Registration Number 898153

Sapphire Research & Electronics Limited

Abbreviated Accounts

for the year ended 31st March 1998

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## Auditors' Report to Sapphire Research & Electronics Limited under Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 5 together with the financial statements of Sapphire Research & Electronics Limited for the year ended 31st March 1998. prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

# Respective responsibilities of director and auditors

The director is responsible for preparing abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the registrar of companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

### Basis of opinion

We have carried out the procedures we considered necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the financial statements.

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985 in respect of the year ended 31st March 1998, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

## Director's Responsibilities

Company law requires the director to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that year. In preparing these the director is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements based on the going concern basis unless

it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The director is responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable him to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. He is also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities. Jame, Watchers to

Harries Watkins & Co.

Chartered Accountants and

Registered Auditor

85 Taff Street **Pontypridd** Mid-Glamorgan.

31st August 1998

# Abbreviated Balance Sheet as at 31st March 1998

		1998		1997	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets Tangible assets	2		10,781		11,617
Current Assets Stocks Debtors Cash at bank and in hand		29,084 235,134 60,841 325,059		10,687 154,223 48,864 213,774	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	3	(135,245)	189,814	(121,903)	91,871
Net Current Assets  Total Assets Less Current  Liabilities			200,595		103,488
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year  Net Assets	4		200,595		(576) 102,912
Capital and Reserves Called up share capital Profit and loss account Shareholders' Funds	5		500 200,095 200,595		500 102,412 102,912

The abbreviated accounts are prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

The abbreviated accounts were approved by the Board on 29th August 1998 and signed on its behalf by

Mr. R. V. Parker

Director

## Notes to the Abbreviated Financial Statements for the year ended 31st March 1998

#### **Accounting Policies** 1.

#### Accounting convention 1.1

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention., and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Statement for Smaller Entities.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS1 from the requirement to produce a cashflow statement because it is a small company.

### 1.2

Turnover represents the total invoice value, excluding value added tax, of goods and services rendered and related sales made during the year.

#### Tangible fixed assets and depreciation 1.3

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Leasehold properties

Straight Line over the life of the lease

Plant and machinery

15% Straight Line

Fixtures, fittings

and equipment

25% Straight Line

#### Leasing and hire purchase commitments 1.4

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are capitalised as tangible assets and depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives. Obligations under such agreements are included in creditors net of the finance charge allocated to future periods. The finance element of the rental payment is charged to the profit and loss account so as to produce constant periodic rates of charge on the net obligations outstanding in each period.

#### Stock 1.5

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

#### **Pensions** 1.6

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contribution payable by the company during the year in accordance with SSAP 24.

#### Deferred taxation 1.7

Provision is made for deferred taxation using the liability method to take account of timing differences between the incidence of income and expenditure for taxation and accounting purposes except to the extent that the director considers that a liability to taxation is unlikely to materialise.

# Notes to the Abbreviated Financial Statements for the year ended 31st March 1998

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2.	Fixed assets		Tangible fixed assets £
	Cost At 1st April 1997 Additions At 31st March 1998		27,023 895 27,918
	Depreciation At 1st April 1997 Charge for year		15,406 1,731 17,137
	At 31st March 1998  Net book values At 31st March 1998  At 31st March 1997		10,781
3.	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	1998 £	1997 £
	Creditors include the following: Secured creditors		435
4.	Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	1998 £	1997 £
	Creditors include the following: Secured creditors		576

# Notes to the Abbreviated Financial Statements for the year ended 31st March 1998

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5.	Share capital	1998 £	1997 £
	Authorised equity 500 Ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>500</u>	500
	Allotted, called up and fully paid equity 500 Ordinary shares of £1 each	<del>500</del>	500

## 6. Transactions with director

The following director had interest free loans during the year. The movements on these loans are as follows:

	Amount Owing		Maximum
	1998	1997	in year
	£	£	£
Mr. R. V. Parker	469	-	

## 7. Controlling Interest

Mr R V Parker has a controlling interest in the ownership of the company.