CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2002

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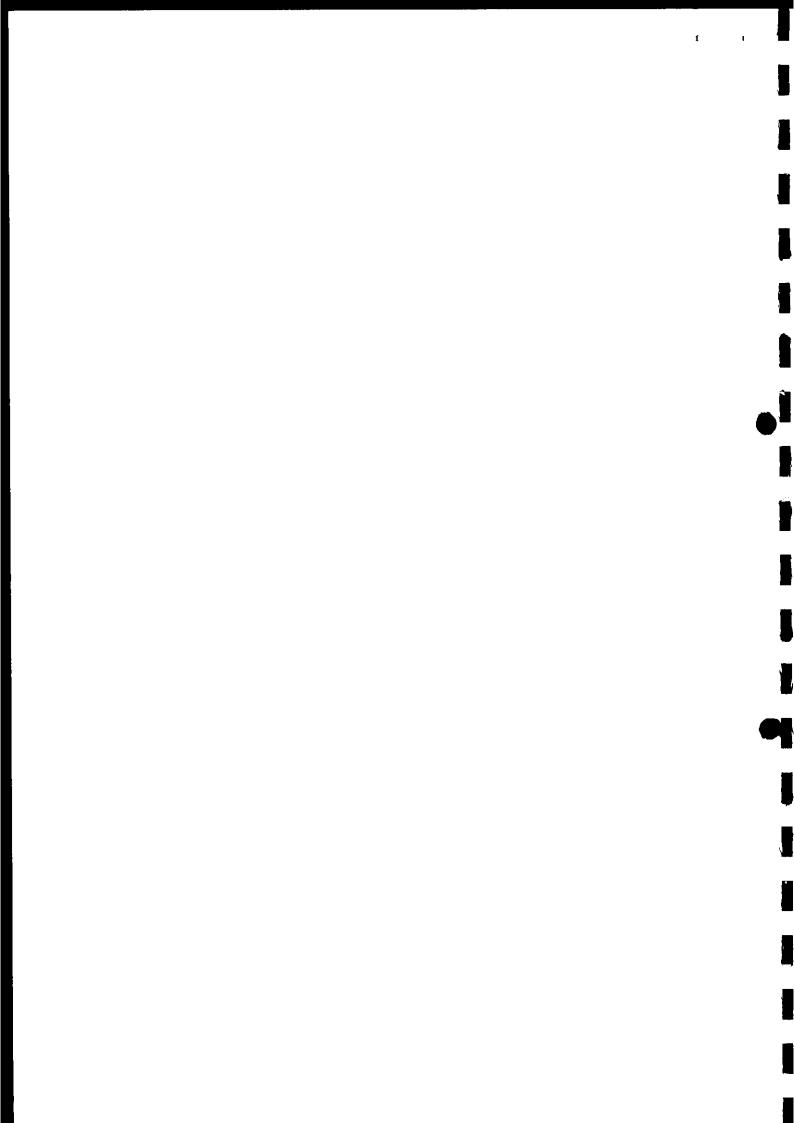
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COMPANY INFORMATION for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

DIRECTORS:

J L Evans G L Barnes J Skivington M W Evans

SECRETARY:

M W Evans

REGISTERED OFFICE:

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REGISTERED NUMBER:

3620695 (England and Wales)

AUDITORS:

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company and the group for the year ended 31 December 2002.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the group in the year under review was that of steel processing, and the development and marketing of modular steel-framed building systems.

CHANGE OF NAME

On 4 February 2003 the company changed its name to Renaissance Construction Systems Limited.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

The results for the year and financial position of the company and the group are as shown in the annexed financial statements.

DIVIDENDS

No dividends will be distributed for the year ended 31 December 2002.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

There has been significant development of modular steel-framed building systems which made an initial contribution in the year.

DIRECTORS

The directors during the year under review were:

J L Evans

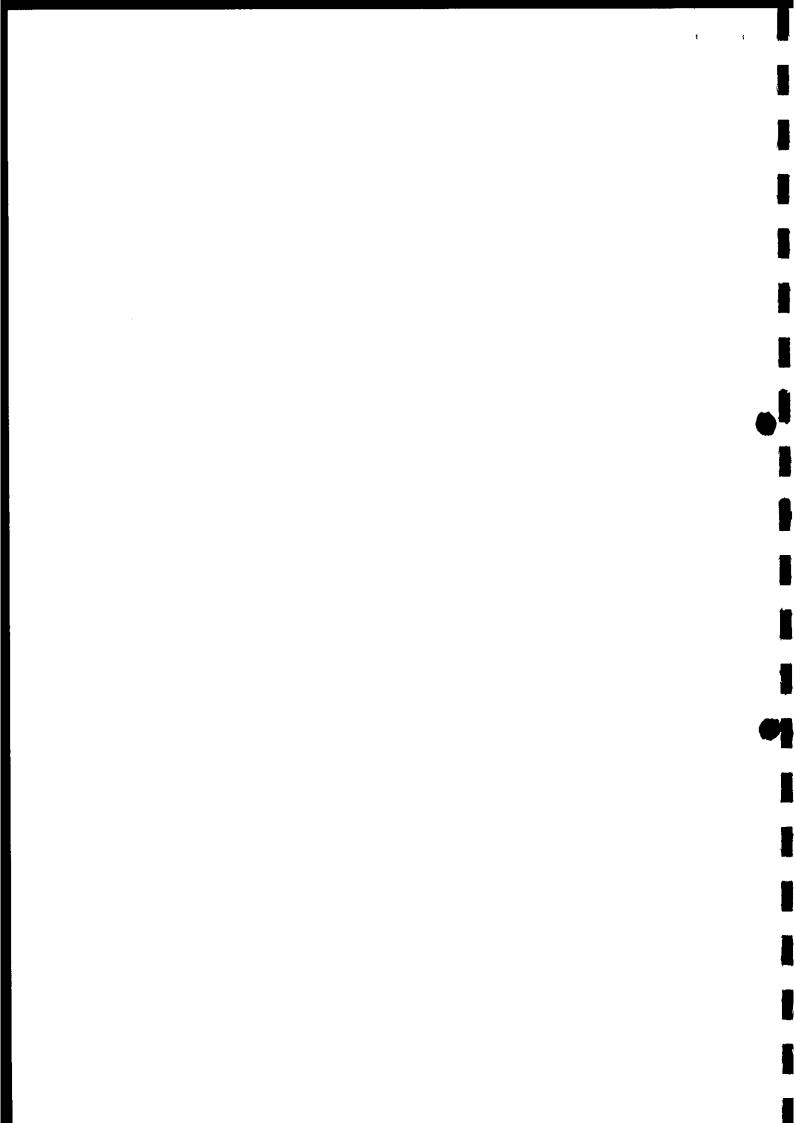
G L Barnes

J Skivington

M W Evans

The beneficial interests of the directors holding office on 31 December 2002 in the issued share capital of the company were as follows:

| Ordinary shares 10p shares | 31.12.02 | 1.1.02 |
|---|-----------------------|--------|
| J L Evans G L Barnes | - | 48,000 |
| J Skivington M W Evans | - - | 16,483 |
| Redeemable Preference shares 10p shares | | |
| J L Evans G L Barnes J Skivington M W Evans | 32,000 - - - | 32,000 |
| B Ordinary Shares 10p shares | | |
| J L Evans G L Barnes J Skivington M W Evans | - - - | 20,000 |



REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

| | 31.12.02 | 1.1.02 |
|----------------------------------|------------|--------|
| New A Ordinary shares 10p shares | | |
| J L Evans | 83,587 | _ |
| G L Barnes | , <u>-</u> | - |
| J Skivington | - | - |
| M W Evans | - | ~ |
| New B Ordinary shares 10p shares | | |
| J L Evans | 68,000 | |
| G L Barnes | · - | • |
| J Skivington | 16,843 | - |
| M W Evans | 10.106 | |

POLITICAL AND CHARITABLE DONATIONS

There were no political and charitable donations made during the year.

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 the group and of the profit or loss of the group for that period. In preparing those 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 the group 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 the group and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

AUDITORS

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

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

M W Evans - SECRETARY

Dated: 4 March 2003

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF BANRO HOLDINGS LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Banro Holdings Limited for the year ended 31 December 2002 on pages five to twenty eight. These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention (as modified by the revaluation of certain fixed assets) and the accounting policies set out therein.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page three the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

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 if, in our opinion, the Report of the Directors is not consistent with the financial statements, if 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 transactions with the company 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 United Kingdom 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 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 of the state of affairs of the company and the group as at 31 December 2002 and of the loss of the group for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Michael Dufty Partnership

