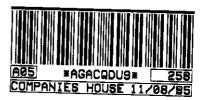
Directors' report and financial statements

31 December 1994

Registered number 2469671



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Directors' report

The directors have pleasure in submitting their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 1994.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company during the year was the provision of medical services for doctors.

Review of business and results of year

The results for the year are shown in the profit on loss account on page 5.

Dividends

Dividends of £100,000 were paid in the year (1993: £Nil).

Tangible fixed assets

The movement in tangible fixed assets is shown in note 8 to the financial statements.

Directors and directors' interests

The directors who served during the year were as follows:

Mr JE Ditchburn

Mr TM Parrott (resigned on 15 April 1994)

Mr GH Tainsh

Dr C Kaiper-Holmes

Mr E Peel

Dr RS Sagoo

Dr D Oldroyd

Dr P Bhandary

Dr A McLean (died on 8 May 1994)

Dr DB Acquilla

Dr M Hodgson (appointed on 14 July 1994)

Mr D Spink (appointed on 14 July 1994)

Except as referred to below, no director had any interest in the shares of the company or any group undertaking at any time during the year.

Dr Kaiper-Holmes is a director of the company's ultimate parent undertaking, Healthcall Group PLC, and his interests in shares are shown in the financial statements of that company.



Directors' report (continued)

Directors and directors' interests (continued)

As at 31 December 1994, the other directors held interests in the shares of the company's ultimate parent company, Healthcall Group PLC, as follows:

	At 31 Dec	At 31 December 1994		December 1993 of appointment
	Ordinary shares of 5p each	Share options (Approved scheme)	Ordinary shares of 10p each	Share options (Unapproved scheme)
Mr GH Tainsh	269,000	66,667	28,625	8,000
Mr E Peel	24,000	22,619	4,388	2,000
Mr D Spink	51,250	57,143	-	_
Dr D Oldroyd	500	-	_	-
Mr J Ditchburn	2,000	-	-	-

On 5 May 1994 Healthcall Group PLC was floated on the London Stock Exchange, immediately prior to which there was a capital restructuring of that company. Particulars of this restructuring are given in the annual report and financial statements of Healthcall Group PLC.

Further details of the share option scheme are given in the annual report and financial statements of Healthcall Group PLC.

Statement of directors' responsibilities

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 for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- 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 Companies Act 1985. They have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.



Directors' report (continued)

Auditors

On 6 February 1995 our auditors changed the name under which they practise to KPMG and, accordingly, have signed their report in their new name.

In accordance with Section 384 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution for the re-appointment of KPMG as auditors of the company is to be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

Approved by the board of directors and signed on its behalf by:

D Spink Secretary

401 South Row Central Milton Keynes MK9 2PH

24 March 1995



2 Cornwall Street Birmingham B3 2DL

Auditors' report to the members of Cleveland Healthcall Services Limited

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 14.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 2, 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 affairs of the company as at 31 December 1994 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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Chartered Accountants Registered Auditors

Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 December 1994

	Note	1994 £	1993 £
Turnover - continuing operations Cost of sales	2	1,824,059 (1,255,011)	1,663,269 (1,175,756)
Gross profit		569,048	487,513
Distribution costs Administrative expenses		(41,987) (127,693)	(43,692) (135,463)
Operating profit - continuing operations	4	399,368	308,358
Profit on sale of fixed assets Net interest receivable/(payable)	6	11,714	6,149 (1,842)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		411,082	312,665
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	7	(134,464)	(100,746)
Profit on ordinary activities after taxati Dividends paid in year	ion	276,618 (100,000)	211,919
Retained profit for the financial year	•	176,618	211,919
Accumulated profit/(deficit) brought forward		148,305	(63,614)
Accumulated profit carried forward		324,923	148,305

A reconciliation in the movements in shareholders' funds is shown in note 15 to the financial statements.

There are no recognised gains or losses in either the current or preceding years other than those shown in the profit and loss account.

