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LOVEDEN ESTATES LIMITED

ABBREVIATED AUDITED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MAY 2010

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COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MAY 2010

DIRECTORS

N D S Brown D G Padley J F S Brown

SECRETARY

J F S Brown

REGISTERED OFFICE

The Old Rectory

Fulbeck Grantham Lincolnshire NG32 3JS

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SENIOR STATUTORY

AUDITOR

Michael Argyle

AUDITORS

Duncan & Toplis
Chartered Accountants

and Statutory Auditors

3 Castlegate Grantham Lincolnshire NG31 6SF

BANKERS

HSBC Bank Plc

26 Market Place

Sleaford Lincolnshire NG34 7SB

SOLICITORS

Mossop & Bowser

10 Spalding Road

Holbeach Lincolnshire PE12 7LP

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO LOVEDEN ESTATES LIMITED UNDER SECTION 449 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages three to five, together with the full financial statements of Loveden Estates Limited for the year ended 31st May 2010 prepared under Section 396 of the Companies Act 2006

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special 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, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 444 of the Companies Act 2006. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section and to report our opinion to you

Basis of opinion

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 issued by the Auditing Practices Board. In accordance with that Bulletin we have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared.

Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 444(3) of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section

Michael Argyle (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Duncan & Toplis

Chartered Accountants

and Statutory Auditors 3 Castlegate

Grantham Lincolnshire

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20th January 2011

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 31ST MAY 2010

		2010		2009	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	2		8 415 483		8 329 481
Investments	3		250,677		250 677
			8 666,160		8 580 158
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		267 512		335 432	
Debtors		113,088		201,330	
Cash at bank		5,651 265		5 224 074	
		6,031,865		5,760,836	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year		559 448		683 201	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			5,472,417	· 	5 077 635
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES LESS CORRENT			14 138 577		13 657 793
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES			8 853		5,063
NET ASSETS			14 129 724		13,652,730
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	4		43 216		43,216
Share premium			6 994		6,994
Capital redemption reserve			156,784		156,784
Profit and loss account			13,922,730		13,445 736
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			14,129,724		13,652 730

The abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 14/12/2610 and were signed on its behalf by

J F S Brown - Director

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MAY 2010

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

Turnovei

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax

Tangible fixed assets

No depreciation is provided on freehold property. It is the company's policy to maintain its properties in a continual state of repair. In the case of freehold buildings the directors consider that the lives of these properties and their residual values are such that their depreciation is not significant.

Depreciation is provided on cost less estimated residual value in equal annual instalments over the estimated useful lives of other assets. The rates of depreciation are as follows

Motor vehicles

24% per annum straight line

All other tangible fixed assets

10-20% per annum straight line

Stocks

Work in progress is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value

Cost includes all direct expenditure and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads

Basis of consolidation

The company has not prepared group accounts as it qualifies as a small sized group and as such has taken advantage of exemption from preparing group accounts under section 248 Companies Act 1985 These accounts therefore only relate to the parent undertaking

Investments

Investments held as fixed assets are stated at cost less provision for any impairment in value

2 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Total
	£
COST	
At 1st June 2009	8,978,018
Additions	125,851
Disposals	(12,042)
At 31st May 2010	9,091,827
DEPRECIATION	
At 1st June 2009	648,537
Charge for year	37,240
Eliminated on disposal	(9,433)
At 31st May 2010	676,344
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31st May 2010	8,415,483
At 31st May 2009	8,329,481
	

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MAY 2010

3 FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	Investments other than loans £
COST	
At 1st June 2009	
and 31st May 2010	250,677
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31st May 2010	250,677
At 31st May 2009	250,677

The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following

Pollybell Farms Limited

Nature of business Organic farming

-	%		
Class of shares	holding		
Ordinary	100 00		
•		2010	2009
		£	£
Aggregate capital and reserves		1,141,226	1,255,286
(Loss)/Profit for the year		(114,060)	74,651
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The company also has an investment in Tuli Safari Botswana Limited, which is a holding company that owns and leases a safari lodge at Tuli, Botswana

At 31st May 2010 legal title to the 7 14% shareholding in Tuli Safari Botswana Limited was held by Abbot Trustees Limited as nominees for Loveden Estates Limited Loveden Estates Limited has beneficial ownership of the investment NDS Brown is a director of Abbot Trustees Limited, which is a dormant company

4 CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Allotted, issi	ued and fully paid			
Number	Class	Nominal	2010	2009
		value	£	£
43,216	'B' ordinary	£1	43,216	43,216
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