REPORT AND ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2009

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COMPANY INFORMATION

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S M Bond

Secretary P A Adam

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Registered Number 1688205

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The Directors present their report with the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2009.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company has been to hold the freehold property known as 10 Castelnau, Barnes, London, SW13 9RU, as an investment for the benefit of members and to manage and administer it.

REVIEW OF THE BUSINESS

2008/09 was a quiet, satisfactory year. There was a surplus of income over expenditure of £3,340, taking the Sinking Fund to over £11,000. The large excess of income over expenditure was mainly due to two slippages – an interior decoration programme and the resurfacing of the forecourt. The latter slippage was caused by a temporary communication problem with the Managing Agent of 8 Castelnau, with whom we share a common entrance. It is intended that both of these slipped programmes shall be carried out in 2009-10.

An important feature of operations in 2008-09 was the transfer of responsibilities from the Chairman (A Sisson). Day-to-day running of the company became the responsibility of S Bond (Director). P Adam (Flat 3) was appointed Secretary, with responsibility for all secretarial work including book-keeping. A Sisson continued to serve as a Director and Chairman of the Board. The transfers ran smoothly and the reorganisation is working well.

An examination of the exterior of the brickwork of the main walls was carried out by the company's main building contractor, A Sullivan Limited. The result was highly satisfactory – only a few minor repairs and some re-pointing required to be done. The necessary work is being carried out in 2009-10.

The lopping and trimming of the Laylandii trees in the front garden in 2007 has had negative consequences. The trees have bushed out excessively in all directions, threatening the highway and the pedestrian pavement even more than before. Further trimming would be very unsightly, as the inner branches are now devoid of greenery. The only solution appears to be removal and replacement of the trees. This will be expensive and unpopular with the first floor owners, who will lose their barrier against the Castelnau traffic for several years while the new trees are growing. Options will be examined and necessary action taken during the coming year.

The back garden has been well and economically maintained by S Bond. The roof has survived another year's wear and tear with minimal maintenance.

Insurance costs remain high, but we are satisfied that the current policies are reliable and competitive.

RESULTS

The results for the year ended 31 March 2009 are set out on page 4.

DIRECTORS

The directors who served during the year were as follows:

A A Sisson

S M Bond

S M Bond will retire from office at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting and being eligible will offer herself for re-election.

EXEMPTIONS

In preparing the above report, the directors have taken advantage of the special exemptions applicable to small companies, including total exemption from audit.

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors

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Director

MAINTENANCE FUND ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2009

1	Notes	2009	2008
INCOME	1	5,694	5,731
Maintenance and other expenses	2	(2,354)	(6,576)
SURPLUS (DEFICIT)		3,340	(845)
BROUGHT FORWARD 1st April		10,499	11,344
CARRIED FORWARD 31 st March	5	13,839	10,499

CONTINUING OPERATIONS

None of the Company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the above two financial years.

TOTAL RECOGNIZED GAINS AND LOSSES

The company has no recognized gains or losses other than the surplus or deficit for the above two financial years.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH 2009

Notes CURRENT ASSETS	2009	2008
Bank Balance	229	566
Cash in Hand	23	35
Deposit Account	11,337	7,898
Debtors 3	2,250	2,000
	13,839	10,499
CREDITORS Amount Falling Due Within One Year:		
Accrued Expenses 4	-	-
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES	13,839	10,499
MAINTENANCE FUND ACCOUNT	13,839	10,499

The directors have:

- (a) taken advantage of the Companies Act 1985 in not having these accounts audited under Section 249A(1) [total exemption]
- (b) confirmed that no notice has been deposited under Section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985
- (c) acknowledged their responsibilities for ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985
- (d) acknowledged their responsibilities for preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the company and of its profit/loss (whichever is applicable) for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to this company.
- (e) (i) taken advantage of the exemptions conferred by Part III of Schedule 8 of the Companies Act 1985

and

(ii) in their opinion the company is entitled to those exemptions on the basis that it qualifies as a small company.

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors Director

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2009

Cash Flow

The accounts to not include a cash flow statement because the company as a small reporting entity, is exempt from the requirement to prepare such a statement under Financial Reporting Standard 1 – "Cash Flow Statements".

		2009	2008
1.	Income		
	Members Contributions	5,504	5,450
	Interest on Bank Accounts	190	281
		5,694	5,731
2.	Expenditure		
	Major Repairs	-	3,900
	Routine Maintenance	838	714
	Administration	17	39
	Bank Charges	71	67
	Garden	221	181
	Fire Precautions	66	588
	Insurance - Property and Contents	1,004	950
	Insurance - Directors' Liability	137	137
		2,354	6,576
3.	Debtors		
	Members contributions	2,250	2,000
	Others	-,	-,
		2,250	2,000
4.	Creditors Amount falling due within one year:		
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Notes to the accounts (continued)

5.	Maintenance Fund Account	2009	2008
	Balance at 1 April	10,499	11,344
	Income	5,694	5,731
		16,193	17,075
	Less: Expenditure	(2,354)	(6,576)
	Balance at 31 March	13,839	10,499