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Company number: 2354167

A & P COMPUTERS LIMITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

28 FEBRUARY 1997



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DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

DIRECTORS

Mr P Moh Mr S Azeem Mr T Tan

SECRETARY

Mr T Tan

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AUDITORS

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors submit their report and the financial statements of A & P Computers Limited for the year ended 28 February 1997.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company during the year was the provision of computer sales and service.

RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The trading profit for the year after taxation was £166,427.

The directors do not recommend the payment of a final dividend. Interim dividends of £7,200 were paid.

DIRECTORS

The following directors have held office since 1 March 1996:-

Mr P Moh

Mr S Azeem

The following director was appointed on 1 December 1996:-

Mr T Tan

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN SHARES

Directors' interests in the shares of the company, including family interests, were as follows:-

	-	Ordinary shares of £1 each		
	28 February 1997	1 March 1996		
Mr P Moh	1	2		
Mr S Azeem	1	-		

DIRECTORS' REPORT

AUDITORS

Messrs Bessler Hendrie, Chartered Accountants have recently been appointed auditors of the company to act for the current financial year. A resolution to reappoint Bessler Hendrie will be put to the members at the annual general meeting.

SCHEDULE 8 EXEMPTIONS

Advantage has been taken in the preparation of the directors' report of the special exemptions applicable to small companies conferred by Part II of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985. In the directors' opinion, the company is entitled to those exemptions as a small company.

By order of the board

Mr T Tan

Secretary

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DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES IN THE PREPARATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- a. select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- b. make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- c. state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- d. prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF A & P COMPUTERS LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 6 to 14.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

As described on page 4 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

OPINION

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 28 February 1997 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies.

Registered Auditor Chartered Accountants The Clock House 140 London Road Guildford Surrey GU1 1UW

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT for the year ended 28 February 1997

	 	 	
	Notes	1997	1996
TURNOVER	1	4,239,221	4,026,096
Cost of sales		(3,470,017)	(3,371,753)
Gross profit		769,204	654,343
Other operating expenses (net)	2	(532,959)	(352,093)
OPERATING PROFIT		236,245	302,250
Investment income	3	872	368
Interest payable		(10,694)	(5,826)
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	4	226,423	296,792
Taxation		59,996	81,807
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES AFTER TAXATION		166,427	214,985
Dividends	6	7,200	53,250
RETAINED PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	13	£ 159,227	£ 161,735

The operating profit for the year arises from the company's continuing operations.

No separate Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses has been presented as all such gains and losses have been dealt with in the Profit and Loss Account.

BALANCE SHEET 28 February 1997

	Notes	1997	1996
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible assets	7	72,691	48,684
CURRENT ASSETS			·
Stocks		177,693	97,865
Debtors	8	533,655	700,186
Cash at bank and in hand		68,164	38,355
		779,512	836,406
CDEDITORS			
CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year	9	352,898	541,517
NET CURRENT ASSETS		426,614	294,889
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		499,305	343,573
CREDITORS Amounts falling due in more than one year	10	14,334	29,735
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES			44.0
AND CHARGES	11	56,858	44,952
		£ 428,113	£ 268,886
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital	12	2	2
Profit and loss account	13	428,111	268,884
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	14	£ 428,113	£ 268,886

Advantage is taken in the preparation of the financial statements of the special exemptions applicable to small companies conferred by Part I of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985.

Approved by the board on 8th De c 1997

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Financial statements for the year ended 28 February 1997

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

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

TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Fixed assets are stated at historical cost.

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets at rates calculated to write each asset down to its estimated residual value on a reducing balance basis, as follows:-

Fixtures and equipment	25%
Motor vehicles	25%

STOCKS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost of finished goods includes overheads appropriate to the stage of manufacture. Net realisable value is based upon estimated normal selling price less further costs expected to be incurred to completion and disposal. Provision is made for obsolete and slow-moving items.

DEFERRED TAXATION

Provision is made for taxation deferred or accelerated by the effect of timing differences, to the extent that it is probable that a liability will crystallise, at the rate expected to be ruling at that date.

LEASED ASSETS AND OBLIGATIONS

Where assets are financed by leasing agreements that give rights approximating to ownership ("finance leases"), the assets are treated as if they had been purchased outright. The amount capitalised is the present value of the minimum lease payments payable during the lease term. The corresponding leasing commitments are shown as obligations to the lessor.

