GEE & WATSON INVESTMENT AND PENSIONS LTD

ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JULY 1998

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AUDITORS' REPORT TO GEE & WATSON INVESTMENT AND PENSIONS LTD PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 together with the financial statements of Gee & Watson Investment and Pensions Ltd prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31st July 1998.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

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 company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared. 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 in the full financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246 (5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

14th October 1998

Birkenhead Merseyside

McEWAN WALLACE Registered Auditor Chartered Accountants

BALANCE SHEET

31ST JULY 1998	Notes		1998	1997
	Notes		£	1 <u>997</u> £
FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets	2		67,679	38,474
CURRENT ASSETS				
Debtors due within one year Cash at bank and in hand		77,316 <u>297,031</u> 374,347		74,930 211,566 286,496
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	3	(<u>301,756</u>)		(<u>193,681</u>)
NET CURRENT ASSETS			72,591	92,815
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			140,270	131,289
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year	4		(11,838)	_(4,350)
			128,432	126,939
CAPITAL AND RESERVES				
Called-up share capital Profit and loss account	5		1,000 127,432	1,000 125,939
			128,432	<u>126,939</u>

Statement by the directors

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

Approved by the board on: 14th October 1998

A.CLEATOR

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 31ST JULY 1998

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Basis of accounting

These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

(b) Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost or valuation, less estimated residual values, of tangible fixed assets over their estimated useful lives to the business. The annual depreciation rates and methods are as follows:

Leasehold Improvements - 20% reducing balance Fixtures and Fittings - 15% reducing balance Computer Equipment - 25% straight line Motor Vehicles - 25% reducing balance

(c) Assets leased

Where the company enters into operating and/or finance leases, its policy is to regard leases as finance leases where their term give rights approximating to ownership.

Assets held under finance leases (including hire purchase contracts) are capitalised at the fair value of the asset at the inception of the lease, with an equivalent liability categorised as appropriate under creditors due within and after one year. Assets are depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful economic life; in the case of assets held under hire purchase agreements they are depreciated over their useful economic life. Finance charges are allocated to accounting years over the life of each lease to produce a constant rate of charge on the outstanding balance.

Rentals under operating leases are charged on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

(d) Deferred taxation

No provision is made for deferred taxation unless there is a reasonable probability of payment in the foreseeable future.

(e) Pensions

The cost of providing retirement pensions and related benefits is charged to the profit and loss account over the periods benefiting from the employees' services. The difference between the charge to the profit and loss account and the contributions paid to the scheme is shown as an asset or liability in the balance sheet.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 31ST JULY 1998

(f) Funds flow statements

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No 1 from producing a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a small company.

2 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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	Leasehold Improveme nts		Computer Equipment	Motor Vehicles	Total
COST At 1st August 1997	£ 9,283	£ 49,432	£ 28,200	£ 30,350	£ 117,265
Additions at cost Applicable to disposals At 31st July 1998	15,771 - 25,054	5,445 (4,413) 50,464	$\frac{3,419}{-31,619}$	27,395 (18,150) 39,595	52,030 (22,563) 146,732
DEPRECIATION At 1st August 1997	8,419	30,186	24,163	16,023	78,791
Charge for the year Released by disposals At 31st July 1998	3,327	3,488 (2,979) 30,695	2,184 <u>-</u> 26,347	4,927 (10,68 <u>5</u>) 10,26 <u>5</u>	13,926 (13,664) 79,053
NET BOOK VALUE At 31st July 1998	13,308	19,769	5,272	29,330	67,679
At 31st July 1997	<u>864</u>	19,246	4,037	14,327	<u>38,474</u>

Details of fixed assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts included in the above are as follows:

	Leasehold Improveme nts £	and	Computer Equipment		Total £
1998					
Net book value				29,330	29,330
Charge for the year				4,927	4,927
1997					
Net book value		<u> </u>		6,862	<u>6,862</u>
Charge for the year	_			2,288	2,288
CREDITORS: Amounts fa	lling due wi	thin one y	vear	1998 £	1997 £
The following secured amounts fall due within one year:					
Hire purchase instalm secured on the ass		eđ		8,602	2,484

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 31ST JULY 1998

4	CREDITORS: Amounts fallin	g due after		1998	1997
				£	£
	The following secured amomore than one year:	after			
	Hire purchase instalments secured on the assets	<u>11,838</u>	4,350		
5	SHARE CAPITAL	Number	Value	Number	Value
		1998	1998	1997	1997
Authorised: Ordinary shares of £1 each	Authorised:		£		£
	500,000	500,000	<u>500,000</u>	500,000	
	Issued and fully paid:				
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000