SIGNED COPY

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS AND

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

FOR

ABA CORPORATE FINANCE LIMITED 2936888

COMPANIES HOUSE

CONTENTS OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

	Pag
Company Information	1
Report of the Directors	2
Report of the Independent Auditors	4
Profit and Loss Account	5
Balance Sheet	6
Cash Flow Statement	7
Notes to the Cash Flow Statement	8
Notes to the Financial Statements	9

COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

DIRECTORS.

Mr R P Barnsley

Mr N Mackay Sır B P Zıssman

J Hall

Mr R Painting

SECRETARY:

Mr R P Barnsley

REGISTERED OFFICE:

6th Floor

Edgbaston House 3 Duchess Place Birmingham West Midlands B16 8NH

REGISTERED NUMBER:

02936888 (England and Wales)

AUDITORS:

J W Hinks

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors 19 Highfield Road

Edgbaston Birmingham B15 3BH

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the period 1 September 2007 to 30 June 2008

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the period under review was that of acting as a corporate finance adviser

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

The results for the period and financial position of the company are as shown in the annexed financial statements

The accounts for ABA Corporate Finance Limited are included within the group accounts for The Advantage Business Angels Group Limited (previously Private Equity UK Limited)

A full business review for the group can be found in the directors' report of that company

DIVIDENDS

No dividends will be distributed for the period ended 30 June 2008

DIRECTORS

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 September 2007 to the date of this report

Mr R P Barnsley Mr N Mackay Sır B P Zıssman J Hall

Other changes in directors holding office are as follows

Mr P Court - resigned 8 October 2007 Mr J R M Phillips - resigned 8 October 2007 Mr R Painting - appointed 17 March 2008

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). The financial statements are required by law to 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 period. 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,
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements,
- 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.

STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 234ZA of the Companies Act 1985) of which the company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

AUDITORS

The auditors, J W Hinks, will be proposed for re-appointment in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD.

Mr N Mackay - Director

1 October 2008

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF ABA CORPORATE FINANCE LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of ABA Corporate Finance Limited for the period ended 30 June 2008 on pages five to fifteen. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accounting Practice) are set out on page two

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland)

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you whether in our opinion the information given in the Report of the Directors is consistent with the financial statements.

In addition, we report to you if, in our opinion, the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed

We read the Report of the Directors and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) 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, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 June 2008 and of its profit for the period then ended,
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and

- the information given in the Report of the Directors is consistent with the financial statements

J W Hinks Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors 19 Highfield Road Edgbaston Birmingham B15 3BH

1 October 2008

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

		Period	,
		1.9.07 to 30.6.08	Year Ended 31 8 07
	Notes	£	£
TURNOVER		116,465	101,309
Cost of sales		5,250	8,337
GROSS PROFIT		111,215	92,972
Administrative expenses		7,790	7,746
OPERATING PROFIT	3	103,425	85,226
Interest receivable and similar income		1,332	437
		104,757	85,663
Amounts written off investments	4	13,750	
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIE BEFORE TAXATION	s	91,007	85,663
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5	258	85
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL PERI AFTER TAXATION	IOD	90,749	85,578

CONTINUING OPERATIONS

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the current period or previous year

TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the profits for the current period or previous year

BALANCE SHEET 30 JUNE 2008

		2008	1	2007	,
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	6		334		422
Investments	7		22,500		2
			22,834		424
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	8	91,568		74,556	
Cash at bank and in hand		93,701		53,832	
		185,269		128,388	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	9	10,887		22,345	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			174,382		106,043
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES			<u>197,216</u>		106,467
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	10		267,762		267,762
Share premium	11		509,036		509,036
Profit and loss account	11		(579,582)		(670,331)
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	13		197,216		106,467

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 1 October 2008 and were signed on its behalf by

