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## ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

FOR

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# COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

**DIRECTORS:** 

A S Levy R M Leonard G Carter J Gladstone J Smithers K L Morris

SECRETARY:

A S Levy

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**AUDITORS** 

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## REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

The directors present their report with the accounts of the company for the year ended 30 April 2007

### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of administrative, labour and buying services for veterinary practices

#### **REVIEW OF BUSINESS**

The results for the year and financial position of the company are as shown in the annexed accounts

#### DIVIDENDS

No dividends will be distributed for the year ended 30 April 2007

#### **DIRECTORS**

The directors during the year under review were

A S Levy

R M Leonard

G Carter

J Gladstone

J Smithers

K L Morris

The directors holding office at 30 April 2007 did not hold any beneficial interest in the issued share capital of the company at 1 May 2006 or 30 April 2007

At 30 April 2007, all the issued share capital of the company was held by Medivet Veterinary Group, a partnership in which all the directors of Medivet Group Limited are partners

## **DISABLED EMPLOYEES**

Applications for disabled persons are always fully considered, bearing in mind the aptitudes of the applicant concerned. In the event of members of staff becoming disabled, every effort is made to ensure their employment with the group continues and that appropriate training is arranged. It is the policy of the company that the training, career development and promotion of disables persons should, as far as possible, be identical with that of other employees.

## **EMPLOYEE CONSULTATION**

The company places considerable value on the involvement of its employees and has continued to keep them informed on matters affecting them as employees and on the various factors affecting the performance of the company

## REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

### 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,
- 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

#### **AUDITORS**

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

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

20/0/08

A S Levy - Secretary

Date

# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO MEDIVET GROUP LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages five to fifteen, together with the financial statements of Medivet Group Limited for the year ended 30 April 2007 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special 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, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 246A of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 246A(3) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with that provision and to report our opinion to you

## Basis of opinion

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2006/3 "The Special Auditor's Report on Abbreviated Accounts in the United Kingdom" assued by the Auditing Practices Board. In accordance with that Bulletin we have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared

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In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 246A(3) of the companies Agt 1985, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with that provision

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Date

# ABBREVIATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

		200	<b>)</b> 7	200	6
	Notes	£	£	£	£
GROSS PROFIT			14,306,424		9,506,486
Administrative expenses			14,014,476		9,206,601
OPERATING PROFIT	3		291,948		299,885
Income from investments Interest receivable and		17,000		17,000	
similar income		9,852		12,936	
	-	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	26,852 -		29,936
			318,800		329,821
Interest payable and					
sımılar charges	4		2,327		1,719
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION			316,473		328,102
Tax on profit on ordinary	_		100.40=		116.108
activities	5		108,487		116,497
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AFTER TAXATION			207,986		211,605
Retained profit brought forward			2,482,527		2,270,922
RETAINED PROFIT CARRIED FORW	'ARD		£2,690,513		£2,482,527

## **CONTINUING OPERATIONS**

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the current and previous years

## TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the profits for the current and previous years

## ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 30 APRIL 2007

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	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	6		761,492		847,248
Investments	7		1,000		1,000
			762,492		848,248
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks	8	112,959		115,109	
Debtors	9	4,264,537		4,344,542	
Cash at bank		46,444		56,488	
		4,423,940		4,516,139	
CREDITORS Amounts falling					
due within one year	10	2,485,919		2,871,860	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			1,938,021		1,644,279
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES:			£2,700,513		£2,492,527
CAPITAL AND RESERVES:					
Called up share capital	12		10,000		10,000
Profit and loss account			2,690,513		2,482,527
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	15		£2,700,513		£2,492,527

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to medium-sized companies

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on behalf by

A S Levy Director

Smithers - Director

# CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

		2007	2006
	Notes	£	£
Net cash inflow			
from operating activities	1	2,117,826	325,620
Returns on investments and			
servicing of finance	2	24,525	28,217
Taxation		(116,497)	(135,568)
Capital expenditure	2	(48,625)	(294,036)
Increase/(Decrease) in cash in the	period	£1,977,229	£(75,767)
Reconciliation of net cash flow			
to movement in net debt	3		
Increase/(Decrease) in cash in the	period	(562,328)	(158,527)
Change in net debt resulting			<del></del>
from cash flows		(562,328)	(158,527)
Movement in net debt in the period	i	(562,328)	(158,527)
Net (debt)/funds at 1 May		(126,439)	32,088
Net debt at 30 April		£(688,767)	£(126,439)
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## NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

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

	2007	2006
	£	£
Operating profit	291,948	299,885
Depreciation charges	134,381	149,515
Decrease in stocks	2,150	2,150
Decrease/(Increase) in debtors	3,901,139	(508,861)
(Decrease)/Increase in creditors	(2,211,792)	382,931
Net cash inflow		
from operating activities	2,117,826	325,620

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

	2007 £	2006 £
Returns on investments and servicing of finance		
Interest received	9,852	12,936
Interest paid	(2,327)	(1,719)
Dividends received	17,000	17,000
Net cash inflow		
for returns on investments and servicing of finance	24,525	<u>28,217</u>
Capital expenditure		
Purchase of tangible fixed assets	(48,625)	(294,036)
Net cash outflow	· · · · · · · -	
for capital expenditure	(48,625)	(294,036) =====

# NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

3	ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT			
		At 1 5 06	Cash flow	At 30.4 07
		£	£	£
	Net cash			
	Cash at bank	56,488	(10,044)	46,444
	Bank overdraft	(182,927)	(552,284)	(735,211)
		(126,439)	(562,328)	(688,767)
	Total	(126,439)	(562,328)	(688,767)
	Analysed in Balance Sheet			
	Cash at bank	56,488		46,444
	Bank overdraft	(182,927)		(735,211)
		(126,439)		(688,767)
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## NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

### ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention

#### Turnover

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Turnover represents net invoiced sales of services, 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

Fixtures fittings and equipment

- 15% on reducing balance

Motor vehicles

- 25% on reducing balance

#### Stocks

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items

### Deferred tax

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

### Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme Contributions payable for the year are charged in the profit and loss account

#### Investments

Investments held as fixed assets are stated at cost less provision for permanent diminution in value. Those held as current assets are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

## 2 STAFF COSTS

	2007	2006
Wages and salaries	£ 6,340,773	£ 4,927,040
Social security costs	580,502	486,207
Other pension costs	17,845	22,282
	6,939,120	5,435,529
The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows	2007	2006
Administration	66	60
Veterinary staff	280	244
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	346	304

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

3	OPERATING PROFIT		
	The operating profit is stated after charging		
	Hire of plant and machinery Depreciation - owned assets Auditors' remuneration	2007 £ (26,905) 134,381 9,000	2006 £ (66,095) 149,515 9,000
	Directors' emoluments	<u>.</u> =	=
4	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES	2007 £	2006 £
	Bank interest	<del>2,327</del>	1,719
5	TAXATION		
	Analysis of the tax charge The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities for the year was as follows	2007 £	2006 £
	Current tax UK corporation tax	108,487	116,497
	Tax on profit on ordinary activities	108,487	116,497
	Factors affecting the tax charge The tax assessed for the year is higher than the standard rate of corporation to explained below	ax in the UK TI	ne difference is
		2007 £	2006 £
	Profit on ordinary activities before tax	316,473	328,102
	Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 30% (2006 - 30%)	94,942	98,431
	Effects of		
	Expenses not deductible for tax purposes		2,342
	Capital allowances in excess of depreciation  Dividends receivable from investments	18,645	20,824
	Current tax charge	(5,100) 108,487	(5,100)
	Current tax charge	100,40/	116,497

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

6	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			
		Fixtures fittings and equipment	Motor vehicles	Totals
		£	£	£
	COST:			
	At 1 May 2006	1,418,165	3,800	1,421,965
	Additions	48,625		48,625
	At 30 April 2007	1,466,790	3,800	1,470,590
	DEPRECIATION			
	At 1 May 2006	570,917	3,800	574,717
	Charge for year	134,381		134,381
	At 30 April 2007	705,298	3,800	709,098
	NET BOOK VALUE.			
	At 30 April 2007	761,492		761,492
	At 30 April 2006	847,248	-	847,248
7	FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS			
	COST·			£
	At 1 May 2006			
	and 30 April 2007			1,000
	NET BOOK VALUE:			
	At 30 April 2007			1,000
	At 30 April 2006			1,000
			2007	2006
	Unlisted investments		£ 1,000	£ 1,000
	omated investments		====	====

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

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

7	FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued			
	Lab Services Limited Nature of business veterinary laboratory Class of shares	%		
	Ordinary	holding 33 00		
	•		2007	2006
			2007 £	2006 £
	Aggregate capital and reserves		68,743	17,187
	Profit for the year		70,253	23,251
8	STOCKS			
			2007	2006
	Stock		£	£ 115,109
	Stock		112,959	113,109
	The stock is made up of drugs and food			
9	DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR			
			2007	2006
			£	£
	Trade debtors		4,048,502	3,624,479
	Prepayments and accrued income Amounts owed by group		166,707	699,139
	undertakings		49,328	20,924
			4,264,537	4,344,542
10	CREDITORS AMOUNTS FALLING			
	DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR			
			2007 £	2006 £
	Bank loans and overdrafts		*	L
	(see note 11)		735,211	182,927
	Trade creditors Other taxes and social		927,035	2,150,342
	security costs		595,044	178,605
	Corporation tax		108,487	116,497
	Accrued expenses		120,142	243,489
			2,485,919	2,871,860
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## NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

### 11 LOANS AND OVERDRAFTS

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An analysis of	the maturity of loans and overdrafts is given	below		
			2007 £	2006 £
Amounts fallin	g due within one year or on demand		~	~
Bank overdraf	ts		735,211	182,927
CALLED UP	SHARE CAPITAL			
Authorised				
Number	Class	Nominal value	2007 £	2006 £
1,000,000	Ordinary	1	1,000,000	1,000,000
Allotted, issue	d and fully paid			
Number	Class	Nominal value	2007 £	2006 £

### 13 PENSION COMMITMENTS

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The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme, for which the pension cost charged for the year amounted to £22,282 (2005 - £29,146)

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## 14 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Ordinary

All the services rendered by the company during the period were to the Medivet Veterinary Group, a partnership controlled by the directors. At 30 April 2007, the balance from the partnership was £3,525,000 (2006 - £3,624,679). This represents a debt for services rendered and was repaid in the normal course of business after the balance sheet date.

During the year the company purchased services from Lab Services Limited, an associated company to the value of £246,822 (2006 - £282,766)

At 30th April 2007, the amounts owed by group undertakings in respect of expenses paid by the company include £5,250 (2006 - £5,250) from Complete Animal Care Limited, £4,255 (2006 - £3,833) from Lab Services Limited, £5,291 (2006 - £5,291) from Pet Health Education Services Limited, £7,352 (2006 - £3,150) from Hayes Property Limited and £27,180 (2006 - £2,500) from Medivet Property Holdings Limited (see note 9)

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2007

15	RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	2007 £	2006 £
	Profit for the financial year	207,986	211,605
	Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	207,986 2,492,527	211,605 2,280,922
	Closing shareholders' funds	2,700,513	2,492,527
	Equity interests	2,700,513	2,492,527

## 16 CONTROLLING PARTY

The company is controlled by Medivet Veterinary Group, a partnership in which the directors of Medivet Group Limited are partners