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## CANYNGE BICKNELL (LENFESTEY) LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors submit their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 1999.

#### Directors and their interests

The directors throughout the year were the following, who have no interests in the shares of the company.

B R Bicknell A Whicheloe M Fitzgerald (appointed 1 March 1999)

#### Principal activity

The company's principal activity during the year was that of property investment management. The company was dormant until 1 May 1999 when it commenced trading.

#### Results

The profit for the year was £20,351, subject to taxation of £4,120.

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

The profit after taxation to carry forward now stands at £16,231.

#### Market value of properties

In the opinion of the directors, the market value of properties held as fixed assets are in excess of the carrying value in the balance sheet.

#### **Auditors**

The auditors, Pannell Kerr Forster, have signified their willingness to continue in office. A resolution to reappoint them will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

By order of the board

17.05.00

Date

Director

## CANYNGE BICKNELL (LENFESTEY) LIMITED 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 of the company for that year.

In preparing these 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;
- 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 are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

# REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF CANYNGE BICKNELL (LENFESTEY) LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 9, which have been prepared under the accounting policies set out on page 6.

#### Respective responsibilities of the 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 information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance as to whether 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.

#### Qualified opinion arising from disagreement of accounting treatment

As explained in note 1b), the treatment of valuation of investment properties is not in accordance with the requirements of Statements of Standard Accounting Practice No. 19.

We are unable to quantify the effects of the departure from the requirement of the Accounting Standard referred to above, other than already described in the notes to the financial statements.

Except for the absence of adjustments to the value of investment properties, in our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 1999 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Bristol

Date 17 May 2000

Registered Auditors

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# CANYNGE BICKNELL (LENFESTEY) LIMITED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1999

	Notes	1999 £	1998 £
TURNOVER		-	-
Other operating income	2	<u>20,393</u>	
		20,393	-
Other operating charges		(344)	
OPERATING PROFIT		20,049	-
Interest receivable	4	302	
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	5	20,351	-
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	6	<u>(4,120)</u>	
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES AFTER TAXATION	11	<u>16,231</u>	

All amounts relate to continuing operations.

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the profit for the year.

#### CANYNGE BICKNELL (LENFESTEY) LIMITED BALANCE SHEET 31 DECEMBER 1999

	Notes	19	999	1998	
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	7		455,122		-
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	8	2,035		100	
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>71,688</u>		<del>_</del>	
		73,723		100	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	9	<u>(512,514)</u>		<del>_=</del>	
NET CURRENT (LIABILITIES)/A	SSETS		(438,791)		<u>100</u>
NET ASSETS			16,331		100
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	10		100		100
Profit and loss account	11		16,231		
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	12		<u>16,331</u>		<u>100</u>

B R BICKNEI

..... Director

Date 17.05.00

#### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and the following accounting policies.

#### a) Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

#### b) Rental income

Rental income is accounted for on an accruals basis.

#### c) Investment properties

The investment properties have not been revalued in accordance with the provision of Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No. 19. The directors are of the opinion that the open market value of investment properties is in excess of the carrying value of such properties in the financial statements.

#### 2 OTHER OPERATING INCOME

	1999 £	1998 £
Rental income Ex-gratia payment	20,042 351	- _ <del>-</del>
	<u>20,393</u>	<u>_</u>

#### 3 STAFF COSTS

The only employees of the company are the directors who have not received any remuneration.

4	INTEREST RECEIVABLE	1000	1000
		1999 £	1998 £
	Interest on bank deposit account	<u>302</u>	<u>=</u>
5	PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	1999 £	1998 £
	This is stated after charging: Auditors' remuneration	<u>250</u>	<del>=</del>
6	TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES	1999 £	1998 £
	Corporation tax at 20% (1998 : Nil) based on taxable profits for the year	<u>4,120</u>	<u>-</u>
7	FIXED ASSETS		Investment property
	Cost		£
	At 1 January 1999 Additions		<u>455,122</u>
	At 31 December 1999		<u>455,122</u>
	Depreciation At 1 January 1999 and at 31 December 1999		
	Net book value		
	At 31 December 1999		<u>455,122</u>
	At 31 December 1998		
	Investment properties are included at cost.		

8	DEBTORS	1999 £	1998 £
	Trade debtors Amount due from parent undertaking Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income	1,902 121 	100 - - - 100
9	CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year:	1999 £	1998 £
	Trade creditors Amounts owed to related undertakings Corporation tax Other taxation and social security Other creditors Accruals and deferred income	280 500,000 4,120 1,250 6,599 265 512,514	- - - - -
10	SHARE CAPITAL  Authorised: 100 ordinary shares of £1 each  Allotted, issued and fully paid:	1999 £ 	1998 £
	100 ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>

#### 11 PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

	£
Retained profit for the year As at 1 January 1999	16,231
As at 31 December 1999	<u>16,231</u>

#### 12 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENT IN EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

	1999 £	1998 £
Profit for the financial year Shareholders' funds as at 1 January 1999	16,231 100	<u>100</u>
Shareholders' funds as at 31 December 1999	<u>16,331</u>	<u>100</u>

#### 13 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

As at 31 December 1999 the following balances (1998: £Nil) were owed to related undertakings.

Canynge Securities Limited	£150,000
Bicknell Holdings Plc	£150,000
Lenfestey Estates (Holdings) Limited	£100,000
Canynge Bicknell Limited	£100,000