Registered Auditors
The Counting House

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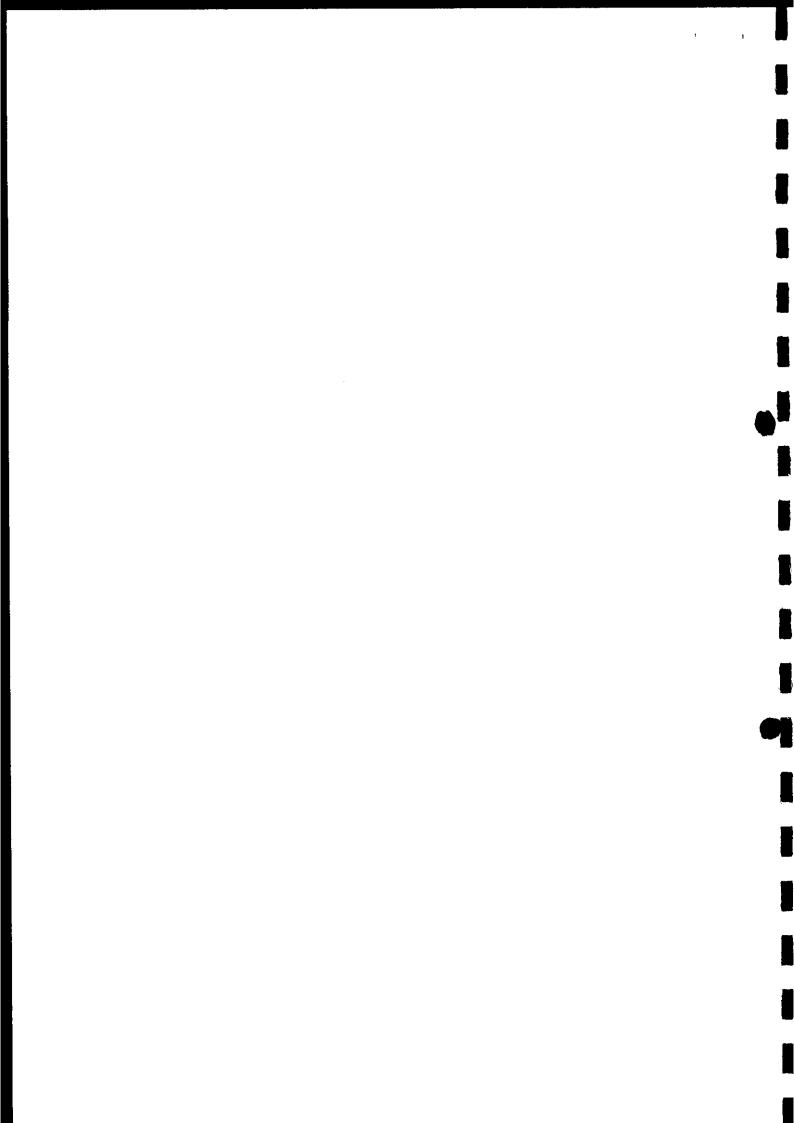
Dated: 4 March 2003

CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

| | - | 2002 | <u> </u> | 2001 | <u> </u> |
|--|--------|----------------------|------------|----------------------|------------|
| 1 | Notes | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| TURNOVER | | | 9,673,218 | | 8,255,896 |
| Cost of sales | | | 6,962,237 | | 5,906,468 |
| GROSS PROFIT | | | 2,710,981 | | 2,349,428 |
| Distribution costs Administrative expenses | | 451,466 2,131,265 | 2,582,731 | 346,307 1,830,271 | 2,176,578 |
| OPERATING PROFIT | 3 | | 128,250 | | 172,850 |
| Interest receivable and similar income | | | 2 | | 15 |
| | | | 128,252 | | 172,865 |
| Interest payable and similar charges | 4 | | 94,287 | | 424,059 |
| PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIV BEFORE TAXATION | VITIES | | 33,965 | | (251,194) |
| Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities | 5 | | 180,419 | | 12,502 |
| LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AFTER TAXATION | | | (146,454) | | (263,696) |
| DEFICIT FOR THE YEAR FOR THE GROUP | ; | | £(146,454) | | £(263,696) |

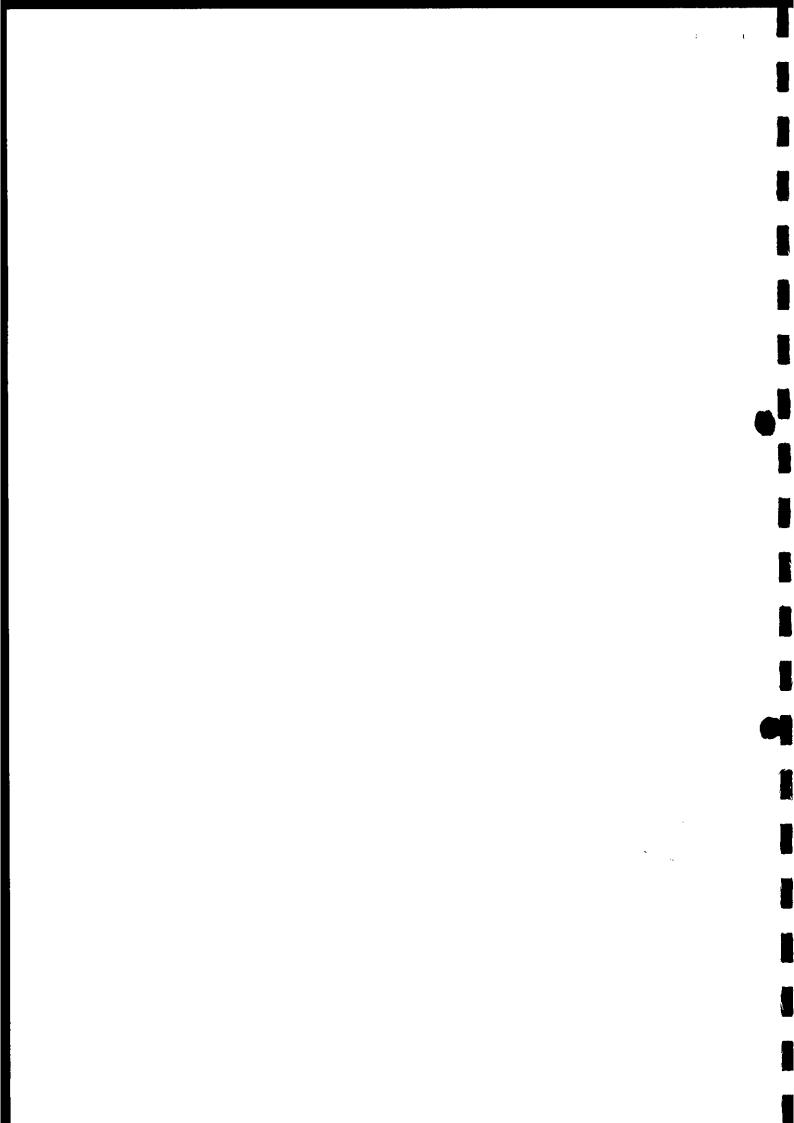
CONTINUING OPERATIONS

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



STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

| | 2002 | 2001 |
|---|------------|-------------|
| | £ | £ |
| LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR | (146,454) | (263,696) |
| Revaluation of freehold property | 221,737 | |
| TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES | | |
| RELATING TO THE YEAR | £75,283 | £(263,696) |
| NOTE OF HISTORICAL COST F for the Year Ended 31 D | | 2001 |
| | £ | £ |
| REPORTED PROFIT/(LOSS) | | |
| ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION Difference between historical cost depreciation charge and the actual | 33,965 | (251,194) |
| depreciation charge for the year | 21.050 | 22.200 |
| calculated on the revalued amount | 21,058 | 23,398 |
| HISTORICAL COST PROFIT/(LOSS) | | |
| ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION | £55,023 | £(227,796) |
| Historical cost loss | | |
| for the year retained after taxation | £(125,396) | £(240,298) |



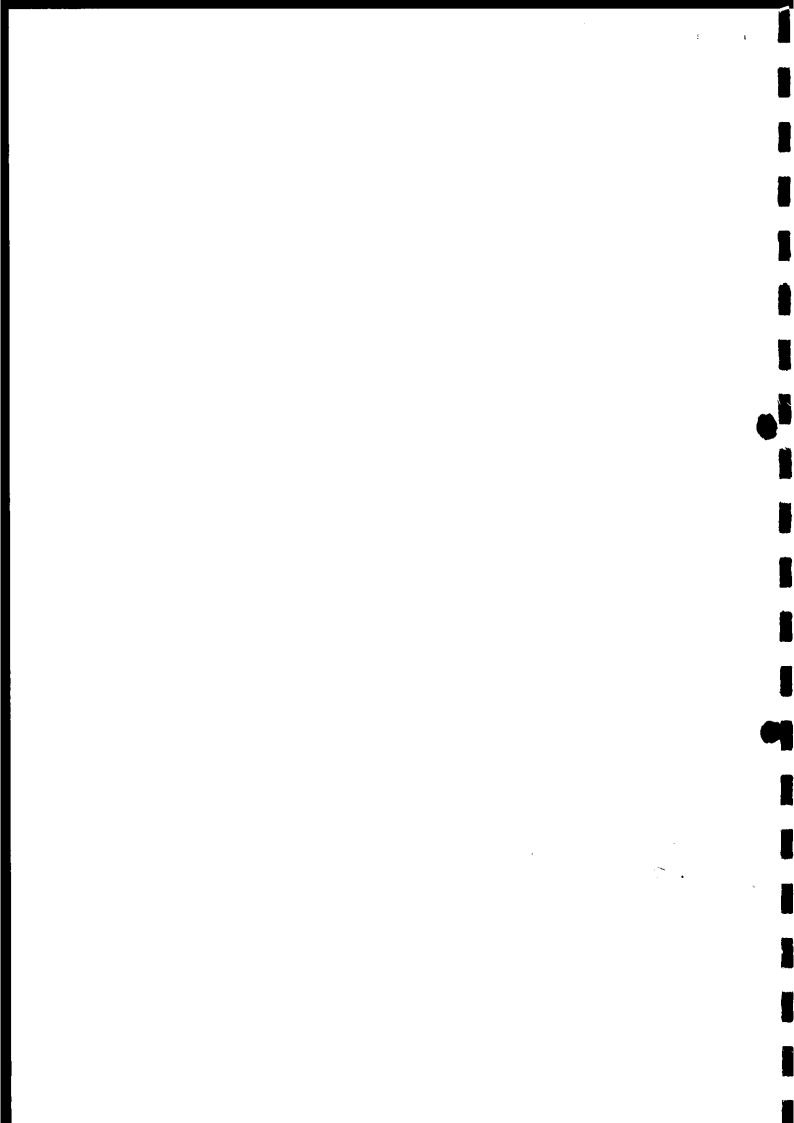
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET 31 December 2002

| | | 200 |)2 | 200 |)1 |
|--|-------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | Notes | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| FIXED ASSETS | _ | | | | |
| Intangible assets | 7 | | 4,083,494 | | 4,455,295 |
| Tangible assets | 8 | | 3,073,277 | | 2,897,184 |
| | | | 7,156,771 | | 7,352,479 |
| CURRENT ASSETS | | | | | |
| Stocks | 10 | 273,468 | | 326,971 | |
| Debtors | 11 | 1,395,305 | | 1,349,189 | |
| Cash at bank and in hand | | 178,072 | | 3,139 | |
| | | 1,846,845 | | 1,679,299 | |
| CREDITORS | | | | | |
| Amounts falling due within one year | 12 | 2,898,370 | | 3,168,504 | |
| NET CURRENT LIABILITIES | | | (1,051,525) | | (1,489,205) |
| TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES | | | 6,105,246 | | 5,863,274 |
| CREDITORS Amounts falling due after more than year | one | | (1,170,693) | | (4,810,376) |
| your | 15 | | (1,170,055) | | (1,010,570) |
| PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES | | | | | |
| AND CHARGES | 17 | | (516,101) | | (374,058) |
| · | | | £4,418,452 | | £678,840 |
| | | | | | |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES | | | | | |
| Called up share capital | 18 | | 229,635 | | 50,084 |
| Share premium | 19 | | 3,935,537 | | 450,759 |
| Revaluation reserve | 19 | | 221,737 | | - |
| Profit and loss account | 19 | | 31,543 | | 177,997 |
| SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS | 25 | | £4,418,452 | | £678,840 |

