Company Number: 01529185

ABBREVIATED STATUTORY ACCOUNTS
YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 1996

KENNETH MORRIS
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS



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We have examined the abbreviated financial accounts on pages 2 to 3 together with the financial accounts of the company prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31st January 1996.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated financial 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 2 and whether the abbreviated financial 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 accounts, that the company is entitled to the exemptions and that the abbreviated financial accounts have been properly prepared from those financial accounts. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report does not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full financial accounts.

OPTNTON

In our opinion the company is entitled under sections 246 and 247 of the Companies Act 1985 to the exemptions conferred in section B of Part III of Schedule 8 to that Act, in respect of the year ended 31st January 1996 and the abbreviated financial accounts on pages 2 to 3 have been properly prepared in accordance with that Schedule.

OTHER INFORMATION

On 2nd July 1996 we reported, as auditors of the company, to the shareholders on the financial accounts prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31st January 1996, and our report was as follows:

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

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

As described on page 2 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial accounts. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those accounts and to report our opinion to you.

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AUDITORS' REPORT TO BISHION SPRING PRODUCTS LIMITED

(continued)

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

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 amounts and disclosures in the financial accounts. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made by the directors in the preparation of the financial accounts, 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 accounts 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 accounts.

OPINION

In our opinion the financial accounts give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31st January 1996 and of its profit and cash flow for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.'

KENNETH MORRIS

Registered Auditors Chartered Accountants

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2nd July 1996

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST JANUARY 1996

	<u>Notes</u>	£	<u>1996</u> £	£	<u>1995</u> £
FIXED ASSETS		T.	Ξ.	Ξ,	L
Tangible Assets Investments	2 2		203,609 31,196		196,328 31,196
			234,805		227,524
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stock and Work in Progress Debtors Cash at Bank and in Hand		29,682 128,878 41,378		28,496 123,628 26,193	
COMMITTEE - Amounts Falling		199,938		178,317	
CREDITORS : Amounts Falling Due within One Year		(139,051)		(149,985)	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			60,887		28,332
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILI	ETTES		295,692		255,856
CREDITORS : Amounts Falling Due After more than One Year			50,542		72,287
		£	245,150	£	183,569
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Share Capital Profit and Loss Account	3		23 245,127		23 183,546
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		£	245,150	£	183,569

The notes on pages 3a to 3b form part of these accounts.

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ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET (continued) AS AT 31ST JANUARY 1996

In preparing these abbreviated accounts advantage has been taken of the exemptions conferred by Section A of Part III of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985 on the grounds that in the directors' opinion the company is entitled to the benefit of those exemptions as a small company under the provisions of sections 246 and 247 of the Act.

Signed on behalf of the board of directors

P L Bishton Director

Approved by the board: 2nd July 1996

The notes on pages 3a to 3b form part of these accounts.

NOTES TO ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 1996

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified to incorporate the revaluation of certain fixed assets.

Turnover

Turnover represents the net invoiced sales of goods, excluding VAT.

Tangible Fixed Assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life:

Computer	20% reducing balance
Motor Vehicles	25% reducing balance
Plant and Equipment	15% reducing balance
Fixtures and Fittings	15% reducing balance

Stocks and Work in Progress

Stocks and work in progress are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving items. Cost includes all direct expenditure and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

Deferred Taxation

Deferred taxation is provided on the liability method in respect of the taxation effect of all timing differences to the extent that tax liabilities are likely to crystallise in the foreseable future.

Leased Assets

Assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts are capitalised at the estimated fair value at date of inception of each lease or contract. The assets are depreciated over their expected useful lives. The finance charges are allocated over the primary period of the lease in proportion to the capital element outstanding.

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account as incurred.

Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable for the year are charged in the profit and loss account.

Cash Flow Statement

The company has taken advantage of the exemption provided by Financial Reporting Standard 1 and has not prepared a Cash Flow Statement for the year.

NOTES TO ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY 1996

2. FIXED ASSETS

1 · <u>11111 120110</u>			
			Tangible <u>Assets</u> £
COST OR VALUATION At 1st February 1995 Additions in year Disposals in year			365,703 46,724 (2,500)
At 31st January 1996			409,927
DEPRECIATION At 1st February 1995 Write off on Disposal Charge for year At 31st January 1996			169,376 (700) 37,643 206,318
NET BOOK VALUE At 31st January 1996			203,609
At 31st January 1995			196,328
Invesiments		1996 £ 31,196	1995 £ 31,196
3. SHARE CAPITAL		<u>1996</u> £	<u>1995</u> £
Authorised		100	100
Allotted, Issued and Fully Paid		23	23
4. TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS			
Loans from Directors	Creditor at the beginning of the year	Maximum balance during the year	Creditor at the end of the year

Director's Loan Account

23,526 3,926 3,926