Mr N Mackay - Director

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

	N.	Period 1.9.07 to 30 6.08	Year Ended 31 8 07
Net cash inflow	Notes	£	£
from operating activities	1	74,862	43,936
Returns on investments and			
servicing of finance	2	1,332	437
Taxation		(77)	-
Capital expenditure			
and financial investment	2	(36,248)	·
Increase in cash in the period		39,869	44,373
Reconciliation of net cash flow			
to movement in net funds	3		
Increase in cash in the period		39,869	44,373
Change in net funds resulting			
from cash flows		39,869	44,373
Movement in net funds in the period		39,869	44,373
Net funds at 1 September		53,832	9,459
Net funds at 30 June		93,701	53,832

3

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

1	RECONCILIATION	OF	OPERATING	PROFIT	TO	NET	CASH	INFLOW	FROM	OPERATING
	ACTIVITIES									

	Period	
	1.9.07	
	to	Year Ended
	30.6.08	31 8 07
	£	£
Operating profit	103,425	85,226
Depreciation charges	88	140
Increase in debtors	(17,012)	(61,519)
(Decrease)/Increase in creditors	(11,639)	20,089
Net cash inflow from operating activities	74,862	43,936
		

2 ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOWS FOR HEADINGS NETTED IN THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT

		Period 1.9.07 to 30.6.08 £	Year Ended 31 8 07 £
Returns on investments and servicing of finance Interest received		1,332	437
inclest received			
Net cash inflow for returns on investments and servicing of finance	!	1,332	437
Capital expenditure and financial investment			
Purchase of fixed asset investments		(36,250)	-
Sale of fixed asset investments		2	-
Net cash outflow for capital expenditure and financial investment		(36,248)	-
ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET FUNDS			
	At 1.9.07	Cash flow £	At 30.6.08 £
Net cash Cash at bank and in hand	53,832	39,869	93,701
Cash at basis and in their			
	53,832	39,869	93,701
Total	53,832	39,869	93,701

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and are in accordance with applicable accounting standards

Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax

Tangible fixed assets

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

Plant and machinery

- 25% on reducing balance

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date

2 STAFF COSTS

There were no staff costs for the period ended 30 June 2008 nor for the year ended 31 August 2007

The average monthly number of employees during the period was as follows

	•	•	•		Perio 1.9.0		
					to 30.6.0		Year Ended 31 8 07
Directors						5 =	<u>6</u>

3 OPERATING PROFIT

The operating profit is stated after charging

	Period 1.9.07	
	to 30.6.08	Year Ended 31 8 07
	£	£
Depreciation - owned assets Auditors' remuneration	88 2,320	140 1,750
	===	
Directors' emoluments	-	<u> </u>

4 AMOUNTS WRITTEN OFF INVESTMENTS

	Period	
	1.9.07	
	to	Year Ended
	30.6.08	31 8 07
	£	£
Amounts written off investments	13,750	_

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

5 TAXATION

The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities for the perio		
	Period	
	1.9.07	
	to	Year Ended
	30.6.08	31 8 07
	£	£
Current tax		
UK corporation tax	266	85
Prior year	(8)	-
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	258	85
•		

Factors affecting the tax charge

The tax assessed for the period is lower than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK. The difference is explained below

	Period 1.9.07 to 30.6 08 £	Year Ended 31 8 07 £
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	91,007	<u>85,663</u>
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19 970% (2007 - 19 420%)	18,174	16,636
Effects of Depreciation in excess of capital allowances Tax losses Adjustments to tax charge in respect of prior periods	(146) (17,762) (8)	(229) (16,322)
Current tax charge	<u>258</u>	85

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

6	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			Plant and machinery £
	COST			
	At 1 September 2007			
	and 30 June 2008			7,476
	DEPRECIATION			5.054
	At 1 September 2007			7,054
	Charge for period			
	At 30 June 2008			7,142
	NET BOOK VALUE			
	At 30 June 2008			334
	At 31 August 2007			422
7	FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS			
•		Shares in		
		group	Listed	
		undertakings	investments £	Totals £
	0000	£	ı.	L
	COST	2	_	2
	At 1 September 2007 Additions	-	36,250	36,250
	Disposals	(2)	-	(2)
	Disposuis			
	At 30 June 2008	_	36,250	36,250
	PROVISIONS			
	Provision for period	-	13,750	13,750
	7.00.000 P			
	At 30 June 2008		13,750	13,750
	NET BOOK VALUE			
	At 30 June 2008	-	22,500	22,500
			====	= =
	At 31 August 2007	2	-	2
				