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

J L Evans - DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on 4 March 2003



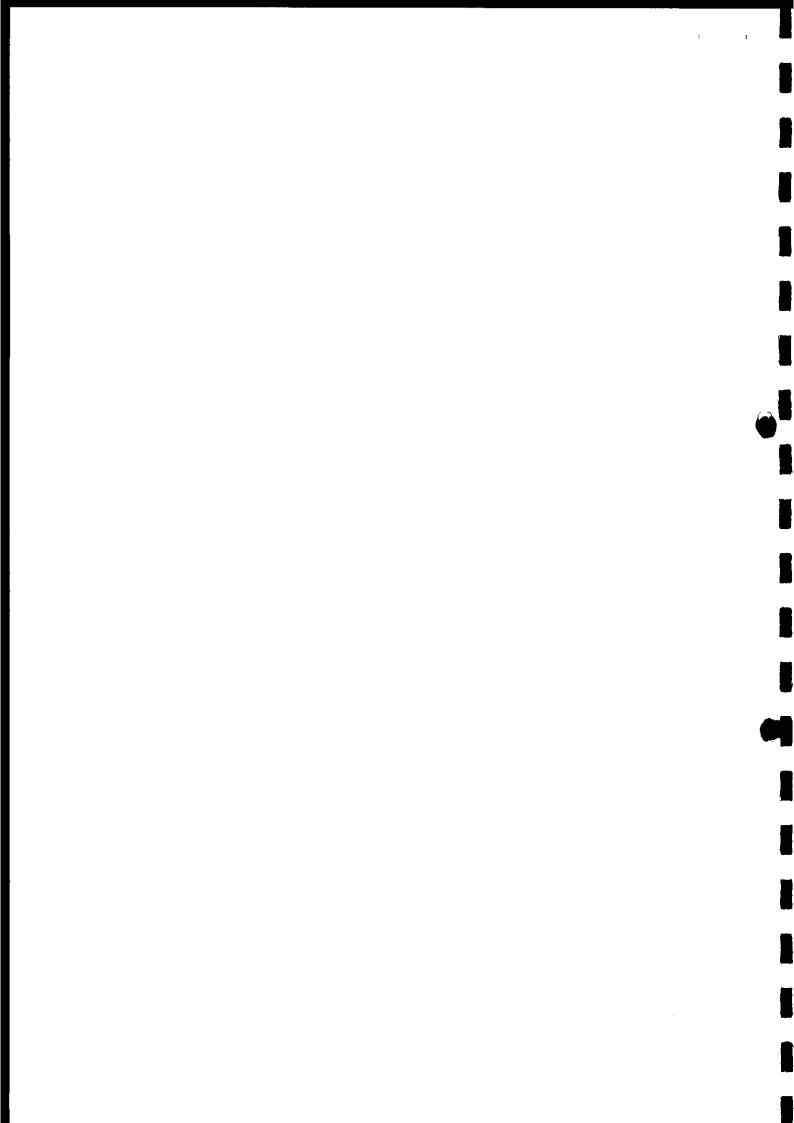
COMPANY BALANCE SHEET 31 December 2002

| | | 200 |)2 | 200 |)1 |
|--|-------|---------|-------------|---------|-------------|
| | Notes | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| FIXED ASSETS | | | | | |
| Intangible assets | 7 | | 166,947 | | 46,952 |
| Tangible assets | 8 | | 1,328,942 | | 940,514 |
| Investments | 9 | | 6,202,863 | | 6,202,863 |
| | | | 7,698,752 | | 7,190,329 |
| CURRENT ASSETS | | | | | |
| Stocks | 10 | 25,081 | | _ | |
| Debtors | 11 | 352,295 | | 20,172 | |
| Cash at bank and in hand | | 61,108 | | | |
| | | 438,484 | | 20,172 | |
| CREDITORS | | | | | |
| Amounts falling due within one year | 12 | 606,210 | | 264,914 | |
| NET CURRENT LIABILITIES | | | (167,726) | | (244,742) |
| TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES | | | 7,531,026 | | 6,945,587 |
| CREDITORS Amounts falling due after more than year | one | | (3,149,376) | | (6,330,271) |
| • | | | | | .,,,, |
| PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES | 17 | | (139,252) | | _ |
| The Changes | 17 | | (137,232) | | · |
| | | | £4,242,398 | | £615,316 |
| | | | | | |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES | | | | | |
| Called up share capital | 18 | | 229,635 | | 50,084 |
| Share premium | 19 | | 3,935,537 | | 450,759 |
| Revaluation reserve | 19 | | 221,737 | | |
| Profit and loss account | 19 | | (144,511) | | 114,473 |
| SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS | 25 | | £4,242,398 | | £615,316 |

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

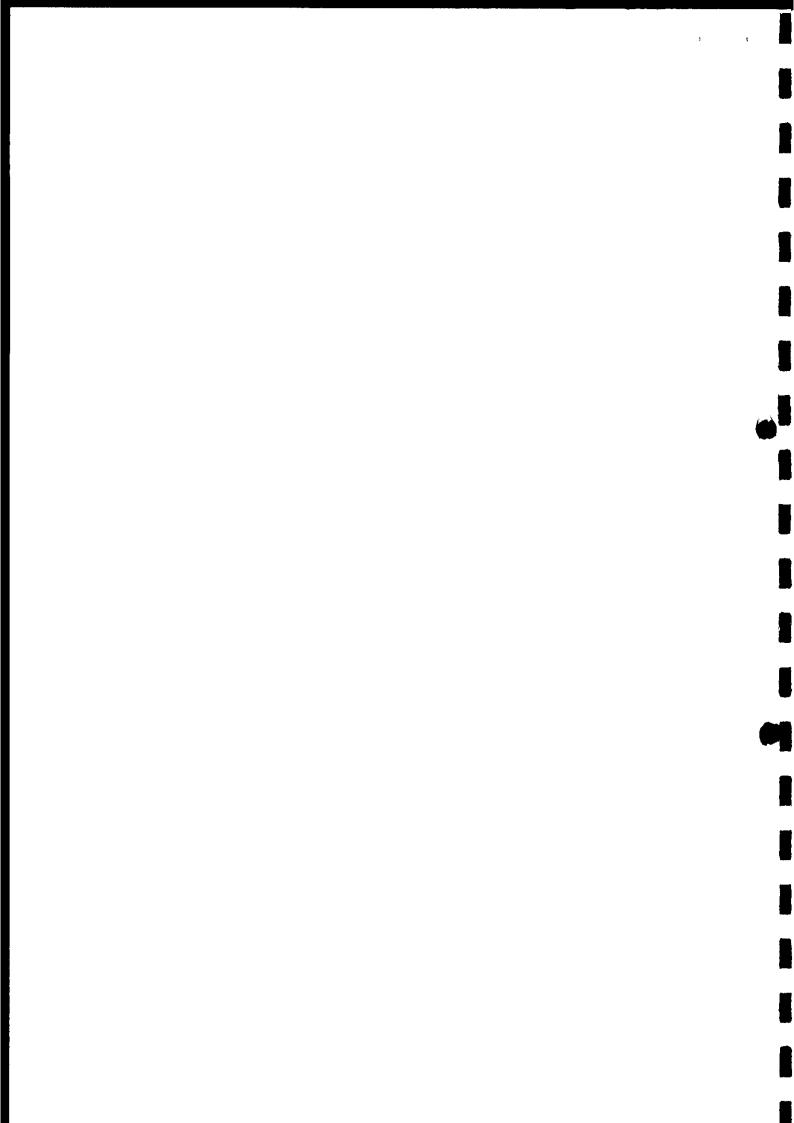
J L Evans - DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on 4 March 2003



CASH FLOW STATEMENT for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

| | | 20 | 2002 | | 01 |
|---|-------|---------|--------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| | Notes | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Net cash inflow from operating activities | 1 | | 1,043,412 | | 272,648 |
| Returns on investments and servicing of finance | 2 | | (194,285) | | (222,444) |
| Taxation | | | - | | (63,721) |
| Capital expenditure | 2 | | (110,577) | | (124,753) |
| | | | 738,550 | | (138,270) |
| Financing | 2 | | (166,226) | | (305,989) |
| Increase in cash in the period | | | £572,324 | | £(444,259) |
| Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in net debt | 3 | | | | |
| Increase in cash in the period Cash (inflow)/outflow | | 572,324 | | (444,259) | |
| from (increase)/decrease in debt and lease financing | | 166,226 | | 305,989 | |
| Change in net debt resulting from cash flows Non-cash movements | | | 738,550 3,474,194 | | (138,270) |
| Movement in net debt in the period Net debt at 1 January | | | 4,212,744 (6,266,067) | | (138,270) (6,127,797) |
| Net debt at 31 December | | | £(2,053,323) | | £(6,266,067) |



