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COMPANIES FORM NO. 88(2) (Rev 1988) Return of allotments of shares

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Pursuant to section 88(2) of the Companies Act 1985 (the Act)

To the Registrar of Companies (address overleaf)
(see note 1)

(REVISED 1988)

**This form replaces forms
PUC2, PUC3 and 88(2)**Company
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preferably in black type, or
bold block lettering

1 Name of company

N BROWN GROUP PLC

* Insert full name
of company

2. This section must be completed for all allotments

fDescription of shares	ORDINARY		
A Number allotted	5,692		
B Nominal value of each	£0.10		
C Total amount (if any) paid or due and payable on each share (including premium if any)	£2.66		

fDistinguish
between
ordinary
preference, etc

Date(s) on which the shares were allotted

(a) [on 11TH DECEMBER 1998] § or

(b) [from _____ 19____ to _____ 19____] §

The names and addresses of the allottees and the number of shares allotted to each should be given
overleaf.§. Complete
(a) or (b) as
appropriate3. If the allotment is wholly or partly other than for cash the following information must be given
(see notes 2 & 3)

D Extent to which each share is to be treated as paid up Please use percentage			
E Consideration for which the shares were allotted			

Note

1. This form should be delivered to the Registrar of Companies within one month of the (first) date of allotment.
2. If the allotment is wholly or partly other than for cash, the company must deliver to the Registrar a return containing the information at D & E. The company may deliver this information by completing D & E and the delivery of the information must be accompanied by the duly stamped contract required by section 88(2) (b) of the Act or by the duly stamped prescribed particulars required by section 88(3) (Form No 88(3)).
3. Details of bonus issues should be included only in section 2.

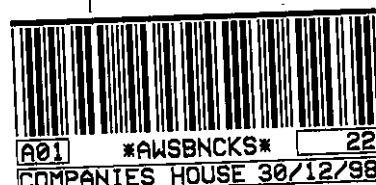
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(if any):

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4. Names and addresses of the allottees

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Names and Addresses	Number of shares allotted		
		Preference	Other
N BROWN GROUP QUEST TRUSTEE LIMITED 53 DALE STREET MANCHESTER M60 6ES	5,692		
Total:-	5,692		

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in black type, or
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Where the space given in this form is inadequate, continuation
sheets should be used and the number of sheets attached should
be indicated in the box opposite:

**Insert Director, Secretary
Administrator
Administrative Receiver, or
Receiver (Scotland)
as appropriate

Signed P. C. Designation** SECRETARY

Date 22/12/98

Companies registered in England and Wales
or Wales should deliver this form to:

The Registrar of Companies
Companies House
Crown Way
Cardiff
CF4 3UZ

Companies Registered in Scotland
should deliver this form to:

The Registrar of Companies
Companies House
100-102 George Street
Edinburgh
EH2 3D