and Mr. D.W. Griffiths resigned. None of the Directors are due to retire from the Board under the provisions of the Company's Articles of Association.

None of the Directors has (or has had) any beneficial interest in the share capital of the Company,

(or any subsidiary company of the British Aerospace group of companies). The Directors interests in the share capital of the Company's ultimate holding company, British Aerospace Public Limited Company, were as follows:

	Ord. Sha	res of 10p	Share Options			
Directors	1.1.97*	31.12.97*	1.1.97*	Exercised	Granted	31.12.97*
A.E. Dean	-	-	_	-	-	-
C.R. Dickson	_	416	24359	841	1866	25384
D. Goodenough	-		_	-	•	-
R.H.B. Hart	290	-	661	331	191	521
F. Hilton	928	1000	883	612	-	271
J. Keeble	-	-	_	-	-	
R.D. Lapthorne	225517	209017	108815	25,000	-	83815
T.K. Morgan	2340	13085	83340	-	-	83340
T. Nicholson	1508	3381	56639	739	1416	57316
B.P. Pemberton	-	-	233	~	-	233
P. Riley	14572	15202	2093	458	270	1905
T. Royle	34	1	2654	993	-	1661
K. Smith	-	5271	18813	993	2096	19916
H.J. Turner	-	-	13819	-	529	14348

^{*} or later date of appointment or earlier date of resignation.

Conditional Grants of Shares

Directors	1.1.97*	Granted	31.12.97*
R.D. Lapthorne	22,940	14,851	37,791
T.K. Morgan	14702	-	14702
T. Nicholson	8075	5077	13152
K. Smith	9085	5712	14797

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

D.S. PARKES Secretary

BRITISH AEROSPACE PENSION FUNDS TRUSTEES LIMITED

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 1997

	<u>1997</u>	<u>1996</u>
Amounts owed by group companies (Note 4)	£ 1,000	£ 1,000
Financed by:		
Share Capital		
Authorised, issued and fully paid: Ordinary Shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000

These accounts were approved by the Board of Directors on 2nd Sptember 1998.

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

Director

The notes on page 5 form part of these accounts.

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

1. Accounting Policies

Balance Sheet

All items are stated in the accounts under the historical cost convention.

Profit and Loss Account

The Company has not traded during the accounting period, has received no income and incurred no expenditure, and consequently has made neither a profit nor a loss. A profit and loss account has therefore not been prepared.

2. Ultimate Holding Company

The ultimate holding company is British Aerospace Public Limited Company, a company incorporated in Great Britain, and registered in England.

3. Directors' Emoluments

No Director received any emoluments from the Company during the year.

4. Amount Owed by Group Companies

The amount owed by group companies is in respect of a loan to British Aerospace Public Limited Company. The loan bears no interest and is repayable on demand.