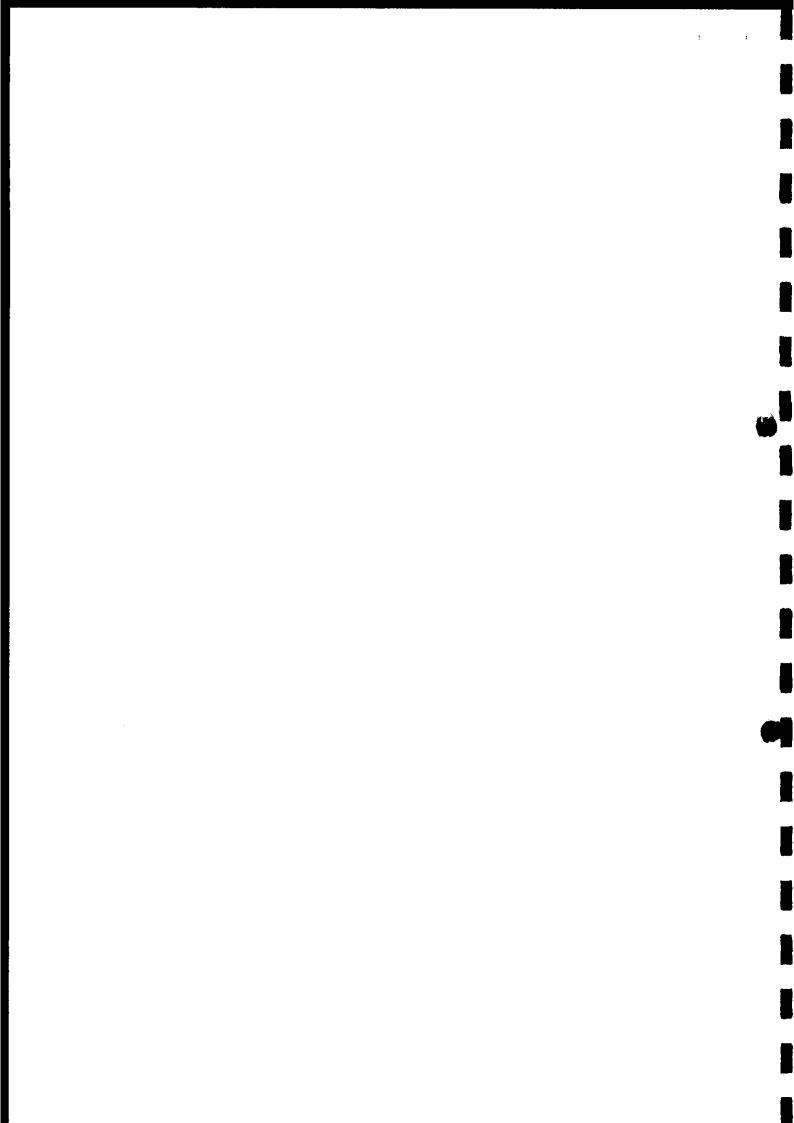
NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

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

| | 2002 £ | 2001 £ |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Operating profit | 128,250 | 172,850 |
| Depreciation charges | 603,218 | 501,128 |
| Loss on disposal of fixed assets | 12,553 | 14,170 |
| Decrease in stocks | 53,503 | 73,358 |
| Increase in debtors | (46,116) | (146,715) |
| Increase/(Decrease) in creditors | 292,004 | (342,143) |
| Net cash inflow from operating activities | 1,043,412 | 272,648 |

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

| | 2002 £ | 2001 £ |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Returns on investments and servicing of finance | | |
| Interest received | 2 | 15 |
| Interest paid | (124,018) | (160,824) |
| Interest element of hire purchase payments | (70,269) | (61,635) |
| Net cash outflow for returns on investments and servicing of finance | (194,285) | (222,444) |
| Capital expenditure | | |
| Purchase of intangible fixed assets | (3,754) | (28,783) |
| Purchase of tangible fixed assets | (107,823) | (104,650) |
| Sale of tangible fixed assets | 1,000 | 8,680 |
| Net cash outflow for capital expenditure | (110,577) | (124,753) |
| Financing | | |
| Capital repayments in year | (107,045) | (180,392) |
| Share issue | 10,106 | - |
| Redemption of share capital | (52,000) | - |
| New mortgage | 1,007,500 | - |
| Mortgage repayments | (682,716) | (17,284) |
| Other loan repayments | (45,000) | (45,000) |
| Loan note repayments | (35,272) | |
| Movement in other loan creditors | (261,799) | (28,035) |
| | | |
| Net cash inflow from financing | (166,226) | (305,989) |

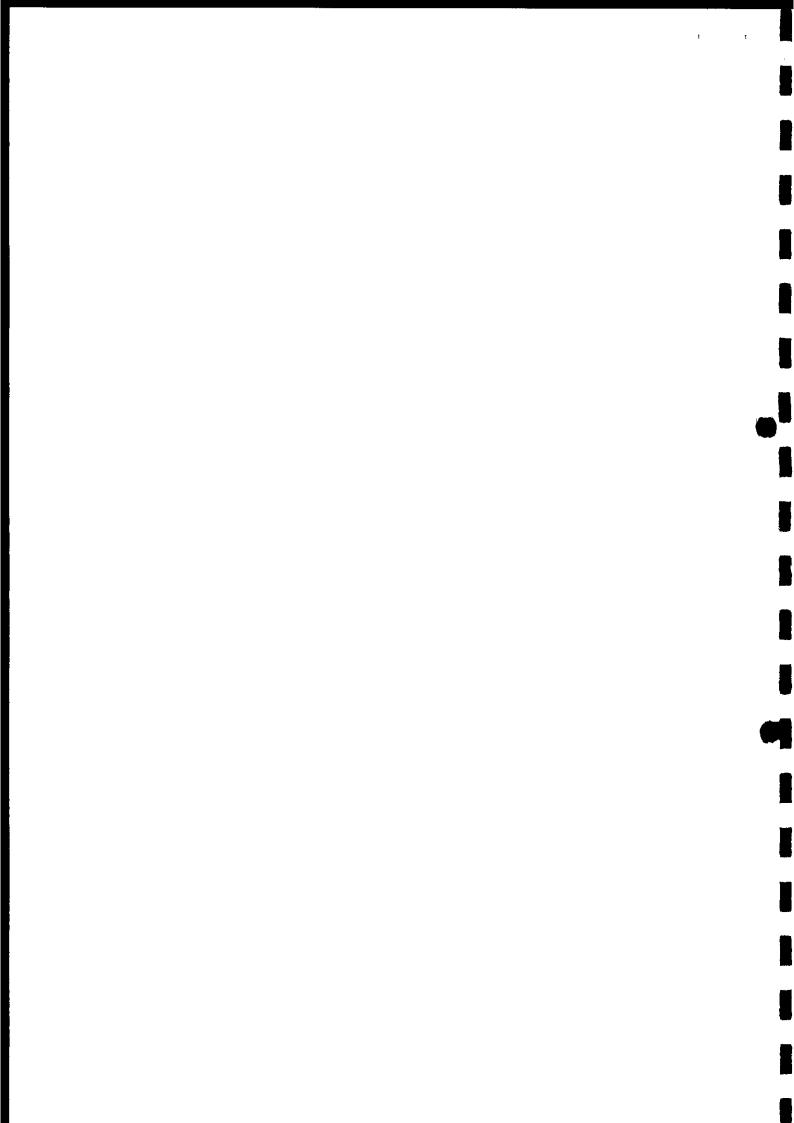


NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

3. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT

| N 1 | At 1.1.02 | Cash flow £ | Other non cash movement | At s 31.12.02 £ |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Net cash: Cash at bank and in hand Bank overdraft | 3,139 (397,391) | 174,933 397,391 | | 178,072 - |
| | (394,252) | 572,324 | | 178,072 |
| Debt: Hire purchase Debts falling due | (494,659) | 107,045 | | (387,614) |
| Within one year Debts falling due | (1,053,930) | 358,651 | (141,002) | (836,281) |
| After one year | (4,323,226) | (299,470) | 3,615,196 | (1,007,500) |
| | (5,871,815) | 166,226 | 3,474,194 | (2,231,395) |
| Total | (6,266,067) | 738,550 | 3,474,194 | (2,053,323) |
| | | | | |

Included in non cash movements of £3,474,194 is £3,516,000 which represents loan notes converted into deferred share capital.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain assets.

Turnover

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

Goodwill

Goodwill, being the amount paid in connection with the acquisition of a business in 1999, is being written off evenly over its estimated useful life of twenty years.

Patents

Patents relate to new manufacturing methods from which, in the opinion of the directors, benefits will arise in future periods.

Patents acquired are amortised on a 10% reducing balance basis.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Freehold buildings

- 2% on cost

Property improvements

- 10% on reducing balance

Plant and machinery

- 10% on reducing balance - 10% on reducing balance

Fixtures and fittings Motor vehicles

- 25% on reducing balance

Stocks

Stocks are 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.

Research and development

Development expenditure on specific, identifiable projects is capitalised where its recovery is reasonably regarded as assured by the directors. It is amortised over its useful life against corresponding future revenues.

The current project is being amortised over two years.

Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating result.

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet. Those held under hire purchase contracts are depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Those held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

The interest element of these obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the relevant period. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability.

