Albert Hall Mansions Management Limited

Report and Financial Statements

Year Ended

25 March 2003



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Annual report and financial statements for the year ended 25 March 2003

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Directors

O S Chamma

S Hakura

G E Mogil

N N Jivraj (Resigned 13/02/03)

H Damirji

W Felson

J Schapero

Secretary and registered office

G E Mogil, 6 Babmaes Street, London, SW1 6HD

Company number

1331429

Auditors

BDO Stoy Hayward, 69 Tweedy Road, Bromley, Kent, BR1 3WA

Report of the directors for the year ended 25 March 2003

The directors present their report and annual financial statements of the company for the year ended 25 March 2003.

Principal activities

The principal activity of the company, which remains unchanged from the previous year, is to manage the property known as Albert Hall Mansions, London, SW7 and provide the services for the benefit of the residents.

Review of operations

Recoverable maintenance expenditure being total service cost for the year is £706,072 (2002 - £725,567).

A transfer to the major works reserve was made in the year of £648,242 (2002 - £749,316).

Directors

The directors in office during the year and their beneficial interest in the ordinary shares of the company are as follows:

	25 March 2003 (or date of resignation	25 March 2002)
O S Chamma	1	1
H Damirji	•	-
W Felson	1	1
S Hakura	-	-
N N Jivraj (Resigned 13/02/03)	-	-
G E Mogil	1	1
J Schapero	1	1

The company maintains liability insurance for directors and officers.

Report of the directors for the year ended 25 March 2003 (Continued)

Directors' responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the surplus or deficit of the company for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are 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. The directors have appointed managing agents, responsible for the day to day transactions, to guide and assist them in their responsibilities.

Auditors

BDO Stoy Hayward, have expressed their willingness to continue in office and a resolution to re-appoint them will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

In the preparation of the above report, the directors have taken advantage of the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies.

On behalf of the Board

G E Mogil

Company Secretary

Date: 17th NOV, 2003

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Report of the independent auditors

To the shareholders of Albert Hall Mansions Management Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Albert Hall Mansions Management Limited for the year ended 25 March 2003 on pages 6 to 12 which have been prepared under the accounting policies set out on page 8.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards are set out in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the Directors' Report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed.

We read the Directors' Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

Our report has been prepared pursuant to the requirements of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. No person is entitled to rely on this report unless such a person is a person entitled to rely upon this report by virtue of and for the purpose of the Companies Act 1985 or has been expressly authorised to do so by our prior written consent. Save as above, we do not accept responsibility for this report to any other person or for any other purpose and we hereby expressly disclaim any and all such liability.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with United Kingdom 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.

Report of the independent auditors (Continued)

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 25 March 2003 and of its excess of income over expenditure for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

BDO STOY HAYWARD

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Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors Bromley

18 November 2003

Income and expenditure account for the year ended 25 March 2003

Note	2003 £	2003 £	2002 £	2002 £
1		717,585 648,242		753,200 749,316
		1,365,827		1,502,516
2		12,005		27,633
		1,377,832		1,530,149
3	717,585		753,200	
8	648,242		749,316	
		1,365,827		1,502,516
		12,005		27,633
2		(492)		(4,824)
		11,513		22,809
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All amounts relate to continuing activities.

All recognised gains and losses have been included in the income and expenditure account.

The notes on pages 8 to 12 form part of these financial statements.

Balance sheet at 25 March 2003

	Note	2003 £	2002 £
Current assets			
Debtors	5	273,143	347,913
Cash at bank	6	746,646	1,205,729
		1,019,789	1,553,642
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7	(625,387)	(570,253)
Net current assets		394,402	983,389
Net assets		394,402	983,389
Reserve fund	8	(394,291)	(983,278)
		111	111
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	9	111	111
		-	

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

Approved by the directors on NOV 13 th, 2000 and signed on their behalf:

Directors

The notes on pages 8 to 12 form part of these financial statements.

Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 25 March 2003

1 Accounting policies

Basis of accounting

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention.

