REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

31 DECEMBER 1995



40 Church Street Staines Middlesex TW18 4EP

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors submit their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 1995.

1. PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND BUSINESS REVIEW

Tozer Kemsley and Millbourn Automotive Limited ("the Company") is an investment holding company and owns subsidiaries and interests in associated companies (based both in the United Kingdom and overseas) whose activities primarily relate to automotive retailing, distribution and associated services. A list of principal subsidiary and associated undertakings is set out on page 8.

2. ACQUISITIONS AND INVESTMENTS

On 24 March 1995 the Company acquired Inchcape Motors (Switzerland) SA from a fellow subsidiary for £9,190,119.

On 19 December 1995 the Company subscribed for preference shares in its existing subsidiary, Inchcape France S.A. for £91,059,312

3. RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The results for the year are disclosed in the profit and loss account on page 5. The Company has paid or proposed dividends amounting to £39,753,000 (1994: £30,070,000) during the year.

4. DIRECTORS AND DIRECTORS' INTERESTS

The names of the present Directors of the Company and those who held office during the year are as follows:

Mr J M H Light	Appointed 20 June 1995
Mr A M Ferguson	Appointed 20 November 1995
Mr I D Allen	Resigned 20 November 1995
Mr L C J Taylor	Resigned 20 June 1995

The Company's Articles of Association do not require Directors to retire by rotation.

No Director during the year, or at the end of the year, had any material interest in any contract of significance to the business of the Company or its subsidiaries.

None of the Directors holds any shares in the Company.

The interests of the other Directors in office at 31 December 1995 in the Ordinary 25p share capital of Inchcape plc are set out in the table below:

		9	Ordinary share	es of 25p each			
		At 1 January 1995 (or date of appointment)		Granted during the year		<u>At 31 December 1995</u>	
JMH Light	Shares	Options to subscribe for shares 48,300 (b)	<u>Shares</u>	Options to subscribe for shares	<u>Shares</u>	Options to subscribe for shares 48,300	
A M Ferguson	2,630	5,804 (a) 54,234 (b)	66	- -	2,696	5,804 54,234	

- (a) Under the Inchcape SAYE Share Option Scheme
- (b) Under the Inchcape Executive Share Option Scheme

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS (continued)

5. AUDITORS

In accordance with Section 384 of the Companies Act 1986, a resolution will be put to the Annual General Meeting proposing the re-appointment of Coopers & Lybrand as auditors to the Company, and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

J.M.H. bight Secretary

8 July 1996

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE PREPARATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Directors are required by law to prepare financial statements for the financial year 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 the profit for that period. The financial statements must be prepared in compliance with the required formats and disclosures of the Companies Act 1985 and with applicable Accounting Standards. The Directors are additionally responsible for maintaining adequate accounting records, for safeguarding the assets of the Company, and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities. The Directors confirm, in respect of the preparation of the financial statements, that:

- · they have been prepared on a going concern basis,
- suitable accounting policies, consistently applied and supported by reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates, have been used; and
- applicable Accounting Standards have been followed.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF TOZER KEMSLEY AND MILLBOURN AUTOMOTIVE LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 10.

Respective Responsibilities of Directors and Auditors

As described on page 3, the Company's Directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those financial statements 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 financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the Directors in the preparation of the financial statements, 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 financial statements 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 financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at 31 December 1995 and of the profit for the year then ended, and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

COOPERS & LYBRAND

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

Coopers Lybrard

London

July 1996

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995

	Notes	1995 £000	1994 £000
Dividends received from group companies		46,627	30,070
Provision against investment in subsidiaries		(9,287)	-
Profit on ordinary activities before interest	2	37,340	30,070
Net interest receivable / (payable)	3	1,347	(24)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		38,687	30,046
Taxation	4	(443)	<u>(81</u>)
Profit for the financial year		38,244	29,965
Dividends paid to holding company		(39,753)	(30,070)
Retained (loss) for the financial year		(1,509)	(105)
Balance brought forward - 1 January		<u>5,551</u>	<u>5,656</u>
Balance carried forward - 31 December		4.042	<u> 5,551</u>

There were no discontinued activities during the year.

