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WHITEHALL PLANNING LIMITED

REPORT AND ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1998

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DIRECTORS AND ADVISERS

DIRECTORS A P Covill

M A Richardson

COMPANY SECRETARY M A Richardson

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Hove

East Sussex BN3 2DJ

COMPANY NUMBER 3236549

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BANKERS Bank of Scotland

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors present their report on the affairs of the Company together with the accounts for the year ended 31st December 1998.

Principal Activities

The Company's principal activity was the provision of strategic business advice. The Company ceased trading on 31st December 1998.

Results and Dividends

As a result of a lack of business opportunities the Company rebated £75,000 of the fees charged to the Western Industrial Finance Company Limited in previous years.

The loss after tax for the year was £(48,248).

The Directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

Directors

The Directors of the Company during the year and the beneficial interests of those in office at the end of the year in the issued share capital of the Company at the start of the year, or later appointment, and at the end of the year were as follows:

	1998	1997	
A P Covill	100	100	
M A Richardson	-	-	

Status

The Company is a close company under the provisions of S.414 Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1988.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

M A Richardson

Secretary

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 1998

	Notes		1998		1997
CURRENT ASSETS		£	£	£	£
Debtors	3	35,279		5,875	
Cash		399		96,801	
		35,678		102,676	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	4	13,125		31,875	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			22,553		70,801
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRE LIABILITIES	NT		<u>22,553</u>		<u>70,801</u>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called up share capital Profit and Loss Account	5		100 22,453		100 70,701
			22,553		70,801

The Company was entitled to exemption under s249A.1 of the Companies Act 1985 and no notice has been deposited under s249B.2 in relation to the accounts for the year ended 31st December 1998. The Directors acknowledge responsibility for ensuring that the Company keeps accounting records which comply with s221 and preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company as at the end of the financial period in accordance with the requirements of s226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts so far as applicable to the Company.

The Directors have prepared these accounts in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

Date accounts approved by the Board: 30H June 1999

The notes attached form part of these accounts

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1998

	Notes	Year ended 31 st December 1998 £	Fifteen months ended 31st December 1997	
Turnover	6	(75,000)	96,700	
Administrative Expenses		974	3,032	
Operating (Loss)/Profit		(75,974)	93,758	
Interest receivable and similar income		5,496	5,943	
(Loss)/Profit on Ordinary Activities		(70,478)	99,701	
Tax on (loss)/profit on ordinary activities	7	22,230	(29,000)	
(Loss)/Profit after taxation for the year/period		(<u>48,248</u>)	<u>70,701</u>	
STATEMENT OF RETAINED EARNINGS				
Retained profit brought forward		70,701	-	
(Loss)/retained profit for the year/perio	od	(48,248)	70,701	
Retained profit carried forward		22,453	70,701	

There are no other recognised gains or losses or movements in shareholders funds that require disclosure to comply with Financial Reporting Standard 3.

The notes attached form part of these accounts

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1998

1. DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Directors are required by the Companies Act 1985 to prepare accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the balance sheet date and of the Company's results for the year then ended.

In preparing those accounts, directors are required to select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently, make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent, and prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

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 accounts 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.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting Convention

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost accounting convention.

Turnover

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Turnover is the net amount receivable for services provided, excluding Value Added Tax.

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		£	£
	Value Added Tax	13,279	-
	Due from connected company	-	5,875
	Corporation Tax	22,000	w
		35,279	<u>5,875</u>
4.	CREDITORS	1998	1997
	Amounts falling due within one year	£	£
	Trade creditors	-	2,350
	Value Added Tax	-	525
	Corporation tax	-	29,000
	Due to connected company	13,125	-
		<u>13,125</u>	31,875

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5. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

	Ordinary shar	Ordinary shares of £1 each		
	1998	1997		
Authorised	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>		
Allotted, Called up and Fully Paid	100	<u>100</u>		

6. TURNOVER

The turnover is attributable to the principal activities of the Company.

7. TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

	1998	1997
	£	£
Corporation tax at 31.2% / 28.6%	(22,000)	29,000
Prior year corporation tax	(230)	-
	$(\underline{22,230})$	<u>29,000</u>

8. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

	(Creditor) at	Fee rebated	Debtor at
	end of year	in the year	start of year
	£	£	£
Western Industrial Finance Company Limited	(13,125)	(75,000)	5,875

9. CONTINGENCIES

The Company had no contingent liabilities at 31st December 1998.

10. FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS

The Company had no capital commitments at 31st December 1998.