Registered Number 2766084

### THE SPORTS CHANNEL LIMITED

Report and Financial Statements

for the Year ended 30 September 1998

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Balance Sheet at 30 September 1998

	Notes		<u>1998</u> £		<u>1997</u>
Current Assets	11000		~		£
Stocks Debtors	3	24147 56437		24568 53321	
Cash at bank and in	hand	76690		34292	
		157274		112181	
Creditors  Amounts falling due	)				
in one year	5	(75986)		(43666)	
Net current assets			81288		68515
			81288		68515
Capital and Reserves Called up share					
Capital	6		2		2
Profit and Loss Accou	ınt		81286		68513
	7		81288		68515

The Directors have taken advantage of the exemption conferred by section 249A(1) not to have these Accounts audited (total exemption) and confirm that no notice has been deposited under section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985.

The Directors acknowledge their responsibility for ensuring that:

1. The Company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, and

2. The Accounts give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at 30 September 1998 and of its profit for the period then ended in accordance with the requirements of s.226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 1985 relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

In preparing the above Report and Accounts the Directors have taken advantage of the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985, relating to small companies.

The Directors have taken advantage of the special exemptions conferred by Article 1 of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1986 applicable to small companies in the preparation of accounts and have done so on the grounds that, in their opinion, the company qualifies as a small company.

E M Taylor......Directo

The notes on pages 2-3 form part of these financial statements.

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#### 1. Accounting Policies

Basis of accounting

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention.

Turnover represents the invoiced value of sales of goods and services, excluding taxes.

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost or net realisable value.

#### Cash Flow Statement

The company has adopted the policy as laid down in FRS 1 on Cash Flow Statements. However, the company is entitled to exemption from producing such a statement, since it qualifies as a small company under the criteria stated in the Companies Act 1985.

## 2. Tax on profit on ordinary activities

The taxation charge based on the	1998	1997
profit before tax comprises:		
UK Corporation tax at 21% Less Over reserve previous year	10784 ( 497)  10287	16990 -  16990
3. Stocks		
Finished goods and goods for resale	24147 	24568 
4. Debtors		
Other debtors and payments in advance	56437 	53321

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	1998	1997	
5. Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year:			
Corporation Tax Other taxation and social security costs Dividends Other creditors	10784 1284 25000 38918	12210 1894 4000 25562	
	75986	43666	
6. Called up Share capital			
Authorised 100 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100	
Alloted, called up and fully paid 2 Ordinary shares of £1 each	2	2	
7. Reconciliation of movements in Shareholders Funds			
Profit on ordinary activities after tax Dividends	37772 (25000)	51432 (18000)	
Net addition to shareholder funds Opening shareholder funds	12772 68 <b>5</b> 14	33432 35003	
Closing shareholder funds	81286	68515	