The Company has no recognised gains or losses other than as presented in the Profit and Loss Account and thus a Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses is not required.

There is no difference between the profit on ordinary activities before taxation and the retained loss for the year stated above, and their historical cost equivalents.

The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET

AT 31 DECEMBER 1995

	Notes	1995 £000	1994 £000
Fixed Assets Investments	5	<u>165,619</u>	<u>74,656</u>
Current Assets Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	6	45,183 7,755 52,938	39,117 <u>429</u> 39,546
Current Liabilities Creditors - amounts falling due within one year	7	<u>122,506</u>	<u>107,701</u>
Net Current Liabilities		(69,568)	(68,155)
Total Assets less Current Liabilities		96,051	6,501
FINANCED BY:			
Capital and Reserves	•	40 	0.50
Called up share capital Share premium account	8 9	13,775 78,234	950 -
Profit and loss account		4,042	<u>5,551</u>
Equity Shareholders' Funds	10	96,051	6,501

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

A.M. Ferguson Director

8 July 1996

The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1995

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards. The principal accounting policies of the Company are described below.

Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost basis and in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Group accounts

In accordance with the exemption permitted by Section 228 of the Companies Act 1985 no group financial statements have been prepared.

Fixed asset investments

Investments held as fixed assets are stated at cost less provision for permanent diminution in value.

Overseas currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are converted into sterling at the rates ruling on 31 December 1995 or forward contract rates, where appropriate.

Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is accounted for under the liability method, to the extent that it is probable that a liability will crystallise in the future.

2. PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE INTEREST

None of the Directors received any remuneration for services rendered to the Company (1994:nil).

Auditors remuneration has been borne by the parent company (1994:nil).

3.	INTEREST	1995	1994
		£000	£000
	Interest receivable from group companies	2,354	1,533
	Interest payable to group companies	(1,146)	(1,544)
	Other interest receivable	139	7
	Other interest payable		_(20)
		1,347	(24)
4.	TAXATION		
	The taxation credit / (charge) based on the results for the year is made up as follows:		
	UK Corporation tax at 33% (1994:33%)	(21,088)	49
	Double tax relief	20,921	_
		(167)	49
	Overseas tax	(236)	(130)
		(403)	(81)
	Deferred tax	<u>(40</u>)	<u></u>
		(443)	(81)
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	Deferred tax is provided in the accounts as follows:		
	Accelerated capital allowances	_	_
	Short term timing differences	<u>40</u>	-
		40	

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (Continued)

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5.	FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS	Investments in	Loans to	
		Subsidiary	Subsidiary	
		Undertakings	Undertakings	Total
		£000	£000	£000
	Cost:	2000	2000	2000
	At 1 January 1995	74,656	1	74 (57
	Additions	•	1	74,657
		<u>100,250</u>		<u>100,250</u>
	At 31 December 1995	174,906	1	174,907
				
	Amounts provided for:			
	At 1 January 1995 and 31 December 1995	(1)	-	(1)
	Charged to profit and loss	(<u>9,287)</u>	-	(<u>9,287</u>)
	At 31 December 1995	(9,288)		(9,288)
			====	====
	Net Book value:			
	At 31 December 1995	165,618	1	165,619
			==	103,017
	At 31 December 1994	74,655	1	74,656
			1	77,000
				

Principal subsidiary and associated undertakings are listed below. Unless otherwise shown, the capital of each company is wholly owned and is in ordinary shares, and the principal country of operation is the country of incorporation. Where a company is not wholly owned, the percentage of the capital held is shown in brackets.