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account as incurred.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Pensions

The group operates a defined contribution money purchase pension scheme. Contributions payable for the year are charged in the profit and loss account.

| ^ | |
|---|-------------|
| , | STAFF COSTS |
| | |

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| STAFF COSTS | 2002 £ | 2001 £ |
|---|------------------|-----------|
| Wages and salaries | 1,798,593 | 1,562,862 |
| Social security costs | 152,036 | 144,351 |
| Other pension costs | 29,138 | 33,489 |
| Only Pendion com | | |
| | 1,979,767 | 1,740,702 |
| The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows: | | |
| | 2002 | 2001 |
| Office & Management | 15 | 14 |
| Production & Sales | <u>57</u> | 58 |
| | <u>72</u> | 72 |
| OPERATING PROFIT | | |
| The operating profit is stated after charging: | | |
| | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ |
| Hire of plant and machinery | 24,430 | 34,228 |
| Other operating leases | 26,436 | 30,813 |
| Depreciation - owned assets | 75,293 | 159,427 |
| Depreciation - assets on hire purchase contracts | 153,116 | 90,486 |
| Loss on disposal of fixed assets Goodwill written off | 12,553 | 14,170 |
| | 243,898 | 244,734 |
| Research and development written off Patents and licences written off | 123,628 8,029 | 6,481 |
| Auditors remuneration | 20,200 | 14,000 |
| Addition remaineration | 20,200 | 14,000 |
| Directors' emoluments | 308,709 | 247,298 |
| Compensation to director for loss of office | , <u>-</u> | 9,087 |
| | | |

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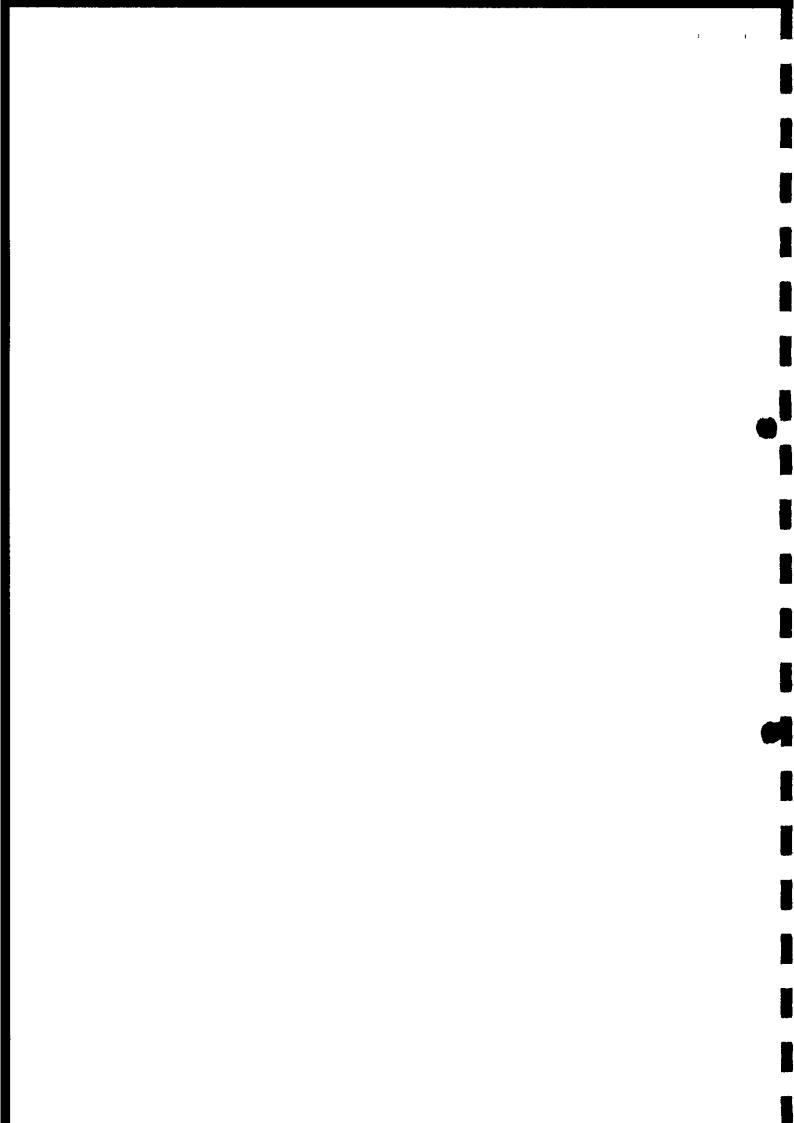
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2001

£ 127,111

Information regarding the highest paid director is as follows:

Emoluments etc



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

4. INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES

| | 2002 | 2001 |
|--|--------|---------|
| | £ | £ |
| Interest on bank overdrafts and other loans: | | |
| Repayable within 5 years | 24,018 | 311,624 |
| Repayable in more than 5 years | - | 50,800 |
| Hire purchase interest | 70,269 | 61,635 |
| | 94,287 | 424,059 |

5. TAXATION

Analysis of the tax charge

The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities for the year was as follows:

| | 2002 £ | 2001 £ |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Current tax: | | |
| UK corporation tax | 126,125 | 5,870 |
| Deferred tax: | | |
| Deferred taxation | 54,294 | 6,632 |
| Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities | 180,419 | 12,502 |

6. LOSS OF PARENT COMPANY

As permitted by Section 230 of the Companies Act 1985, the profit and loss account of the parent company is not presented as part of these financial statements. The parent company's loss for the financial year was $\pounds(258,984)$ (2001 - $\pounds(87,334)$).

7. INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Group

| - | | Research and | Patents and | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| | Goodwill £ | Development £ | licences £ | Totals £ |
| COST: | | - | - | ~ |
| At 1 January 2002 Additions | 4,877,951 | 247,256 | 84,604 3,754 | 5,209,811 3,754 |
| At 31 December 2002 | 4,877,951 | _247,256 | 88,358 | 5,213,565 |
| AMORTISATION: | | | | |
| At 1 January 2002 | 731,693 | - | 22,823 | 754,516 |
| Charge for year | 243,898 | 123,628 | 8,029 | 375,555 |
| At 31 December 2002 | 975,591 | 123,628 | 30,852 | 1,130,071 |
| NET BOOK VALUE: | | | | |
| At 31 December 2002 | 3,902,360 | 123,628 | 57,506 | 4,083,494 |
| At 31 December 2001 | 4,146,258 | 247,256 | 61,781 | 4,455,295 |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

7. INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

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| Company | Research and | Patents and | |
|---|--|--|--|
| | Development £ | licences £ | Totals £ |
| COST: | ~ | • | ~ |
| At 1 January 2002 | - | 54,743 | 54,743 |
| Additions | 247,256 | | 249,304 |
| At 31 December 2002 | 247,256 | 56,791 | 304,047 |
| AMORTISATION: | | | |
| At 1 January 2002 | - | 7,791 | 7,791 |
| Charge for year | 123,628 | 5,681 | 129,309 |
| At 31 December 2002 | 123,628 | 13,472 | 137,100 |
| NET BOOK VALUE: | | | |
| At 31 December 2002 | 123,628 | 43,319 | 166,947 |
| A.21 D 1 | ===== | 46.050 | 46.050 |
| At 31 December 2001 | - | 46,952 | 46,952 |
| TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS | | | |
| | | | |
| Group | | | |
| Group | Freehold | Property | Plant and |
| Group | property | improvements | machinery |
| | | | |
| COST OR VALUATION: | property £ | improvements £ | machinery £ |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions | property | improvements | machinery |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals | property £ 953,764 - - | improvements £ | machinery £ 3,201,948 |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions | property £ | improvements £ | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals | property £ 953,764 - | improvements £ | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals Revaluations At 31 December 2002 | property £ 953,764 - 296,236 | 76,445 | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 (37,095) |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals Revaluations | property £ 953,764 296,236 1,250,000 | 76,445 76,445 | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 (37,095) - 3,236,031 |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals Revaluations At 31 December 2002 DEPRECIATION: At 1 January 2002 Charge for year | property £ 953,764 - 296,236 | 76,445 | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 (37,095) |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals Revaluations At 31 December 2002 DEPRECIATION: At 1 January 2002 Charge for year Eliminated on disposal | property £ 953,764 | 76,445 | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 (37,095) 3,236,031 |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals Revaluations At 31 December 2002 DEPRECIATION: At 1 January 2002 Charge for year | property £ 953,764 296,236 1,250,000 | 76,445 | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 (37,095) |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals Revaluations At 31 December 2002 DEPRECIATION: At 1 January 2002 Charge for year Eliminated on disposal | property £ 953,764 | 76,445 | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 (37,095) |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals Revaluations At 31 December 2002 DEPRECIATION: At 1 January 2002 Charge for year Eliminated on disposal Revaluation adjustment | property £ 953,764 | 76,445 | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 (37,095) 3,236,031 1,373,274 192,931 (23,542) |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals Revaluations At 31 December 2002 DEPRECIATION: At 1 January 2002 Charge for year Eliminated on disposal Revaluation adjustment At 31 December 2002 | property £ 953,764 | 76,445 | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 (37,095) 3,236,031 1,373,274 192,931 (23,542) |
| COST OR VALUATION: At 1 January 2002 Additions Disposals Revaluations At 31 December 2002 DEPRECIATION: At 1 January 2002 Charge for year Eliminated on disposal Revaluation adjustment At 31 December 2002 NET BOOK VALUE: | 953,764 953,764 296,236 1,250,000 13,250 (13,250) | 76,445 76,445 76,445 43,950 3,250 47,200 | machinery £ 3,201,948 71,178 (37,095) 3,236,031 1,373,274 192,931 (23,542) 1,542,663 |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

8. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

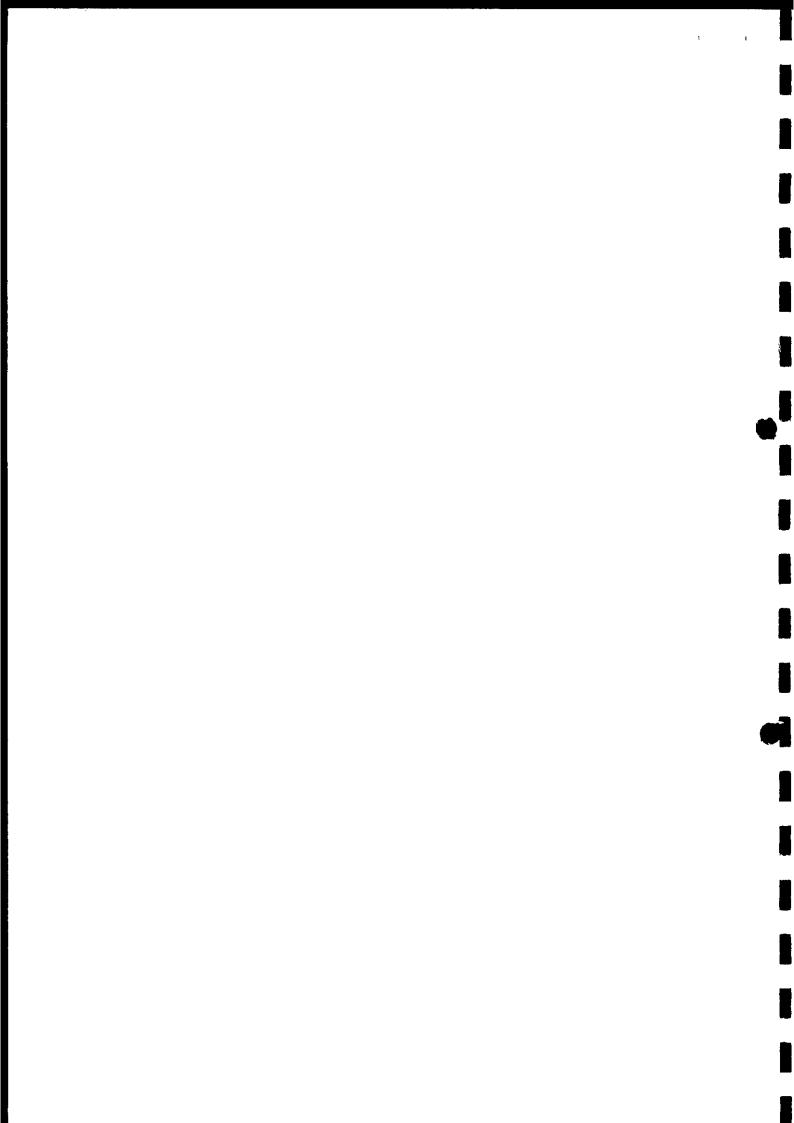
Group

| | Fixtures and fittings £ | Motor vehicles £ | Totals £ |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| COST OR VALUATION: | - | | |
| At 1 January 2002 | 145,945 | 80,382 | 4,458,484 |
| Additions | 14,645 | 22,000 | 107,823 |
| Disposals | - | - | (37,095) |
| Revaluations | | | 296,236 |
| At 31 December 2002 | 160,590 | 102,382 | 4,825,448 |
| DEPRECIATION: | | | |
| At 1 January 2002 | 64,534 | 66,292 | 1,561,300 |
| Charge for year | 24,751 | 6,731 | 227,663 |
| Eliminated on disposal | - | - | (23,542) |
| Revaluation adjustment | | | (13,250) |
| At 31 December 2002 | 89,285 | 73,023 | 1,752,171 |
| NET BOOK VALUE: | | | |
| At 31 December 2002 | 71,305 | 29,359 | 3,073,277 |
| At 31 December 2001 | 81,411 | 14,090 | 2,897,184 |

Included in land and buildings is freehold land valued at £720,000 (2001 - £423,764) which is not depreciated.

Cost or valuation at 31 December 2002 is represented by:

| | Freehold | Property | Plant and |
|-------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| | property | improvements | machinery |
| | £ | £ | £ |
| Valuation in 1992 | - | - | 1,366,700 |
| Valuation in 2002 | 1,250,000 | - | - |
| Cost | <u> </u> | 76,445 | 1,869,331 |
| | 1,250,000 | 76,445 | 3,236,031 |
| | Fixtures | | |
| | and | Motor | |
| | fittings | vehicles | Totals |
| | £ | £ | £ |
| Valuation in 1992 | - | - | 1,366,700 |
| Valuation in 2002 | - | - | 1,250,000 |
| Cost | 160,590 | 102,382 | 2,208,748 |
| | 160,590 | 102,382 | 4,825,448 |



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8. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

Group

If the land and buildings had not been revalued they would have been included at the following historical cost:

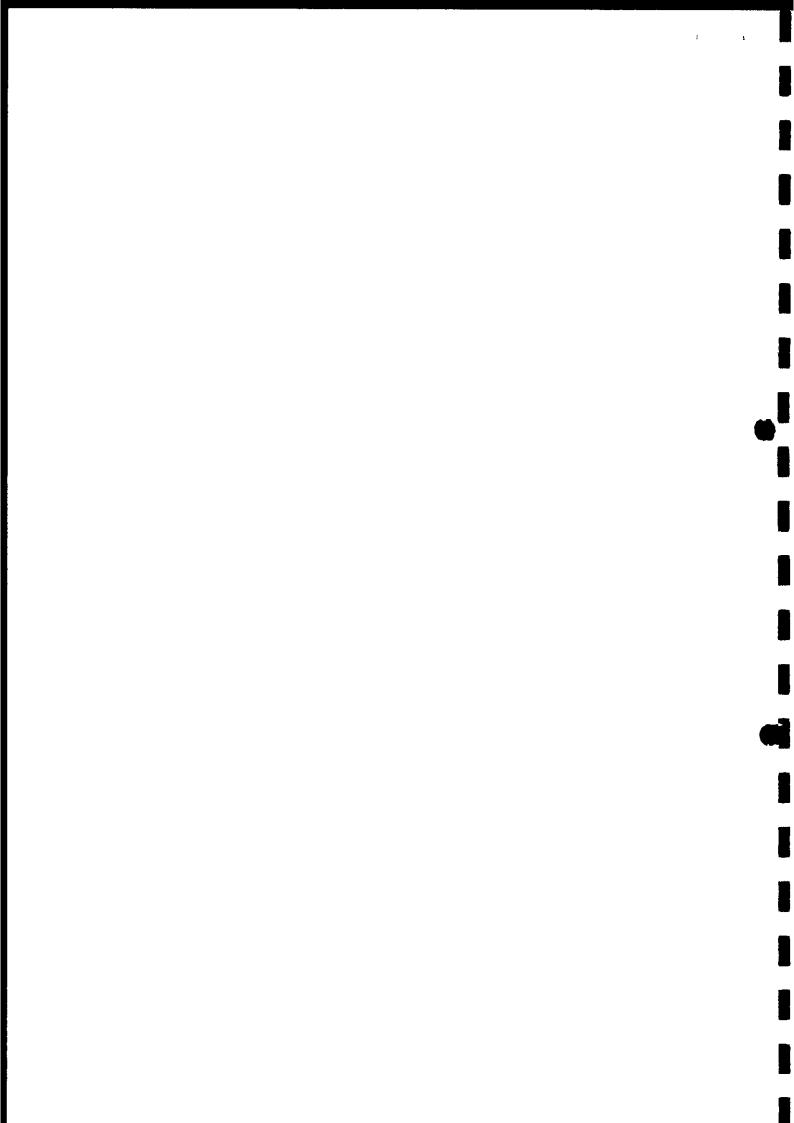
| | 2002 | 2001 |
|--|--------------|------|
| Cost | £ 953,764 | £ |
| Aggregate depreciation | 23,850 | - |
| Value of land in freehold land and buildings | 423,764 | |

Freehold land and buildings were valued on an open market basis on 20 November 2002 by Aitchison and Raffety.

Part of the plant and machinery of the group was re-valued on 30 June 1992 at £1,366,700 by B Davies (Engineering and Industrial Consultant). From 1 July 1992 depreciation has been calculated on the re-valued amount.

The net book value of tangible fixed assets includes £1,399,874 (2001 - £823,579) in respect of assets held under hire purchase contracts.

| Company | Freehold property £ | Plant and machinery £ | Fixtures and fittings £ | Motor vehicles £ | Totals £ |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| COST OR VALUATION: | | | - | | - |
| At 1 January 2002 | 953,764 | - | - | - | 953,764 |
| Additions and group transfers | - | 55,861 | 17,397 | 22,000 | 95,258 |
| Revaluations | 296,236 | | <u></u> | | 296,236 |
| At 31 December 2002 | 1,250,000 | 55,861 | 17,397 | 22,000 | 1,345,258 |
| DEPRECIATION: | | | | | |
| At 1 January 2002 | 13,250 | - | - | - | 13,250 |
| Charge for year | - | 4,961 | 3,863 | 3,208 | 12,032 |
| Revaluation adjustment | (13,250) | - | - | - | (13,250) |
| Group transfer | | 4,024 | 260 | | 4,284 |
| At 31 December 2002 | | 8,985 | 4,123 | 3,208 | 16,316 |
| NET BOOK VALUE: | | | | | |
| At 31 December 2002 | 1,250,000 | 46,876 | 13,274 | 18,792 | 1,328,942 |
| At 31 December 2001 | 940,514 | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | 940,514 |
| Cost or valuation at 31 December 200 | 2 is represented b | oy: | | | |
| | - | • | Fixtures | | |
| | Freehold | Plant and | and | Motor | |
| | property | machinery | fittings | vehicles | Totals |
| *** | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Valuation in 2002 | 1,250,000 | - | 15.205 | 22.000 | 1,250,000 |
| Cost | | 55,861 | 17,397 | 22,000 | 95,258 |
| | 1,250,000 | 55,861 | 17,397 | 22,000 | 1,345,258 |



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

9. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

| Company |
|---------|
|---------|

| COST: | Unlisted investments £ |
|---|------------------------|
| At 1 January 2002 and 31 December 2002 | 6,202,863 |
| NET BOOK VALUE: At 31 December 2002 | 6,202,863 |
| At 31 December 2001 | 6,202,863 |

