NEWSHOLME COMPUTER SERVICES LIMITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 30 NOVEMBER 1997

Registered number: 2187372

MORRELL MIDDLETON CHARTERED CERTIFIED ACCOUNTANTS YORK



FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the year ended 30 November 1997

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NEWSHOLME COMPUTER SERVICES LIMITED

COMPANY INFORMATION

30 November 1997

INCORPORATED

3 November 1987

NUMBER

2187372

CHAIRMAN

N O Milsom

OTHER DIRECTORS

SECRETARY

D O Milsom

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York

BANKERS

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ACCOUNTANTS

Morrell Middleton

Chartered Certified Accountants

3 Cayley Court Clifton Moor YORK YO30 4WH

DIRECTORS' REPORT

30 November 1997

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 30 November 1997.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company that of business information systems consultancy.

Directors

The directors of the company during the year and their interests in the shares of the company as recorded in the register of directors' interests were as follows

| uncotors interests were as remaine | 30 November 1997 Ordinary shares | 1 December 1996 Ordinary shares | |
|------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| N O Milsom | 100 | 51 | |
| L M Milsom | - | 49 | |

Small company exemptions

This report is prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

On behalf of the board

DO Milsom

ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Accountants' report on the unaudited financial statements to the directors of Newsholme Computer Services Limited

As described on the balance sheet you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements for the year ended 30 November 1997, set out on pages 4-8, and you consider that the company is exempt from an audit. In accordance with your instructions, we have compiled these unaudited financial statements in order to assist you to fulfil your statutory responsibilities, from the accounting records and information and explanations supplied to us.

Morrell Middleton Chartered Certified Accountants

17 September 1998

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

for the year ended 30 November 1997

| | Note | 1997 £ | 1996 £ |
|---|------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Turnover | 2 | 44,728 | 77,392 |
| Net operating expenses | | | |
| Distribution costs Administrative expenses Other operating income | | (61) (11,694) 1 | (81) (49,461) 1 |
| Profit on ordinary activities before taxation | | 32,974 | 27,851 |
| Taxation | | (7,214) | (6,601) |
| Profit on ordinary activities after taxation | | 25,760 | 21,250 |
| Dividends | 5 | (20,600) | (25,250) |
| Retained profit/(loss) for the year | 11 | 5,160 | (4,000) |

Movements in reserves are shown in note 11.

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

There are no recognised gains and losses in 1997 or 1996 other than the profit/(loss) for the year.

BALANCE SHEET

at 30 November 1997

| | | | 1997 | | 1996 | | |
|---|------|--------------|---------|------------|---------|--|--|
| | Note | £ | £ | £ | £ | | |
| Fixed assets | | | | | | | |
| Tangible assets | 6 | | 3,846 | | 4,553 | | |
| Current assets | | | | | | | |
| Debtors Cash at bank and in hand | 7 | 887 6,508 | | - 7,974 | | | |
| | - | 7,395 | _ | 7,974 | | | |
| Creditors: amounts falling due within one year | 8 | (8,755) | | (15,201) | | | |
| Net current assets/(liabilities) | • | | (1,360) | | (7,227) | | |
| Total assets less current liabilities | | - | 2,486 | - | (2,674) | | |
| Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year | | | - | | - | | |
| | | | 2,486 | - | (2,674) | | |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES | | | | | | | |
| Called up share capital | 10 | | 100 | | 100 | | |
| Profit and loss account | 11 | _ | 2,386 | _ | (2,774) | | |
| Total shareholders' funds | 9 | _ | 2,486 | = | (2,674) | | |

The directors consider that for the year ended 30 November 1997 the company was entitled to exemption under subsection 1 of section 249A of the Companies Act 1985. No member or members have deposited a notice requesting an audit for the current financial year under subsection 2 of section 249B of the Act.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Companies Act 1985 and preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

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

The financial statements on pages 4-8 were approved by the board of directors on 17 September 1998 and signed on its behalf by:

N O Milsom Chairman

NOTES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

30 November 1997

1 Accounting policies

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost accounting rules.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement conferred by Financial Reporting Standard No. 1 on the grounds that it qualifies as a small company under the Companies Act 1985.

Turnover

Turnover represents the amount derived from the provision of goods and services falling within the company's activities after deduction of trade discounts and value added tax.

Depreciation

Depreciation of fixed assets is calculated to write off their cost or valuation less any residual value over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Plant and machinery Motor vehicles 15% Reducing Balance Method 25% Reducing Balance Method

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 foreseeable future.

2 Turnover

In the opinion of the directors, none of the turnover of the company is attributable to geographical markets outside the UK. (1996 nil)

| 3 | Operating profit | 1997 | 1996 | |
|---|--|-----------|-----------|--|
| | Operating profit is stated after crediting | £ | £ | |
| | Interest receivable | 1 | 1 | |
| | and after charging | | | |
| | Depreciation of tangible fixed assets (note 6) | | | |
| | owned assets | 707 | 841 | |
| 4 | Directors | 1997 £ | 1996 £ | |
| | Directors' emoluments | 4,083 | 27,004 | |

NOTES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

30 November 1997

| 5 | Dividends | | 2 |
|---|--|--------------|----------------|
| | | 1997 | 1996 |
| | | £ | £ |
| | Interim | 20,600 | 25,250 |
| | | 20,600 | 25,250 |
| 6 | Tangible fixed assets | | |
| | | | Plant |
| | | | and |
| | Cost | | Machinery £ |
| | 1 December 1996 | | |
| | and | | |
| | 30 November 1997 | | 11,590 |
| | Depreciation | | |
| | 1 December 1996 | | 7,037 |
| | Charge for year | | 707 |
| | 30 November 1997 | | 7,744 |
| | Net book amount | | |
| | 30 November 1997 | | 3,846 |
| | | | |
| | 1 December 1996 | | 4,553 |
| | | | |
| 7 | Debtors | 1997 | 1996 |
| | | £ | £ |
| | Amounts falling due within one year | | |
| | ACT recoverable | 887 | - |
| | | | |
| 8 | Creditors: amounts falling due | | |
| | within one year | 1997 | 1996 |
| | | £ | £ |
| | Corporation tax | 2,051 | 288 |
| | Other taxation and social security Other creditors | 6,034 670 | 8,539 6,374 |
| | | | |
| | | 8,755 | 15,201 ——— |

NOTES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

30 November 1997

| 9 | Reconciliation of movements in sharehol | ders' funds | | . 1 | 997 £ | | 1996 £ |
|----|--|---------------------|------|-------|---------------------|------|------------------|
| | Profit for the financial year | | | 25 | ,760 | | 21,250 |
| | Dividends | | | (20 | ,600) | | (25,250) |
| | Net addition to/(subtraction from) shareholders' funds | | | 5 | ,160 | | (4,000) |
| | Opening shareholders' funds | | | (2 | ,674) | | 1,326 |
| | Closing shareholders' funds | | | 2 | ,486 | | (2,674) |
| 10 | Called up share capital | Number of shares | 1997 | £ | Number of shares | 1996 | £ |
| | Authorised | | | | | | |
| | Ordinary £1 shares | 1,000 | | 1,000 | 1,000 | _ | 1,000 |
| | Allotted called up and fully paid | | | | | | |
| | Ordinary £1 shares | 100 | | 100 | 100 | _ | 100 |
| 11 | Profit and loss account | | | | | | 1997 £ |
| | 1 December 1996 Retained profit for the year | | | | | | (2,774) 5,160 |
| | 30 November 1997 | | | | | | 2,386 |