Country of

			Incorporation
*	Inchcape France S.A.	(£91.1m preference (100%); £18.7m ordinary (100%))	France
	Inchcape Automobiles S.A.		France
	Inchcape Shipping Services S.A.		France
	Gellatly France S.A.		France
	Marseille Liner Agency S.A.		France
	Tozer Kemsley & Millbourn Holding Fran	ce S.A	France
	Angers Motors S.A.		France
	n.v. Autoproducts S.A.		Belgium
	France Motors SARL	(95%)	France
	Stewart & Ardern S.A.		France
	Kennings S.A.		France
*	Deepsoval Services Limited		England
*	Tozer International Holdings Limited	(90%)	England
*	Inchcape Motors (Australia) Limited (formerl	y Tozer (91%)	Australia
	Kemsley & Millbourn Automotive (Australia)	Limited)	
	Ateco Holdings Limited		Australia
	Maranello Concessionaires (Australia) Pty	Limited	Australia
#	Subaru (Aust) Pty. Limited		Australia
	TKM Automotive Australia Pty. Limited	'	Australia
*	Nexus Corporation Limited		England
	Automotive Group Limited	(40%)	England
	The Cooper Group Limited		England
	Tozer Kemsley & Millbourn Automotive (1	reland) Limited	Ireland
	MCL Group Limited	(40%)	England
	Wadham Kenning Motor Group Limited		England
*	Tozer Kemsley & Millbourn Finland Oy		Finland
	Haka-Auto Oy		Finland
*	Daewoo Auto Import (Suisse) SA		Switzerland
*	Inchcape Autos Conthey SA		Switzerland
*	Inchcape Motors (Switzerland) SA		Switzerland

- * Indicates that shares in the company are directly owned by Tozer Kemsley and Millbourn Automotive Limited
- # This company operates in both Australia and New Zealand.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (Continued)

6.	DEBTORS	1995 £000	1994 £000
	Due from subsidiary undertakings Recoverable taxation Interest receivable ACT recoverable	35,483 - 121 <u>9,579</u> 45,183	39,061 49 7
7.	CREDITORS - amounts falling due within one year		
	Due to holding company Corporation tax payable Deferred tax Due to subsidiary undertakings Due to fellow subsidiary undertakings ACT payable	112,720 167 40 - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	86,402 - - 1 21,298 - - 107,701
8.	SHARE CAPITAL		
	Ordinary shares of £1 each: Authorised	20,000	1,000
	Issued and fully paid	13,775	950

On 19 December 1995 the Company increased its authorised share capital by the creation of 19,000,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each. On the same date 12,825,255 Ordinary Shares of £1 each were issued to the immediate holding company, Inchcape Motors International plc, to finance the additional investment in Inchcape France S.A.

9. SHARE PREMIUM ACCOUNT

At 1 January 1995	_	
On shares issued during the year	<u>78,234</u>	
At 31 December 1995	78,234	
10. RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUND	os	
Profit for the financial year	38,244	29,965
Dividends paid	(39,753)	(30,070)
Share Capital Issued	91,059	
Net increase/(decrease) in Shareholders' funds	89,550	(105)
Opening Shareholders' funds	6,501	6,606
Closing Shareholders' funds	96,051	6,501

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (Continued)

11. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Company is party to composite cross guarantees between banks, its ultimate parent company and fellow subsidiaries. The Company's contingent liability under these guarantees at 31 December 1995 was £7,755,247 (1994:£428,508).

12. CASH FLOW STATEMENT

A cash flow statement is not required as Inchcape plc, the Company's ultimate holding company, has complied with Financial Reporting Standard 1 by including a consolidated cash flow statement in its Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 December 1995.

13. ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY

The Directors regard the ultimate holding company as Inchcape plc which is incorporated in Great Britain.

The largest and the smallest group of which the Company is a member and for which Group Financial Statements are drawn up is that of Inchcape plc which is registered in England. Copies of the Report and Financial Statements of that company are available from:

The Company Secretary Inchcape plc St James's House 23 King Street London SW1Y 6QY