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

Subsidiaries

Banro Sections Limited

Nature of business: Steel processing

| | % |
|------------------|---------|
| Class of shares: | holding |
| Ordinary | 100.00 |

| | 2002 | 2001 |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | £ | £ |
| Aggregate capital and reserves | 2,480,607 | 2,120,127 |
| Retained profit for the year | 360,480 | 46,657 |

Renaissance Enlightened Building Ltd

Nature of business: Dormant

| | % |
|------------------|---------|
| Class of shares: | holding |
| Ordinary | 100.00 |

| | 2002 | 2001 |
|--------------------------------|--------------|----------|
| | £ | £ |
| Aggregate capital and reserves | (21,782) | (21,782) |
| Loss for the year | _ | (67) |

Banro Framing Limited

Nature of business: Dormant

| % |
|---------|
| holding |
| 100.00 |
| |

| | 2002 | 2001 |
|--------------------------------|-------------|------|
| | £ | £ |
| Aggregate capital and reserves | 1 | 1 |
| | | |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

10. STOCKS

| | Gre | oup | Com | рапу |
|----------------|---------|---------|--------|------|
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Stocks | 149,222 | 162,650 | 17,306 | - |
| Finished goods | 124,246 | 164,321 | 7,775 | |
| | 273,468 | 326,971 | 25,081 | |

11. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

| | G | oup | Cor | npany |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|---------|--------|
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Trade debtors | 1,262,229 | 1,248,302 | 278,716 | 20,172 |
| Other debtors | 1,524 | 11,747 | 45,245 | - |
| Prepayments | 131,552 | 89,140 | 28,334 | - |
| | 1,395,305 | 1,349,189 | 352,295 | 20,172 |

12. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

| | Group | | Company | |
|---|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Bank loans and overdrafts (see note 14) | - | 494,243 | - | 74,084 |
| Hire purchase contracts (see note 15) | 224,421 | 191,912 | 13,421 | - |
| Trade creditors | 1,531,964 | 1,238,102 | 310,181 | 31,956 |
| Corporation tax | 126,125 | - | - | - |
| Social security and other taxes | 106,669 | 97,394 | 45,451 | 13,267 |
| Other creditors | 695,236 | 957,077 | 65,356 | - |
| Fixed rate unsecured loan notes | 141,089 | 105,819 | 141,089 | 105,819 |
| Accrued expenses | 72,866 | 83,957 | 30,712 | 39,788 |
| | 2,898,370 | 3,168,504 | 606,210 | 264,914 |

13. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

| | Group | | Company | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Mortgages (see note 14) | 1,007,500 | 630,864 | 1,007,500 | 630,864 |
| Hire purchase contracts (see note 15) | 163,193 | 302,747 | 2,962 | - |
| Fixed rate unsecured loan notes | - | 70,543 | - | 70,543 |
| Accrued interest on loan notes | - | 290,222 | - | 290,222 |
| Fixed rate unsecured loan notes | - | 3,516,000 | - | 3,516,000 |
| Group undertakings | | | 2,138,914 | 1,822,642 |
| | 1,170,693 | 4,810,376 | 3,149,376 | 6,330,271 |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

14. LOANS

| An analysis of the m | aturity of loans is | given below: |
|----------------------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | |

| • | Group | | Co | mpany |
|--|---|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Amounts falling due within one year or on deman | ıd: | | | |
| Bank overdrafts | - | 397,391 | - | 22,232 |
| Mortgage - less than 1 year | - | 96,852 | - | 51,852 |
| Loan notes - less than 1 year | 141,089 | 105,819 | 141,089 | 105,819 |
| | 141,089 | 600,062 | 141,089 | 179,903 |
| | ======================================= | | 141,005 | 177,505 |
| Amounts falling due between one and two years: | | | | |
| Mortgage - 1-2 years | 31,200 | 51,852 | 31,200 | 51,852 |
| Loan notes - 1-2 years | - | 70,543 | | 70,543 |
| | 31,200 | 122,395 | 31,200 | 122,395 |
| | | | | |
| Amounts falling due between two and five years: | | | | |
| Mortgage – 2 -5 years | 103,445 | 155,556 | 103,445 | 155,556 |
| Loan notes – 2 -5 years | | 3,516,000 | | 3,516,000 |
| | 103,445 | 3,671,556 | 103,445 | 3,671,556 |
| | | | | |
| Amounts falling due in more than five years: Repayable by instalments | | | | |
| Mortgage more than 5 years | 872,855 | 423,456 | 872,855 | 423,456 |

15. OBLIGATIONS UNDER HIRE PURCHASE CONTRACTS

| Group | | lire |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|
| | pur | chase |
| | | tracts |
| | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ |
| Gross obligations repayable: | | |
| Within one year | 294,449 | 247,941 |
| Between one and five years | 215,516 | 390,677 |
| | 509,965 | 638,618 |
| Finance charges repayable: | | |
| Within one year | 70,028 | 56,029 |
| Between one and five years | 52,323 | 87,930 |
| | 122,351 | 143,959 |
| Net obligations repayable: | | |
| Within one year | 224,421 | 191,912 |
| Between one and five years | 163,193 | 302,747 |
| | 387,614 | 494,659 |
| | | |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

15. OBLIGATIONS UNDER HIRE PURCHASE CONTRACTS - continued

| Com | pany |
|-----|------|
| | |

| | Hire purchase contracts 2002 2001 | |
|--|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| | | |
| Gross obligations repayable: | £ | £ |
| Within one year | 15,725 | _ |
| Between one and five years | 3,472 | |
| | 19,197 | |
| Finance charges repayable: | | |
| Within one year Between one and five years | 2,304 510 | - |
| | | |
| | 2,814 | |
| 27 / 17 / 2 | | |
| Net obligations repayable: Within one year | 13,421 | _ |
| Between one and five years | 2,962 | - |
| | 16,383 | - |
| | | |

16. SECURED DEBTS

The following secured debts are included within creditors:

| | Group | |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ |
| Bank overdraft | - | 397,391 |
| Mortgage | 1,007,500 | 727,716 |
| Hire purchase contracts | 387,614 | 494,659 |
| Other creditors | 695,192 | 956,991 |
| | 2,090,306 | 2,576,757 |

The mortgage and overdrafts are secured by debenture over the assets of the group.

The hire purchase contracts and other creditors are secured on the assets to which the finance relates.

17. PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES

| | Group | | Company | |
|--------------|---------|---------|---------|------|
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Deferred tax | 516,101 | 374,058 | 139,252 | |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the Year Ended 31 December 2002

17. PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES - continued

| Group | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|-------------|------|
| - | | | Deferred | |
| | | | tax | |
| | | | £ | |
| Balance at 1 January 2002 | | | 374,058 | |
| Accelerated capital allowances | | | 91,383 | |
| Research & development | | | (37,088) | |
| Revaluation of property | | | 87,748 | • |
| Balance at 31 December 2002 | | | 516,101 | |
| | | | | |
| Company | | | | |
| Company | | | Deferred | |
| | | | tax | |
| | | | £ | |
| Accelerated capital allowances | | | 14,416 | |
| Research and development | | | 37,088 | |
| Revaluation of property | | | 87,748 | |
| 114 (diddies) property | | | | |
| Balance at 31 December 2002 | | | 139,252 | |
| | | | | |
| Deferred tax provision | | | | |
| | Gro | oup | Compa | anv |
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Deferred taxation | 516,101 | 374,058 | 139,252 | |

Deferred tax has been provided on the full provision method.

In respect of capital gains held over deferred tax of £72,982 (2001: £72,982) is unprovided as the gain relates to freehold property which the group does not intend to dispose of in the foreseeable future.

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18. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

| Authorised: | | | | |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|---------|--------|
| Number: | Class: | Nominal | 2002 | 2001 |
| | | value: | £ | £ |
| 112,843 | Ordinary Shares | 10 p | - | 11,284 |
| 64,000 | Redeemable Preference Shares | 10p | 6,400 | 6,400 |
| 40,000 | B Ordinary Shares | 10 p | - | 4,000 |
| 184,000 | A Ordinary Shares | 10p | - | 18,400 |
| 100,000 | A Redeemable Preference Shares | 10p | - | 10,000 |
| 83,587 | New A Ordinary Shares | 10p | 8,359 | - |
| 101,686 | New B Ordinary Shares | 10p | 10,169 | - |
| 151,587 | New C Ordinary Shares | 10p | 15,158 | - |
| 1,902,220 | Deferred Shares | 10p | 190,222 | |
| | | | 230,308 | 50,084 |
| Allotted, issu Number: | ed and fully paid: Class: | Nominal | 2002 | 2001 |
| - 1. | | value: | £ | £ |
| 112,843 | Ordinary Shares | 10p | - | 11,284 |
| 64,000 | Redeemable Preference Shares | 10p | 6,400 | 6,400 |
| 40,000 | B Ordinary Shares | 10p | , - | 4,000 |
| 184,000 | A Ordinary Shares | 10p | - | 18,400 |
| 100,000 | A Redeemable Preference Shares | 10p | - | 10,000 |
| 83,587 | New A Ordinary Shares | 10p | 8,359 | - |
| 94,949 | New B Ordinary Shares | 10p | 9,495 | - |
| 151,587 | New C Ordinary Shares | 10p | 15,159 | - |
| 1,902,220 | Deferred Shares | 10p | 190,222 | |
| | | | 229,635 | 50,084 |

During the year the company converted debt and shares into new classes of shares as follows:-Loan notes of £3,516,000 and interest thereon of £190,222 were converted into 1,769,807 deferred shares.

The A ordinary shares and the A redeemable preference shares were also converted into 132,413 deferred shares.

20,000 B ordinary shares and 48,000 ordinary shares were redeemed.

20,000 ordinary shares and 64,843 B ordinary shares were converted into 84,843 new B ordinary shares.

10,106 new B ordinary shares were issued for cash.

83,587 new A ordinary shares were a bonus issue.