Balance sheet at 31 December 1994

	Note	1	994	1993	
		£	£	£	£
Fixed assets	_				
Tangible assets	8		20,008		45,182
Current assets					
Debtors	9	571,646		329,504	
Cash in hand		38,774		-	
		C10 400			
		610,420		329,504	
Creditors: Amounts falling due					
within one year	10	(333,367)		(254,243)	
Net current assets			255 056		
The current assets			277,053		75,261 ———
Net assets			297,061		120,443
					120,743
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	13		ACE 531		
Goodwill write off reserve	•		467,531		467,531
Profit and loss account	14		(495,393)		(495,393)
110th and 1055 account			324,923		148,305
			297,061		120,443

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 24 March 1995 and signed on its behalf by:

JE Ditchburn

D Spink, Directors

Cash flow statement

for the year ended 31 December 1994

	Note	19	994	1993	
		£	£	£	£
Net cash inflow from operating activities	12a		278,998		154,929
Returns on investments and servicing of finance Interest paid Dividends paid		(2,321) (100,000)		(11,732)	
21.15Mas para					
Net cash outflow from returns on investments and servicing of finance UK Corporation tax paid			(102,321) (100,746)		(11,732)
Investing activities Purchase of fixed assets Receipts from sale of fixed assets Other cash outflows from investing activities		(36,947)		(41,689) 16,500 (26,919)	
Net cash outflow from investing activities			(36,947)		(52,108)
Net cash inflow before financing			38,984		91,089
Financing Decrease in borrowings		<u>-</u>		(100,000)	
Net cash outflow from financing					(100,000)
Increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	12b		38,984		(8,911)



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 under the historical cost accounting convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

Depreciation

Depreciation is provided to write-off the cost less the estimated residual value of tangible fixed assets by equal instalments over their estimated useful economic lives as follows:

Motor vehicles
Fixtures and fittings

Plant and equipment

- 3 years

- 3 and 7 years
- 3 and 5 years

Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided using the liability method in respect of the taxation effect of all timing differences to the extent that it is probable that liabilities will crystallise in the foreseeable future.

Operating leases

Rentals under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account as they arise.

Goodwill

Purchased goodwill is written off directly to reserves.

2 Turnover

Turnover represents sales of goods and services and is exclusive of value added tax, to third party customers during the year. All the turnover is applicable to the UK market.



Notes (continued)

3 Staff numbers and costs

The average number of persons employed by the company, excluding directors, during the year was as follows:

		Number of	employees
		1994	1993
	Office and management	4	5
	Operators	22	21
	Drivers	43	42
		69	68
	The aggregate payroll costs of these persons were as follows:		
	The aggregate payron costs of aless persons were as follows.	£	£
	Wages and salaries	340,386	330,512
	Social security costs	19,067	21,404
	Other pension costs	5,676	3,906
		365,129	355,822
4	Operating profit		
		1994	1993
		£	£
	Operating profit is stated after charging		
	Payments under operating leases on properties	9,650	9,650
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	25,174	27,386
	Directors' emoluments	19,091	18,880
	Auditors' remuneration - audit services	2,600	2,500
		•	

Auditors' remuneration in respect of other services amounted to £700 (1993: £700).



Notes (continued)

5 Directors' emoluments

	The directors received the following emoluments, excluding pension contributions, in the year:			
		1994	1993	
		£	£	
	Fees	19,091	18,880	
	Emoluments of the chairman and highest paid director	5,455	5,560	
	The emoluments of the directors were in the following ranges:	Number of	directors	
		1994	1993	
	£0 - £5,000	11	9	
	£5,001 - £10,000	1	1	
6	Net interest receivable/(payable)			
		1994 £	1993 £	
		L	-	
	Interest payable to group undertakings	-	(4,312)	
	Hire purchase interest	(2,321)	(1,732)	
	Interest receivable from group undertakings	14,035	4,202	
		11,714	(1,842)	
7	Tax on profit on ordinary activities			
		1994	1993	
	Deced on the marks on andinomy activities for the years	£	£	
	Based on the profit on ordinary activities for the year: Corporation tax payable at 33% (1993: 33%)	134,464	100,746	