Lease payments are treated as consisting of capital and interest elements, and the interest is charged to the profit and loss account in proportion to the remaining balance outstanding.

All other leases are "operating leases" and the annual rentals are charged to the profit and loss on a straight line basis over the lease term.

Financial statements for the year ended 28 February 1997

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

TURNOVER

Turnover represents the invoiced value, net of Value Added Tax, of goods sold and services provided to customers.

WARRANTY CLAIMS

Provision is made for liabilities arising in respect of specific warranty claims.

1. TURNOVER AND PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION

The company's turnover and profit before taxation were all derived from its principal activity. Sales were all made in the United Kingdom.

		1997	1996
2.	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES (NET)		
	Administration expenses	£ 532,959	£ 352,093
3.	INVESTMENT INCOME		
	Other interest receivable	£ 872	£ 368
4.	PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation is stated after charging: Depreciation and amounts written off tangible fixed assets: Charge for the year:		
	owned assets leased assets Operating lease rentals:	5,810 10,441	1,443 13,926
	Land and buildings Auditors' remuneration	43,912 4,250	15,196 4,000

5.	DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION		1997		1996
	Emoluments (including pension contrand benefits in kind)	ributions	£ 207,698	£	88,243
6.	DIVIDENDS				
	Ordinary: Interim paid - £3,600 (1996 - £26,625	5) per share	£ 7,200	£	53,250
7.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Fittings	Motor		
		and equipment	Motor vehicles		TOTAL
	Cost:				
	1 March 1996	13,205	64,277		77,482
	Additions	40,258	-		40,258
	28 February 1997	53,463	64,277	-	117,740
	Depreciation:	<u> </u>		-	 -
	1 March 1996	6,302	22,496		28,798
	Charge in the year	5,810	10,441		16,251
	28 February 1997	12,112	32,937	-	45,049
	Net book value:			-	
	28 February 1997	41,351	31,340	£	72,691
	29 February 1996	6,903	41,781	£	48,684

The net book value of motor vehicles includes £31,340 (1996 - £41,781) in respect of assets held under finance leases.

8.	DEBTORS	1997	1996
	Due within one year:		
	Trade debtors	494,920	657,104
	Directors loan accounts	•	40,000
	Taxation	32,938	<u>.</u>
	Prepayments	5,797	3,082
		£ 533,655	£ 700,186
			
9.	CREDITORS	1997	1996
	Amounts falling due within one year:		
	Trade creditors	217,592	375,238
	Corporation tax	58,420	70,937
	Other taxation and social security costs	48,010	73,493
	Other creditors	5,500	_
	Accruals and deferred income	7,975	10,325
	Obligations under finance leases	15,401	11,524
		£ 352,898	£ 541,517
			

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10.	CREDITORS		1997	1996
	Amounts falling due in more than one year: Obligations under finance leases: between 2 and 5 years	£	14,334	£ 29,735
11.	PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND C	CHARGES		
	Warranty claims provision	£	56,858	£ 44,952
	Deferred taxation			
	Deferred taxation provided in the financia potential asset are as follows:-	al statemen	ts and t	he unprovided
	Amount provide	ed	Unpr	ovided asset
	1997 1	1996	1997	1996
	Accelerated depreciation over capital allowances -	-	1,320	2,674
	££	£	1,320	£ 2,674
12.	SHARE CAPITAL		1997	1996
	Authorised: 1,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	£	1,000	£ 1,000
	Allotted, issued and fully paid: 2 ordinary shares of £1 each	£	2	£ 2

13.	PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	1997	1996
	1 March 1996 Profit for the year	268,884 159,227	107,149 161,735
	28 February 1997	£ 428,111	£ 268,884
14.	RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		
	Profit for the financial year Dividends	166,427 (7,200)	214,985 (53,250)
	Opening shareholders' funds	159,227 268,886	161,735 107,151
	Closing shareholders' funds	£ 428,113	£ 268,886

15. COMMITMENTS UNDER OPERATING LEASES

At 28 February 1997 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

Land and buildings:		
expiring after 5 years	£ 45,000	£ 45,000