PROTECTAHOME LIMITED COMPANY NUMBER 01476443

ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 1995



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AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF PROTECTAHOME LIMITED

PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 24 OF SCHEDULE 8 TO THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 4 to 8 together with the financial statements of Protectahome Limited prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31 August 1995.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to the company's entitlement to the exemptions claimed in the directors' statement on page 4 and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with that Schedule.

Basis of opinion

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

Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled under sections 246 and 247 of the Companies Act 1985 to the exemptions conferred by Section A of Part III of Schedule 8 to that Act, in respect of the year ended 31 August 1995, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 3 to 8 have been properly prepared in accordance with that Schedule.

Other information

On 9 January 1995 we reported, as auditors of Protectahome Limited, to the members on the financial statements prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31 August 1995, and our audit report was as follows:

We have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 10 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 6.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 1 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those 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 amount 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.

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF PROTECTAHOME LIMITED (CONTINUED)

PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 24 OF SCHEDULE 8 TO THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

Basis of opinion (continued)

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 the company's affairs as at 31 August 1995 and of its results for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies.

> Roger Peachey & Partners Chartered Accountants Registered Auditor 22 Chepstow Road Newport

Gwent NP9 8EA

9 January 1995

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF PROTECTAHOME LIMITED

PURSUANT TO SECTION 248(3) OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have audited the financial statements of the company and each of its subsidiaries for the year ended 31 August 1995.

Basis of opinion

The scope of our work was limited to confirming that the company is entitled to exemption from preparing group accounts.

Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to the exemption from preparing group accounts conferred by section 248 of the Companies Act 1985.

Roger Peachey & Fartners Chartered Accountants Registered Auditor 22 Chepstow Road

Newport Gwent NP9 8EA

9 January 1995

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 1995

. FIXED ASSETS	Note	£	<u>1995</u> £	£	<u>1994</u> £
Tangible assets Investments	2		249,003 48,617 297,620		229,583 48,617 278,200
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stock Debtors Cash at bank and in hand		60,830 143,186 2,469		39,692 120,444 —	
Creditors - amounts falling due within one year	4	318,808		160,136 302,793	
NET CURRENT (LIABILITIES)			(112,323)		(142,657)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			185,297		135,543
Creditors - amounts falling due after more than one year			32,133 153,164		28,526
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up Share Capital Revaluation Reserve Profit and Loss Account	5	138,000 (14,836)	30,000	138,000 (60,983)	30,000
Total Reserves		-	123,164		77,017
Equity Shareholders' Funds			153,164		107,017

Advantage is taken of the exemptions conferred by Section A of Part III of Schedule 8 of the Companies Act 1985 with respect to the delivery of individual accounts. In the opinion of the directors, the company is entitled to those exemptions on the grounds that it has met the qualifications for a small company specified in sections 246 and 247 of the Companies Act 1985.

On behalf of the Board of Directors

D G Buckley - Director

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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 1995

. 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a. FORMAT

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of freehold land and buildings, and in accordance with s226 of, and Schedule 4 to, the Companies Act 1985.

The effects of events relating to the year ended 31 August 1995 which occurred before the date of approval of the financial statements by the Board of Directors have been included in the statements to the extent required to show a true and fair view of the state of affairs at 31 August 1995, and of the results for the year ended on that date.

b. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Depreciation is provided on a straight line basis to write off each asset over its estimated useful life:

Freehold Buildings - 2% Plant and Equipment - 25% Motor Vehicles - 25%

c. STOCKS

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due allowance for any obsolete or slow moving items. In the case of work in progress, cost comprises direct materials, direct labour and an appropriate proportion of installation fixed and variable overheads.

d. TAXATION

The charge for taxation is based on the results for the year and takes into account taxation deferred because of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes.

Provision is made for deferred tax only to the extent that it is probable that an actual liability will crystallise.

e. PENSION COSTS

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions are charged to the profit and loss account as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the scheme.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 1995

· 2. TANGIBLE ASSETS

	Motor Vehicles	Plant and Equipment	Freehold Land and Buildings	Total
COST/VALUATION	£	£	£	£
At 1 September 1994 Additions Disposals	157,004 52,247 (43,298)	49,494 7,494 -	170,000 - -	376,498 59,741 (43,298)
At 31 August 1995	165,953	56,988	170,000	392,941
DEPRECIATION			 	
At 1 September 1994 Charge for the year Withdrawn on Disposals	99,415 31,237 (40,986)	42,550 5,072	4,950 1,700	146,915 38,009 (40,986)
At 31 August 1995	89,666	47,622	6,650	143,938
NET BOOK VALUE				
At 31 August 1995	76 , 287	9,366	163,350	249,003
At 31 August 1994	57 , 589	6,944	165,050	229,583

Included in net book value of motor vehicles is an amount held under finance agreements of £72,084 (1994 - £56,714). Depreciation on these assets was £26,157 (1994 - £12,901).

The historical cost of the freehold land and buildings is £32,000. The cumulative depreciation on freehold buildings is £1,894 (1994 - £1,254).

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 1995

3. INVESTMENTS

	Unlisted Investments
COST	£
At 1 September 1994 Acquired/Advanced Sold	48,617 - -
At 31 August 1995	48,617

The subsidiary and related undertakings of the company at 31 August 1995, all of which are incorporated in the United Kingdom, were as follows:-

Name	Description of shares held	Proportion of nominal value of issued shares held
Protectahome (1990) Limited (Dormant) Protectahome Pest Control Limited (Dormant) Protectahome Buildings Limited Protection Treatments limited	Ordinary fl shares Ordinary fl shares Ordinary fl shares Ordinary fl shares	99% 99% 99% 99%

The company and its subsidiaries qualify as a small sized group under section 249(3) of the Companies Act 1985 and have relied on the exemption in preparing consolidated accounts.

The group qualifies as a small sized group as it has a gross turnover of less than £2.8 million, balance sheet total of less than £1.4 million and less than 50 employees.

The loss after taxation for the year ended 31 August 1995 of Protectahome Buildings Limited was £37,256 (1994 - £46,928 profit) and profit of Protection Treatments Limited was £2,577 (1994 - £2,907 profit) and the total capital and reserves at that date of Protectahome Buildings Limited was £1,000 (1994 - £38,256) and Protection Treatments Limited was £15,860 (1994 - £13,282).

4. CREDITORS - amounts falling due within one year

The balance sheet amount of £318,808 includes a bank overdraft of £150,857 (1994 - £146,956) which is secured on the freehold property known as 2 The Square, Magor, a bank debenture covering fixed and floating assets, a Scottish Equitable life policy on the life of Mr D Buckley and an unlimited guarantee by Protectahome Buildings Limited.

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.5. SHARE CAPITAL - Equity

Ordinary shares of fl each:	<u>1995</u> £	<u>1994</u> £
Authorised	50,000	50,000
Allotted, called-up and fully paid	30,000	30,000