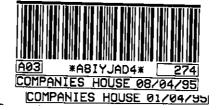
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ALTECNIC (U.K.) LIMITED

FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY, 1994



E.A.SHAKESPEARE F.C.A. REGISTERED AUDITOR

DIRECTORS:

S.Gizzi

H.Gizzi

SECRETARY:

C.K.Fisher

REGISTERED OFFICE:

Airfield Industrial Estate

Hixon

Stafford

REGISTERED NUMBER:

02629667

BANKERS:

Barclays Bank plc

High Street

Burton-on-Trent

Staffs

AUDITOR:

E.A.Shakespeare F.C.A.

Registered Auditor 28 Kilmorie Road

Cannock

Staffs

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY, 1994

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ALTECNIC (U.K.) LIMITED REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY, 1994

The Directors' present their annual report with the accounts of the company for the year ended 31st January, 1994.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was property holding company. However, trading was carried out in the domestic appliance industry.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

A summary of the results for the year is given on page 3 of the accounts. The directors consider the state of affairs to be satisfactory.

DIVIDENDS

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

FIXED ASSETS

Acquisitions and disposals of fixed assets during the year are shown in note 7.

In the opinion of the directors, the open market value of the company's Freehold Land and Buildings is not materially in excess of that shown in the accounts in relation to its use in the company's trade.

DIRECTORS

The Directors in office in the year and their beneficial interests in the company's issued ordinary share capital were as follows:

		Ordinary 1994	Shares of £1 1993	each
S.Gizzi H.Gizzi	•	81	81	

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

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently
- make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

POLITICAL AND CHARITABLE DONATIONS

The Company made no political or charitable contributions during the year.

AUDITOR

The auditor, E.A.Shakespeare F.C.A.will be proposed for reappointment in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

Signed on behalf of the board of directors



AUDITORS REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF

ALTECNIC (U.K.) LIMITED

I have audited the financial statements on pages 3 to 5 which have been prepared under the historic cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 5.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

As described on page 1 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is my responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on my audit, on those statements and report to you.

Basis of opinion

I conducted my 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 financial circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

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

Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31st January, 1994 and of the Profit for the year ended on that date and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

E.A.SHAKESPEARE F.C.A.

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Registered Auditor

28 Kilmorie Road Cannock Staffs

12th May, 1994

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY, 1994

	Notes	<u>1994</u> £ £	1993 £ £
TURNOVER	2	398,389	154,057
Cost of Sales		374,760	119,452
GROSS PROFIT Rent Receivable		23,629 29,800	34,605 16,000
		53,429	50,605
Administration Expenses		40,924	39,255
OPERATING PROFIT	3	12,505	11,350
Income from Investments		515	1,866
Interest Payable		13,020 9,723	13,216 8,282
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION Tax on Ordinary Activities	6	3,297 1,366	4,934 1,242
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES AFTER TAXATION		£ 1,931	£ 3,692
STATEMENT OF RETAINED EARNINGS			
Retained Profit Brought Forward Prior Year Adjustment	5	3,692 1,760	
Retained Profit for the Year		5,452 1,931	3,692
RETAINED PROFIT CARRIED FORWARD		£ 7,383	£ 3,692

The company has made no recognised gains or losses in 1994 or 1993 other than the profit for the year.

AS AT BALANCE SHEET 31ST JANUARY, 1994

	Notes		<u>1994</u>		<u>1993</u>
FIXED ASSETS		£	£	£	£
Tangible Assets	7		146,583		193,779
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors Cash at Bank and in Hand	8	118,288 20,429		3,654 21,641	
CREDITORS : amounts falling		138,717		25,295	
due within one year	9	171,614		94,886	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(32,897)		(69,591)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILIT	IES		113,686		124,188
CREDITORS: amounts falling due after more than one year			106,204		120,396
			£ 7,482		£ 3,792
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Share Capital Profit and Loss Account	10		100 7,382		100 3,692
		:	£ 7,482		£ 3,792

Signed on behalf of the board of directors

S.Gizzi_ Director

Approved by the board: 12th May, 1994

NOTES TO ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY, 1994

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and under the historical cost accounting convention, modified to incorporate the revaluation of certain fixed assets.