Cash flow statement

The company qualifies as a small company under the Companies Act 1985. The directors have elected to take advantage of the exemption under FRS1 not to prepare a cash flow statement.

Turnover

Turnover represents contributions receivable from members towards the cost of services and towards the major works reserve fund.

2 Interest received

a) Interest received in the year ended 25 March 2003 and corporation tax thereon is as follows:

•	2003 £	2002 £	
Interest	12,005	27,633	
Corporation tax at 4% (2002 – 18%)	(492)	(4,970)	
Prior year overprovision	· -	146	
	(11,513)	22,809	
	=		

b) As prescribed by a standard underlease (6th Sch., Clause 8), interest received for the year is applied in reduction of total service cost.

3 Property expenses

	2003	2002
	£	£
These are arrived at after charging:		
Audit fee (incl. VAT)	8,813	30,361
	=	

4 Directors

The directors received no remuneration from the company.

Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 25 March 2003(Continued)

5	Debtors				
		2003	2003	2002	2002
		£	£	£	£
	Lessees arrears - service charge	116,057		138,927	
	- major works	145,311		168,535	
			261,368		307,462
	Prepayments and other debtors		11,775		40,451
			273,143		347,913
					<u></u>
	Cash at bank			2003	2002
				2003 £	£
	Managing agents – designated clients' d	leposit accounts		464,476	524,739
	Managing agents - designated clients' c	urrent accounts		(20,061)	448,481
	Tenant deposit account			302,231	232,509

The tenant deposit account has been included as an asset of the company and a corresponding creditor is in Note 7.

Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 25 March 2003(Continued)

7	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2003	2002
		£	£
	Corporation tax	492	4,967
	Tax and social security	3,221	2,498
	Accruals	306,411	247,004
	Other creditors	315,263	315,784
			
		625,387	570,253
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Included within other creditors is a balance of £302,231 (2002 - £232,509) which represents monies repayable to tenants in respect of security deposits. A corresponding asset is shown in Note 6.

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Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 25 March 2003(Continued)

Reserve funds	2003	2003	2003	2002	2002	2002
	Major works	Service charges in advance	Total £	Major works	Service charges in advance	Total £
Balance at commencement of year Raised in year	870,923 648,242	112,355	983,278 648,242	782,941 749,316	112,355	895,296 749,316
Expenditure in year: Internal decorations	(000.69)	•	(000 69)	(88 736)	•	(88 736)
External decorations	(1,088,859)	•	(1,088,859)	(155,771)	ı	(155,771)
Water tank works		ı		(2,861)	1	(2,861)
Entry-phone installation	•	1	1	(19,002)	•	(19,002)
Legal and survey costs	(15,754)	1	(15,754)	(27,046)	•	(27,046)
Lifts	(6,414)	1	(6,414)	1	•	,
Boiler works/ heating system	(37,840)	1	(37,840)	(339,452)	•	(339,452)
Other expenditure	(10,565)	•	(10,565)	(28,466)	•	(28,466)
Asbestos removal	(8,797)	ŀ	(8,797)	ŧ	•	•
Balance at end of year	281,936	112,355	394,291	870,923	112,355	983,278

The service charges in advance figure represents an additional interim charge requested for the quarter to 30 June 1996 to alleviate cash flow problems caused by the timing of the collection of service charges. This balance represented one quarter of the service charge for the year when levied.

Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 25 March 2003(Continued)

9	Share capital			_	
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		Autho			paid paid
		2003	2002	2003	2002
		£	£	£	£
	111 ordinary shares of £1 each	111	111	111	111
10	Reconciliation of movements on sharehold	ders' funds			
				2003	2002
				£	£
	Excess of income over expenditure for the financial year after taxation Net interest credited against service cost f			11,513 (11,513)	22,809 (22,809)
	Shareholders' fund at 26 March 2002			111	111
	Shareholders' fund at 25 March 2003			111	111
11	Capital commitments			2003 £	2002 £
	Contracted but not provided for			74,400	405,665

These commitments relate to the internal lobby redecorations and external building repairs.