Directors' report and financial statements

31 December 1999

Registered number 2204485

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Directors' report

The directors present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 1999

Principal activities

The principal activity of the company is that of a travel agency.

Business review

The results for the year are set out in the profit and loss account on page 2.

Proposed dividend

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (1998: £nil)

Directors and directors' interests

The directors who held office during the year were as follows:

The Right Honourable Earl Alexander of Tunis (Chairman)

RM King

HM King

WM King

CM King

None of the directors who held office at the end of the financial year had any disclosable interest in the shares of the company.

By order of the board

RG MENON

Company Secretary

Hertford Place Denham Way Rickmansworth Hertfordshire WD3 2XB

Profit and loss account

for the year ended 31 December 1999

	NOTES	1999 £	1998 £
Turnover Cost of sales	2	181,367 (161,074)	119,443 (108,317)
Gross profit Administrative expenses		20,293 (90)	11,126 (7,237)
Profit on ordinary activities before and	ł	20,203	3,890
Taxation	5	(3,343)	
Profit on ordinary activities after tax	2-5	16,860	3,890

There are no gains or losses other than those recognised above.

The above results were derived from continuing operations.

Balance sheet

at 31 December 1999

	NOTES	1999	1998
Current assets			
Debtors	6	87,492	41,198
Cash at bank and in hand		-	. 1
		87,492	41,199
Current liabilities			
Creditors: amounts falling			
due within one year	7	(77,039)	47,606
Net current liabilities	**	10,453	(6,407)
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	8	1,000	1,000
Profit and loss account		9,453	(7,407)
Shareholders' funds	9	10,453	(6,407)

The company is claiming exemption from audit on the basis:

- (a) for the period ended 31 December 1999 the company was entitled to the exemption conferred by subsection (1) of section 249A.
- (b) no notice has been deposited under subsection (2) of section 249B in relation to its accounts for the financial period.
- (c) that the directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:
 - (i) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, and (ii) preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial period and of its profit and loss for the financial period in accordance with the requirements of section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to the accounts, so far as applicable to the company.
- (d) advantage has been taken of the exemptions conferred by Part I of Schedule 8, and
- (e) in the opinion of the directors, the company is entitled to those exemptions on the basis that it qualifies as a small company.

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 24th August 2000 and were signed on its behalf by:

H. M. H. KING

Notes

(forming part of the financial statements)

1 Accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's financial statements.

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and under the historical cost accounting rules.

Cash flow statement

Under Financial Reporting Standard 1 the company is exempt from the requirement to give a cash flow statement on the grounds of its size.

Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded using the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated using the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date and the gains or losses on translation are included in the profit and loss account.

Turnover

Turnover represents the sum of goods and services invoiced by the company. It is stated exclusive of value added tax.

2 Segmental information

In the opinion of the directors, turnover and the profit on ordinary activities before tax arose in the same class of business and geographical market.

3 Remuneration of directors

No directors received any remuneration during the year (1998: £nil).

4 Staff numbers and costs

The average number of persons employed by the company (excluding directors) during the year was nil (1998: £nil).

Notes (continued)

5 Tax on profit on ordinary activities			1000	4000
UK cooperation tax			1999 £ 3343 3343	1998 £
6 Debtors			1999 £	1998 £
Trade debtors Other debtors			87,475 17 87,492	41,198
7 Creditors: amounts falling due within e Trade creditors Other creditors	one year		1999 £ 1,528 75,512 77,040	1998 £ 17,938 29,668 47,606
8 Called up share capital Authorised Ordinary shares of £1 each			1999 £ 1,000,000_	1998 £ 1,000,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid Ordinary shares of £1 each			1,000	1,000
9 Reconciliation of movement in shareh	olders' funds		1999	1998
	Share Capital £	Profit and loss account £	Total shareholders' funds £	Total shareholders' funds
At beginning of year Profit for the year	1,000 -	(7,407) 16,860	(6,407) 16,860	(10,297) 3,890
At end of year	1,000	9,453	10,453	(6,407)