Directors' report and financial statements

for the year ended 31 August 2004

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Directors' report for the year ended 31 August 2004

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2004.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company continued to be that of printers

Directors and their interests

The directors who served during the year and their interests in the company are as stated below:

	Ore	Ordinary shares		
	31/08/04	01/09/03		
R E Andrews	10	10		
A J Fisher	10	10		

TaxAssist Direct were appointed accountants during the year and the directors recommend that TaxAssist Direct remain in office until further notice.

This report is prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

This report was approved by the Board on and signed on its behalf by

Mrs M J Andrews

Secretary

Accountants' report on the unaudited financial statements to the directors of Pioneer Press Ltd

As described on the balance sheet you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2004 set out on pages 3 to 9 and you consider that the company is exempt from an audit. In accordance with your instructions we have compiled these unaudited financial statements, in order to assist you to fulfil your statutory responsibilities, from the accounting records and information supplied to us.

TaxAssist Direct

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Date:

11/4/2005

Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 August 2004

		2004	2003
	Notes	£	£
Turnover	2	184,500	162,086
Cost of sales		(79,661)	(71,202)
Gross profit		104,839	90,884
Distribution costs Administrative expenses		(30,336) (51,233)	(41,105) (60,799)
Operating profit/(loss)	3	23,270	(11,020)
Other interest receivable and similar income Interest payable and similar ch Profit/(loss) on ordinary	arges	157 	220 2
activities before taxation		23,427	(10,798)
Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinar Profit/(loss) on ordinary	y activities 5	(2,994)	2,138
activities after taxation		20,433	(8,660)
Dividends		-	(50,000)
Retained profit/(loss) for the	year	20,433	(58,660)
Retained profit brought forwar	rd	19,312	77,952
Retained profit carried forw	ard	39,745	19,292
			

Balance sheet as at 31 August 2004

		2004		2003	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	6		20,492		24,850
Current assets					
Stocks		12,000		22,142	
Debtors	7	22,060		24,293	
Cash at bank and in hand		30,257		13,176	
		64,317		59,611	
Creditors: amounts falling					
due within one year	8	(44,980)		(65,149)	
Net current assets/(liabilities)			19,337		(5,538)
Total assets less current					
liabilities			39,829		19,312
Suspense			(64)		<u> </u>
Net assets			39,765		19,312
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	9		20		20
Profit and loss account			39,745		19,292
Shareholders' funds			39,765		19,312

The directors' statements required by Section 249B(4) are shown on the following page which forms part of this Balance Sheet.

Balance sheet (continued)

Directors' statements required by Section 249B(4) for the year ended 31 August 2004

In approving these financial statements as directors of the company we hereby confirm:

- (a) that for the year stated above the company was entitled to the exemption conferred by Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) that no notice has been deposited at the registered office of the company pursuant to Section 249B(2) requesting that an audit be conducted for the year ended 31 August 2004 and
- (c) that we acknowledge our responsibilities for:
- (1) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221, and
- (2) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of Section 226 and which otherwise comply with the provisions of the Companies Act relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

The financial statements were approved by the Board on and signed on its behalf by

R E Andrews Director

The notes on pages 6 to 9 form an integral part of these financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2004

1. Accounting policies

1.1. Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

1.2. Turnover

Turnover represents the total invoice value, excluding value added tax, of sales made during the year.

1.3. Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Land and buildings

Nil

Plant and machinery

15% Reducing Balance

Fixtures, fittings

and equipment

25% Reducing Balance & 33% Straight Line

Motor vehicles

25% Reducing Balance

1.4. Stock and work in progress

Stock and work in progress are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

1.5. Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more, tax, with the following exceptions:

Provision is made for tax on gains arising from the revaluation (and similar fair value adjustments) of fixed assets, and gains on disposal of fixed assets that have been rolled over into replacement assets, only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, there is a binding agreement to dispose of the assets concerned. However, no provision is made where, on the basis of all available evidence at the balance sheet date, it is more likely than not that the taxable gain will be rolled over into replacement assets and charged to tax only where the replacement assets are sold;

Provision is made for deferred tax that would arise on remittance of the retained earnings of overseas subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, dividends have been accrued as receivable;

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted.

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2004

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2.	Turnover The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its jundertaken in the UK.	orincipal activ	vity wholly
3.	Operating profit/(loss)	2004 £	2003 £
	Operating profit/(loss) is stated after charging:	-	
	Depreciation and other amounts written off tangible assets	4,360	8,122
4.	Directors' emoluments		
	Remuneration and other benefits	2004 £ 26,253	2003 £ 36,171
5.	Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities		
	Analysis of charge in period	2004 £	2003 £
	Current tax		
	UK corporation tax	2,994	(2,138)

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2004

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6.	Tangible fixed assets	Land and buildings	machinery	Fixtures, fittings and equipment	Motor vehicles	Total
	_	£	£	£	£	£
	Cost	1.000	010	0.500	~ ^ ^ ·	05.001
	At 1 September 2003	1,280	77,917	8,538	7,286	95,021
	At 31 August 2004	1,280	77,917	8,538	7,286	95,021
	Depreciation					
	At 1 September 2003	-	58,353	6,836	4,980	70,169
	Charge for the year	-	2,935	849	576	4,360
	At 31 August 2004	-	61,288	7,685	5,556	74,529
	Net book values	_				
	At 31 August 2004	1,280	16,629	853	1,730	20,492
	At 31 August 2003	1,280	19,564	1,702	2,306	24,852
7.	Debtors Trade debtors Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income				2004 £ 17,727 1,392 2,941 22,060	2003 £ 17,872 3,480 2,941 24,293
8.	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year				2004 £	2003 £
	Trade creditors				11,613	7,998
	Other taxes and social security costs				(111)	917
	Directors' accounts				15,944	40,244
	Accruals and deferred income				17,534	15,990
					44,980	65,149

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2004

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9.	Share capital	2004	2003
		£	£
	Authorised		
	100 Ordinary shares of 1 each	100	100
			
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	20 Ordinary shares of 1 each	20	20
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