Notes (continued)

8	Tangible fixed assets				
		Plant and machinery	Fixtures and fittings	Motor vehicles	Total
		£	£	£	£
	Cost				
	At beginning and end of year	36,807	3,596	51,722	92,125
	Depreciation				
	At beginning of year	25,064	3,112	18,767	46,943
	Charge for the year	5,113	106	19,955	25,174
	At end of year	30,177	3,218	38,722	72,117
	Net book value				
	At 31 December 1994	6,630	378	13,000	20,008
	At 31 December 1993	11,743	484	32,955	45,182
	Legal title to the motor vehicles re-	sts with a third party	/ finance compa	ny.	
9	Debtors			1004	1002
				1994	1993 £
				£	r
	Trade debtors			166,937	216,631
	Amounts owed by fellow subsidiar	ry undertakings		399,271	109,374
	Prepayments and accrued income			5,438	3,499
				571,646	329,504



Notes (continued)

10	Creditors:	Amounts	falling	due	within	one vear
10	Creditors:	Amounts	танши	uue	WILLIAM	une year

1994	1993
£	£
-	210
11,528	14,047
49,986	-
•	
142,309	100,746
129,544	139,240
333,367	254,243
134,464	100,746
7,845	
142,309	100,746
	11,528 49,986 142,309 129,544 333,367

11 Obligations under operating leases

At 31 December 1994, the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as set out below:

	Properties 1994	Properties 1993
	£	£
Leases which expire:		
In more than five years	9,650	9,650



Notes (continued)

12 Cash flow statement notes

(a) Reconciliation of operating profit to net cash inflow from operating activities

		1994	1993
		£	£
	Operating profit	399,368	308,358
	Depreciation	25,174	27,386
	Increase in debtors	(228,107)	(195,767)
	Increase in creditors	82,563	14,952
	Net cash inflow from operating activities	278,998	154,929
(b)	Analysis of cash and cash equivalents		
		1 994	1993
		£	£
	Cash in hand/bank overdrafts		
	At beginning of year	(210)	8,701
	Movement in year	38,984	(8,911)
	At end of year	38,774	(210)
13	Called up share capital		
	-	1994	1993
		£	£
	Authorised:		
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	467,531	467,531
	Allotted, called up and fully paid:		
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	467,531	467,531



Notes (continued)

14 Goodwill write off reserve

The goodwill arose on the acquisition of the businesses of Cleveland Deputising Services Limited and the Cleveland branch of Healthcall Services Limited in the period to 31 March 1991, together with that arising in respect of the business of DOCS Limited acquired in the year ended 31 December 1993.

			£
A	t beginning and end of year		495,393
15 Re	conciliation of movements in shareholders' funds		
		1994	1993
		£	£
Sh	areholders' funds at the start of the year	120,443	(24,296)
Pr	ofit for the financial year	276,618	211,919
D:	ividends	(100,000)	-
G	podwill written off in the year	-	(67,180)
Sh	areholders' funds at the end of the year	207.061	120 442
01	archologic funds at the old of the year	297,061	120,443

16 Capital commitments

Capital commitments at 31 December 1994, for which no provision has been made in these financial statements, were as follows:

	1994 £	1993 £
Contracted for	Nil	Nil
Authorised but not contracted for	120,000	150,000

17 Transactions with directors

During the year, the company was charged £28,770 (1993: £28,202) in respect of paging and radio services provided by Autocall Limited, a company of which Mr J Ditchburn is a director.

18 Ultimate parent undertaking

The company's ultimate parent undertaking is Healthcall Group PLC, a company incorporated in Great Britain and registered in England and Wales.

Copies of the financial statements of Healthcall Group PLC can be obtained from its registered office at 401 South Row, Central Milton Keynes, MK9 2PH.

