# ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2002

**FOR** 

EBBS & DALE LTD

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# <u>COMPANY INFORMATION</u> FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2002

**DIRECTORS:** 

Roy Thomas Ebbs Mrs Sunee Ebbs

David John Dale

Mrs Ruth Edith Mary Dale

SECRETARY:

Mrs Ruth Edith Mary Dale

**REGISTERED OFFICE:** 

Unit 27

Austin Fields Ind Estate

King's Lynn Norfolk PE30 1PW

**REGISTERED NUMBER:** 

1993403

**AUDITORS:** 

WheelersSKH

Chartered Accountants & Tax Consultants

& Registered Auditor 16 North Street Wisbech

Cambridgeshire PE13 1NE

# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO EBBS & DALE LTD UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated financial statements on pages three to five, together with the full financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 March 2002 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated financial statements 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 financial statements prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the financial statements 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 consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial statements and that the abbreviated financial statements to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did 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 to deliver abbreviated financial statements prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated financial statements on pages three to five are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

WheelersSKH

Chartered Accountants & Tax Consultants

& Registered Auditor

16 North Street

Wisbech

Cambridgeshire

PE13 1NE

Dated: 13 January 2003

# ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 31 MARCH 2002

|   | Notes | 31.3.0  | )2          | 31.3.0  | )]        |
|---|-------|---------|-------------|---------|-----------|
|   |       | £       | £           | £       | £         |
| FIXED ASSETS:   | 2     |         | 264 197     |         | 260 222   |
| Tangible assets   | 2     |         | 254,187     |         | 269,333   |
| CURRENT ASSETS:   |       |         |             |         |           |
| Stocks  |       | 18,360  |             | 5,000   |           |
| Debtors   |       | 179,603 |             | 154,197 |           |
| Cash at bank and in hand                                |       | 90,446  |             | 98      |           |
|   |       | 288,409 |             | 159,295 |           |
| CREDITORS: Amounts falling                              |       |         |             |         |           |
| due within one year                                     |       | 200,957 |             | 141,075 |           |
| NET CURRENT ASSETS:                                     |       |         | 87,452      |         | 18,220    |
| TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES:                  |       |         | 341,639     |         | 287,553   |
| CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year |       |         | (237,771)   |         | (214,764) |
| PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES                              |       |         |             |         |           |
| AND CHARGES:  |       |         | (8,400)     |         | (6,700)   |
|   |       |         | £95,468     |         | £66,089   |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES:                                   |       |         |             |         |           |
| Called up share capital                                 | 3     |         | 1,000       |         | 1,000     |
| Profit and loss account                                 |       |         | 94,468      |         | 65,089    |
|   |       |         | <del></del> |         |           |
| SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS:                                    |       |         | £95,468     |         | £66,089   |
|   |       |         |             |         |           |

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

# ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

Roy Thomas Ebbs - DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on 13 101 103

## NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2002

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 2000).

#### Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax.

#### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Plant and machinery

- 25% on reducing balance

Fixtures and fittings

- 25% on reducing balance

Motor vehicles

- 25% on reducing balance

#### Stocks

Stock 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 tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date.

### Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet. Those held under hire purchase contracts are depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Those held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

The interest element of these obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the relevant period. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability.

Rentals paid 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.

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2002

# 2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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| TANGIBLI                  | E FIXED ASSETS                          |          |         | Total       |
|---------------------------|---|----------|---------|-------------|
|                           |   |          | -       | £           |
| COST:                     | 001                                     |          |         |             |
| At 1 April 2<br>Additions | 001                                     |          |         | 573,232     |
| Disposals                 |   |          |         | 101,736     |
| Disposais                 |   |          |         | (92,108)    |
| At 31 March               | n 2002                                  |          |         | 582,860     |
| DEPRECIA                  |   |          |         | <del></del> |
| At 1 April 2              |   |          |         | 303,899     |
| Charge for y              |   |          |         | 83,611      |
| Eliminated of             | on disposals                            |          |         | (58,837)    |
| At 31 March               | 1 2002                                  |          |         | 328,673     |
| NET BOOK                  |   |          |         | <del></del> |
| At 31 March               | n 2002                                  |          |         | 254,187     |
| At 31 March               | 1 2001                                  |          |         | 269,333     |
|                           |   |          |         |             |
| CREDITO                   | RS                                      |          |         |             |
| The following             | ng secured debts are included within cr | editors: |         |             |
|                           |   |          | 31.3.02 | 31.3.01     |
|                           |   |          | £       | £           |
| Bank overdi               | rafts                                   |          | 28,142  | 34,376      |
| Hire purcha               | se                                      |          | 118,315 | 126,253     |
|                           |   |          | 146,457 | 160,629     |
|                           |   |          |         |             |
| CALLED U                  | JP SHARE CAPITAL                        |          |         |             |
| Authorised,               | allotted, issued and fully paid:        |          |         |             |
| Number:                   | Class:                                  | Nominal  | 31.3.02 | 31.3.01     |
|                           |   | value:   | £       | £           |
| 1,000                     | Ordinary shares                         | £1       | 1,000   | 1,000       |

# 5. TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS

Rent of £2,000 was paid to Ebbs & Dale, a partnership carried on by Mr & Mrs Dale and Mr & Mrs Ebbs for the use of unit 3 Grassgate Lane, Wisbech.

A Jaguar Sovereign car has been transferred to Mr Ebbs at a value of £9,000 and a Cherokee Jeep has been transferred to Mr Dale at a value of £7,000. Both these transfers were at market value.