BUCKLE & DAVIES CONSTRUCTION LIMITED

ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 1996

Company Number: 02726231



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AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF BUCKLE & DAVIES CONSTRUCTION LIMITED

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 3 together with the full financial statements of Buckle & Davies Construction Limited prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31 July 1996.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to the company's entitlement to the exemptions claimed in the directors' statement on page 2 and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with that Schedule.

Basis of opinion

We have carried out the procedures we considered necessary to confirm, by reference to the audited financial statements, that the company is entitled to the exemptions and that the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared from those financial statements. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report does not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled under sections 246 and 247 of the Companies Act 1985 to the exemptions conferred by Section A of Part III of Schedule 8 to that Act in respect of the year ended 31 July 1996 and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 3 have been properly prepared in accordance with that Schedule.

Other information

On 2nd December 1996 we reported, as auditors of Buckle & Davies Construction Limited, to the members on the full financial statements prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31 July 1996, and our audit report was as follows:

"We have audited the financial statements on pages 3 to 7 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 5

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 1 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 as at 31 July 1996 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 and Registered Auditors Orchard House Manor Green Harwell OXON OX110DQ

2nd December 1996

BUCKLE & DAVIES CONSTRUCTION LIMITED

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET As at 31 July 1996

| Note | £ | 1996 £ | £ | 1995 £ |
|---------------------------------------|----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| CURRENT ASSETS | | | | |
| Stocks | 49,597 | | 53,832 | |
| Debtors | 37,286 | | 68,166 | |
| Cash at bank and in hand | 5,204 | | 35 | |
| | 92,087 | | 122,033 | |
| CREDITORS: amounts falling due | (00.770) | | (4.47.400) | |
| within one year | (99,776) | | (147,438) | |
| NET CURRENT LIABILITIES | | (7,689) | | (25,405) |
| TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES | | £ (7,689) | £ | (25,405) |
| | | (1,000) | ^ | |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES | | | | |
| Called up share capital 2 | | 100 | | 100 |
| Profit and loss account | | (7,789) | | (25,505) |
| SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS | | £ (7,689) | £ | (25,405) |
| | | | | |

In preparing these abbreviated accounts the directors have taken advantage of the exemptions conferred by Schedule 8 Part III of the Companies Act 1985, and have done so on the grounds that, in their opinion, the company qualifies as a small company and is entitled to make use of the exemptions.

The abbreviated accounts were approved by the board on 2nd December 1996 and signed on its behalf

M.R. Buckle

Director

D.W. Davies

Director

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

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS For the year ended 31 July 1996

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and include the results of the company's operations which are described in the Directors' Report and all of which are continuing.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No.1 from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a small company.

1.2 Turnover

Turnover comprises the invoiced value of goods and services supplied by the company, net of Value Added Tax and trade discounts.

1.3 Operating leases

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged to profit and loss account as incurred.

1.4 Stocks and work in progress

Stocks and work in progress are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving stocks. Cost includes all direct costs and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

1.5 Deferred Taxation

Provision is made for taxation deferred as a result of material timing differences between the incidence of income and expenditure for taxation and accounts purposes, using the liability method, only to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is a reasonable probability that a liability or asset will crystallise in the near future.

2. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

| | 1996 £ | | 1995 £ | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-----|-----------|-----|
| Authorised | | | | |
| 100 ordinary shares of £1 each | £ | 100 | £ | 100 |
| Allotted, called up and fully paid | | | | |
| 100 ordinary shares of £1 each | £ | 100 | £ | 100 |