

HILLERSDEN LIMITED
ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
30 JUNE 2000

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AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE COMPANY

PURSUANT TO SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5, together with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 30 June 2000 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTORS AND THE AUDITORS

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the registrar of companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and report our opinion to you.

BASIS OF OPINION

We have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the financial statements.

OPINION

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

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23 October 2000



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HILLERSDEN LIMITED

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET

30 JUNE 2000

	Note	2000 £	1999 £
FIXED ASSETS	2		
Tangible assets		125,343	168,295
Investments		125,343	168,295
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stocks		126,571	149,149
Debtors		198,993	191,020
Cash at bank and in hand		64	145
		325,628	340,314
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	3	(327,813)	(387,313)
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES		(2,185)	(46,999)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		123,158	121,296
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year	4	(43,800)	(66,906)
		79,358	54,390
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called-up equity share capital	5	5,000	5,000
Profit and loss account		74,362	49,394
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		79,362	54,394
WARNING!!! THIS BALANCE SHEET IS OUT BY		4	4

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

These financial statements were approved by the directors on the 23 October 2000 and are signed on their behalf by:

D P REES



The notes on pages 3 to 5 form part of these financial statements.

HILLERSDEN LIMITED

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 2000).

Consolidation

In the opinion of the directors, the company and its subsidiary undertakings comprise a small group. The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemption provided by Section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts.

Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents the value of goods supplied during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax.

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Plant & Machinery	25% per annum straight line
Fixtures & Fittings	20% per annum straight line
Motor Vehicles	25% per annum straight line

No depreciation is provided on freehold land. The directors consider that the level of repairs and maintenance on freehold buildings will result in a residual value of this asset exceeding the original cost, and therefore have not provided for any depreciation for the period in respect of this asset.

Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

Hire Purchase Agreements

Assets held under hire purchase agreements are capitalised and disclosed under tangible fixed assets at their fair value. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability and the interest is charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis.

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1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Operating Lease Agreements

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

Pension Costs

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company. The annual contributions payable are charged to the profit and loss account.

Deferred Taxation

Provision is made, under the liability method, to take account of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for accounts purposes and their treatment for tax purposes. Tax deferred or accelerated is accounted for in respect of all material timing differences to the extent that it is considered that a net liability may arise.

Foreign Currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating profit.

2. FIXED ASSETS

	Tangible Fixed Assets £	Investments £	Total £
COST			
At 1 July 1999	236,319	4	236,323
Additions	7,998	-	7,998
Disposals	(22,358)	-	(22,358)
At 30 June 2000	<u>221,959</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>221,963</u>
DEPRECIATION			
At 1 July 1999	68,024	-	68,024
Charge for year	30,676	-	30,676
On disposals	(2,084)	-	(2,084)
At 30 June 2000	<u>96,616</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>96,616</u>
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 30 June 2000	<u>125,343</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>125,347</u>
At 30 June 1999	<u>168,295</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>168,299</u>

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2. FIXED ASSETS *(continued)*

3. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

The following liabilities disclosed under creditors falling due within one year are secured by the company:

	2000	1999
	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts	<u>44,558</u>	<u>56,710</u>

4. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year

The following liabilities disclosed under creditors falling due after more than one year are secured by the company:

	2000	1999
	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts	<u>42,478</u>	<u>47,497</u>

Included within creditors falling due after more than one year is an amount of £16,903 (1999 - £24,230) in respect of liabilities which fall due for payment after more than five years from the balance sheet date.

5. SHARE CAPITAL

Authorised share capital:

	2000	1999
	£	£
30,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>30,000</u>	<u>30,000</u>

Allotted, called up and fully paid:

	2000	1999
	£	£
Ordinary share capital	<u>5,000</u>	<u>5,000</u>