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

7 **FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued**

The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following

Investor Champions Limited

Country of incorporation England Nature of business Dormant

% holding Class of shares 100 00 Ordinary

2007 £ £ 2 Aggregate capital and reserves

2008

2000

2007

The company is dormant

9

During the year the ABA Corporate Finance Limited sold its investment in Investor Champions Limited for £2 to The Advantage Business Angels Group Limited (previously known as Private Equity UK Limited), a company in which Mr R P Barnsley and Mr N D Mackay are both directors and shareholders

8 DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2008	2007
	£	£
Trade debtors	76,848	71,688
Amounts owed by group undertakings	14,720	-
Prepayments and accrued income		2,868
	91,568	74,556
		=
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
	2008	2007
		_

	~	~
Trade creditors	3,029	215
Tax	266	85
Social security and other taxes	-	15,295
VAT	592	-
Accrued expenses	7,000	6,750
	10.997	22.245
	10,887	22,345

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

10	CALLED UP	SHARE CAPITAL			
	Authorised Number 20,000,000 1,033,700	Class Ordinary Ordinary 'A'	Nominal value 5p 1p	2008 £ 1,000,000 10,337 1,010,337	2007 £ 1,000,000 10,337 1,010,337
	Allotted, issue Number 5,148,500 1,033,700	ed and fully paid Class Ordinary Ordinary 'A'	Nominal value 5p 1p	2008 £ 257,425 10,337 267,762	2007 £ 257,425 10,337 267,762
11	RESERVES		Profit and loss account £	Share premium £	Totals £
	At 1 September Profit for the p		(670,331) 90,749	509,036	(161,295) 90,749
	At 30 June 20	08	(579,582) ———	509,036	(70,546)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

12 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

ABA Private Investors Limited

Provision of services

During the period ended 30 June 2008, ABA Corporate Finance Limited provided services totalling £85,000 (year ended 31 August 2007 - £35,000) to ABA Private Investors Limited (previously known as The Business Angels Bureau Limited), a company in which Mr R P Barnsley and Mr N Mackay and Sir B P Zissman also serve as directors

These transactions were conducted under normal commercial terms

The Advantage Business Angels Group Limited

Purchase of shares in ABA Corporate Finance Limited

During the period ended 30 June 2008, The Advantage Business Angels Group Limited (previously known as Private Equity UK Limited) acquired a majority shareholding in the ownership of ABA Corporate Finance Limited

The Advantage Business Angels Group Limited is a company in which Mr R P Barnsley, Mr N Mackay, Sir B P Zissman and Mr R Painting serve as directors and have a beneficial interest

Disposal of investment in Investor Champions Limited

During the year ABA Corporate Finance Limited disposed of its investment in Investor Champions Limited for a total of £2 to The Advantage Business Angels Group Limited

Provision of services

During the period ended 30 June 2008, ABA Corporate Finance Limited provided services totalling £35,000 (year ended 31 August 2007 - £47,500) to The Advantage Business Angels Group Limited

This transaction was conducted under normal commercial terms

As at 30 June 2008 ABA Corporate Finance Limited was owed £41,125 (year ended 31 August 2007 - £nil) from The Advantage Business Angels Group Limited

Private Equity Builders LLP

During the period ended 30 June 2008, ABA Corporate Finance Limited acquired shares to the value of £36,250 (year ended 31 August 2007 - £nil) in Early Equity plc from Private Equity Builders LLP, a limited liability partnership in which Mr N Mackay and Sir B P Zissman have a beneficial interest

Mr N Mackay and Mr R Painting serve as directors of Early Equity plc

13 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

	£	£
Profit for the financial period	90,749	85,578
Net addition to shareholders' funds	90,749	85,578
Opening shareholders' funds	106,467	20,889
Closing shareholders' funds	197,216	106,467

2007

2008

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 2007 TO 30 JUNE 2008

14	CONTROL
14	CONTROL

The company is under the control of The Advantage Business Angels Group Limited, a company incorporated in England