151,587 A Ordinary shares were reclassified and redesignated as 151,587 C Ordinary shares Share rights are shown in note 26.

19. RESERVES

Group

| | Profit | | | |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| | and loss | Share | Revaluation | |
| | account | premium | reserve | Totals |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| At 1 January 2002 | 177,997 | 450,759 | - | 628,756 |
| Loss for the year | (146,454) | - | - | (146,454) |
| Share issue | - | 3,484,778 | - | 3,484,778 |
| Revaluation of property | | | 221,737 | 221,737 |
| At 31 December 2002 | 31,543 | 3,935,537 | 221,737 | 4,188,817 |

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Company

| - | Profit | | | |
|-------------------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| | and loss | Share | Revaluation | |
| | account | premium | reserve | Totals |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| At 1 January 2002 | 114,473 | 450,759 | - | 565,232 |
| Loss for the year | (258,984) | - | - | (258,984) |
| Share Issue | · · · · · · | 3,484,778 | _ | 3,484,778 |
| Revaluation of property | <u> </u> | <u></u> | 221,737 | 221,737 |
| At 31 December 2002 | (144,511) | 3,935,537 | 221,737 | 4,012,763 |

20. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

At 31 December 2001 the all group companies were party to a group overdraft facility with cross guarantees. Details of group borrowings at the year end are shown in the notes to the accounts.

21. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

| | 2002 | 2001 |
|--|------|------|
| | £ | £ |
| Contracted but not provided for in the | | |
| financial statements | - | - |
| | | |

22. OTHER FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS

At 31 December 2001 the group had annual commitments under material non-cancelable operating leases as follows:

In respect of land & buildings whereupon the lease expires between two and five years the annual rental is £69,000 (2001: £69,000).

23. TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS

There were no material transactions with directors during the year.

24. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

The group has no ultimate controlling party due to no one person owning more than 50% of the company's ordinary shares.

Finance charges were also incurred from the following related parties:

3i plc (Former shareholder of Banro Limited) - £16,432 (2001: £19,487)

Albemarle Private Equity Ltd (Shareholder of Banro Holdings Ltd) £nil (2001: £101,600)

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25. RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

| Group | | |
|--|-------------|-----------|
| | 2002 | 2001 |
| The Court of the C | £ | £ |
| Loss for the financial year | (146,454) | (263,696) |
| Other recognised gains and losses | 221,737 | |
| relating to the year (net) New share issue | 3,716,329 | - |
| Shares redeemed | (52,000) | _ |
| Siares redecined | (32,000) | |
| Net addition/(reduction) to shareholders' funds | 3,739,612 | (263,696) |
| Opening shareholders' funds | 678,840 | 942,536 |
| | | |
| Closing shareholders' funds | 4,418,452 | 678,840 |
| Equity interests | 4 410 453 | 678,840 |
| Equity interests | 4,418,452 | 078,840 |
| | | |
| Company | | |
| • • | 2002 | 2001 |
| | £ | £ |
| Loss for the financial year | (258,984) | (87,334) |
| Other recognised gains and losses | | |
| relating to the year (net) | 221,737 | - |
| New share issue | 3,716,329 | - |
| Shares redeemed | (52,000) | <u> </u> |
| Net addition/(reduction) to shareholders' funds | 3,627,082 | (87,334) |
| Opening shareholders' funds | 615,316 | 702,650 |
| opening situationologis rands | 015,510 | 702,030 |
| Closing shareholders' funds | 4,242,398 | 615,316 |
| - | | |
| | | |
| Equity interests | 4,242,398 | 615,316 |
| | | |

26. SHARE RIGHTS

The rights and restrictions attaching to the Preference Shares, the 'C' Ordinary Shares, the 'B' Ordinary Shares, the 'A' Ordinary shares and the Deferred Shares are as follows:-

As regards income

The profits of the Company which are available for lawful distribution in respect of each accounting period shall be applied as follows:-

Firstly, in paying to the Equity shareholders (pari passu as if the Equity shares constituted one class of share) in priority to the Deferred Shares, any dividend that may be determined and recommended by the Board as approved by the Investors' Director.

Secondly, and subject to the payment in full of any dividend which the Company determines to pay pursuant to the above, in paying to the Deferred Shareholders as a class 0.1 pence per Deferred Share provided always that the profits of the Company after tax exceed £100,000,000 (one hundred million pounds) for the relevant Accounting Period;

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in each case the amounts from time to time credited as paid up on such shares such dividends (if any) to be paid within 30 days after the annual general meeting of the Company at which the Accounts for the relevant Accounting Period are presented to the Company in general meeting.

The holders of the Preference Shares shall not be entitled to receive any dividend or participate in the profits of the Company.

Any dividend payable under the Articles shall belong to and be paid to the holders of the 'A' Ordinary Shares, the 'B' Ordinary Shares, the 'C' Ordinary Shares or the Deferred Shares as the case may be, pro rata according to their holdings of such Shares.

As regards capital

On a return of assets whether in a winding-up or reduction of capital or otherwise (except in the case of the redemption of shares of any class or the purchase by the Company of its own shares) the assets and retained profits of the Company available for distribution among the members shall be applied as follows:-

first in paying to the Preference Shareholders an amount equal to £1 per Preference Share;

secondly in paying to the 'C' Ordinary Shareholders an amount up to £25.00 per 'C' Ordinary Shares;

thirdly in paying to the 'B' Ordinary Shareholders an amount up to £1 per 'B' Ordinary Shares;

fourthly in paying to the Equity Shareholders (pari passu as if the same constituted one class of share) an additional amount of up £1,000 per Equity Share; and

fifthly, paying to the Deferred Shareholders an amount of up to £0.10 per Deferred Share; and

finally, in distributing the balance of such assets and retained profits amongst the Equity Shareholders (pari passu as if the same constituted one class of share) in proportion to the amounts credited as paid up on the Equity Shares held by them respectively.

The Preference Shares shall not confer any further rights of participation in the profits or assets of the Company.

As regards redemption of the Preference Shares

The Preference Shares may be redeemed at the Company's option at any time and in any proportions as a redemption price of £1 per Preference Share.

As regards voting

On a show of hands every Member who (being an individual) is present in person or (being a corporation) is present by a duly authorised representative not being himself a Member entitled to vote, shall have one vote, and on a poll every Member who is present in person of by proxy or (being a corporation) is present by a duly authorised representative shall have one vote for every Equity share of which he is a holder.

Preference Shareholders and Deferred Shareholders shall have the right to receive notice of and to attend and speak at all general meetings of the Company but shall have no right to vote at general meetings of the Company.

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As regards consents of the 'C' Ordinary Shareholders

So long as any 'C' Ordinary Shares remain outstanding the Company shall not without the written consent or sanction of the 'C' Ordinary Shareholders given in accordance with the provisions of Modification of Rights:-

modify or vary the rights attaching to the 'A' Ordinary Shares, the 'B' Ordinary Shares, the 'C' Ordinary Shares, the Preference Shares or the Deferred Shares;

reduce, or pass any resolution to reduce all or any of its share capital or any amount standing to the credit of its share premium account or capital redemption reserve fund or reduce any uncalled liability in respect of partly paid shares;

pass any resolution to alter its Memorandum or Articles of Association;

make any distribution payment or return of capital to any shareholder (other than in accordance with the Articles); or

make any distribution payment or return of an income nature to any shareholder otherwise than in accordance with the Articles; or

breach any of the provisions of the Articles; or

vary the authorised or issued share capital of the Company or any subsidiary undertaking (other than a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking); or

create or grant any options or other rights to subscribe for or to convert into or issue any shares or other securities in the capital of the Company or any subsidiary undertaking (other than a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking); or

permit any subsidiary to issue (other than to the company or a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company) any shares; or

dispose of any shares or permit any subsidiary to dispose of any shares (other than to the Company or a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company); or

take any steps to wind up the Company; or

make any material changes in the nature of the business of the Company or any subsidiary, or dispose of the whole or a substantial part of the business and undertaking of the Company.

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Rights on a Sale

In the event of a Sale then, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the terms and conditions governing such Sale, upon an Investors' Director direction, the selling Shareholders immediately prior to such Sale shall procure that the consideration (whenever received) shall be placed in a designated trustee account and shall be distributed amongst the holders of Shares as follows:

first in paying to the Preference Shareholders an amount equal to £1 per Preference Share;

secondly, in paying to the 'C' Ordinary Shareholders an amount up to £25 per 'C' Ordinary Share;

thirdly, in paying to the 'B' Ordinary Shareholders an amount up to £1 per 'B' Ordinary Share;

fourthly, in paying to the Equity Shareholders (pari passu as if the same constituted one class of share) an additional of up to £1,000 per Equity Share;

fifthly, in paying to the Deferred Shareholders an amount of up to £0.10 per Deferred Share; and

finally, in distributing the balance of such consideration amongst the Equity Shareholders (pari passu as if the same constituted one class of share) in proportion to the amounts credited as paid up on the Equity Shares held by them respectively.

The Preference Shares shall not confer any further rights of participation in the consideration.

Modification of Rights

Class Rights of 'C' Ordinary Shares

The special rights attached to the 'C' Ordinary Shares may, in each case, be altered or abrogated (whether or not the Company is being wound up) with the written consent of the holders of not less than three-quarters of the issued shares of that class, or with the sanction of an extraordinary resolution passed at a separate general meeting of the holders of such shares. To any such separate general meeting all the provisions of these Articles as to general meetings of the Company shall mutatis mutandis apply except that:-

the necessary quorum shall be two or more persons holding or representing by proxy not less than one-third of the issued shares of the class (provided that where all the shares of a class are registered in the name of one holder that holder present in person or by proxy may constitute a meeting);

every holder of shares of the class shall be entitled on a poll to one vote for every share held by him;

any holder of shares of the class present in person or by proxy may demand a poll; and

at any adjourned meeting of such holders one holder present in person or by proxy (whatever the number of shares held by him) shall be a quorum.