Turnover

Turnover represents the net invoiced sales of goods, excluding VAT.

Tangible Fixed Assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life:

Freehold Property	4% on cost of buildings
Fixtures and Fittings	10% on written down value

No depreciation is provided on freehold land.

Deferred Taxation

Provision is made at appropriate rates for taxation deferred in respect of all material timing differences only to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is reasonable probability that a liability or asset will crystallise in the foreseeable future.

2. TURNOVER

Turnover has not been analysed by geographical market.

Turnover and Profit before taxation for the year, are attributable to each class of business as follows:

	Turnover		Profit before	:/Loss taxation
	<u>1994</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>1994</u>	1993
	£	£	£	£
Components for domestic appliance	s398,389	154,057	10,216	3,927
Rent Income	29,800	16,000	(6,919)	1,007
	428,189	170,057	3,297	4,934

NOTES TO ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY, 1994

3. OPERATING PROFIT

The Operating Loss is stated after charging:

	<u>1994</u> €	<u>1993</u> €
Amount Written Off Tangible Fixed Assets Staff Costs - note 4 Auditors Remuneration	4,948 16,902 200	6,719 10,832 200

4. STAFF COSTS

The costs incurred, including directors remuneration, were as follows:

	<u>1994</u> £	<u>1993</u> £
Wages and Salaries Director's and Staff Incentives	4,902 12,000	10,832

The average weekly number of employees during the year was as follows:

Office and Management Production and Sales	2 1	2
	3	3
		

5. PRIOR YEAR ITEMS

Construction costs of the freehold property shown in the 1993 accounts were overcharged due to a duplication of invoices etc.. Consequently, depreciation in those accounts was overprovided by £1,760.

6. TAXATION

The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities was as follows:

	<u>1994</u>	<u>1993</u>
Company to the Company	${f \mathfrak L}_{-}$	£
Corporation Tax	1,366	1,242

Corporation tax has been charged on the profit at 25%.

The taxation charge for the year has been reduced by £35 (1993 £36) in respect of the excess of tax allowances over depreciation on which, in accordance with the company's accounting policy, no deferred taxation has been provided.

The charge for the year has been increased by expenditure not allowable for taxation.

NOTES TO ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY, 1994

7. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

COST OR VALUATION	Fixtures & Fittings	Property £	TOTAL
At 1st February, 1993	976	155,513	156,489
DEPRECIATION		·	
At 1st February, 1993	98	6,621	6,719
Prior Year Adjustment	_	(1,760)	(1,760)
Charge for Year	87	4,860	4,947
At 31st January, 1994	185	9,721	9,906
NET DOOP VALUE			
NET BOOK VALUE At 31st January, 1994	791	145,792	146,583

8. DEBTORS

Amounts due within one year:

Trade Debtors Value Added Tax	118,288	3,453 201
	118,288	3,654

NOTES TO ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST JANUARY, 1994

9. CREDITORS

Amounts falling due within one year:	<u>1994</u> £	<u>1993</u> £
Bank Loans and Overdrafts (see below) Trade Creditors Amounts Owed to Assosiated Companies Other Creditors:	15,791 32,006 92,112	15,079 64,713
Social Security and Other Taxes Corporation Tax Accruals	4,821 2,608 24,276 171,614	1,242 13,852 94,886
Bank Overdraft Bank Loan Account	712 15,079 15,791	15,079 15,079
The bank loan is secured by a charge on the	e freehold property.	

Amounts falling due in more than one year:

Bank Loan Loan-Altecnic Ltd. Pension Scheme Director's Loan Account	67,619 37,000 1,585	81,893 37,000 1,503
	106,204	120,396
CUADE CADITAL	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	

10. SHARE CAPITAL

SHARE CAPITAL	<u>1994</u> £	<u>1993</u> £
Authorised	100	100
Allotted, Issued and Fully Paid	100	100

^{11.} A CASH FLOW STATEMENT has not been prepared as the Company is exempt in accordance with F.R.S.1.