Directors' report and financial statements

For the 15 month period ended 31 December 1996

Registered number 1065023



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### Directors' report

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the fifteen month period ended 31 December 1996.

### Principal activities

The company has not traded during the period.

On 26 February 1996, Persimmon plc acquired the whole of the issued share capital of Ideal Homes Holdings Limited, the company's parent company.

#### Dividends

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

#### Directors and directors' interests

The directors who held office during the period were as follows:

| B D Taylor     | (appointed 26 February 1996) |
|----------------|------------------------------|
| G Grewer       | (appointed 26 February 1996) |
| J E Coker      | (resigned 31 December 1996)  |
| J D Low        | (resigned 26 February 1996)  |
| B Miller       | (resigned 26 February 1996)  |
| J M Storer     | (resigned 26 February 1996)  |
| J P Williamson | (resigned 26 February 1996)  |

None of the directors has an interest in the shares of the company.

The interests of B D Taylor and G Grewer in the ordinary shares of 10p each of the ultimate parent company, Persimmon plc are disclosed in the directors' report of that company.



Directors' report (continued)

### Statement of directors' responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial period which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial period and of the profit or loss for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the directors confirm that:

- suitable accounting policies have been selected and then applied consistently;
- judgements and estimates have been made that are reasonable and prudent;
- applicable accounting standards have been followed; and
- the financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records, for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

By order of the board

G Grewer Secretary

Persimmon House Fulford YORK YO1 4RE

10 March 1997



Balance sheet at 31 December 1996

|  | Note | 31 December<br>1996<br>£ | 30 September<br>1995<br>£ |
|--|------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Current assets Debtors due within one year   | 3    | 2                        | 2                         |
| Capital and reserves Called up share capital | 4    | 2                        | 2                         |

The company was a dormant company within the meaning of Section 250 of the Companies Act 1985 throughout the accounting period ended at the date of this balance sheet.

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 10 March 1997 and were signed on its behalf by:



### Notes

(forming part of the financial statements)

### 1 Principal accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom. A summary of the more important accounting policies, which have been applied consistently, is set out below:

#### Basis of accounting

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the historical cost convention.

During the financial period and the preceding financial year the company did not trade and received no income and incurred no expenditure. Consequently during those periods the company made neither a profit or a loss.

#### 2 Remuneration of directors

None of the directors received any remuneration from the company during the period (1995: £nil).

### 3 Debtors due within one year

2 ordinary shares of £1 each

|                                    | 31 December<br>1996<br>£ | 30 September<br>1995<br>£ |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Amounts owed by group undertakings | 2                        | 2                         |
| Called up share capital            |                          |                           |
|                                    | 31 December<br>1996      | 30 September<br>1995      |
|                                    | £                        | £                         |
|                                    |                          |                           |
| Authorised                         |                          |                           |

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### Notes (continued)

### 5 Ultimate parent company

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking of Ideal Homes Holdings Limited.

The ultimate parent company is Persimmon plc.

The consolidated accounts of Persimmon plc are available to the public and may be obtained from:

The Company Secretary Persimmon plc Persimmon House Fulford YORK YO1 4RE

