

COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER 4114093

**COBE CONSULTING LIMITED**  
**ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**  
**FOR**  
**31ST MARCH 2003**

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**COBE CONSULTING LIMITED**

**ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**

**YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2003**

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**COBE CONSULTING LIMITED****ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET****31ST MARCH 2003**

	Note	2003 £	2002 £
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>	<b>2</b>		
Tangible assets		16,848	18,644
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Stocks		4,250	2,500
Debtors		143,094	81,041
Cash at bank and in hand		82,139	116,899
		<u>229,483</u>	<u>200,440</u>
<b>CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year</b>		<u>(122,030)</u>	<u>(107,126)</u>
<b>NET CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<u>107,453</u>	<u>93,314</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<u>124,301</u>	<u>111,958</u>
<b>PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES</b>		<u>(2,124)</u>	<u>(2,421)</u>
		<u>122,177</u>	<u>109,537</u>

The Balance sheet continues on the following page.

The notes on pages 3 to 5 form part of these abbreviated accounts.

**COBE CONSULTING LIMITED****ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET** *(continued)***31ST MARCH 2003**

	Note	2003 £	2002 £
<b>CAPITAL AND RESERVES</b>			
Called-up equity share capital	4	45	45
Profit and Loss Account		<u>122,132</u>	<u>109,492</u>
<b>SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS</b>		<u>122,177</u>	<u>109,537</u>

The directors are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption from the provisions of the Companies Act 1985 (the Act) relating to the audit of the accounts for the year by virtue of section 249A(1), and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 249B(2) of the Act.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (i) ensuring that the company keeps proper accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Act, and
- (ii) preparing accounts 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 financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

These abbreviated accounts were approved by the directors on the 30th September 2003 and are signed on their behalf by:



**A P Broadhurst**

**COBE CONSULTING LIMITED**  
**NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**  
**YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2003**

**1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**Basis of accounting**

The abbreviated accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

**Turnover**

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax.

**Fixed Assets**

All fixed assets are initially recorded at cost.

**Depreciation**

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Office equipment	-	25% per annum reducing balance
Computer equipment	-	33% per annum reducing balance

**Work in progress**

Work in progress is valued on the basis of direct costs plus attributable overheads based on normal level of activity. Provision is made for any foreseeable losses where appropriate. No element of profit is included in the valuation of work in progress.

**Operating lease agreements**

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

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**1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES** *(continued)*

**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.

**2. FIXED ASSETS**

	<b>Tangible Assets £</b>
<b>COST</b>	
At 1st April 2002	24,922
Additions	5,106
<b>At 31st March 2003</b>	<u>30,028</u>
<b>DEPRECIATION</b>	
At 1st April 2002	6,278
Charge for year	6,902
<b>At 31st March 2003</b>	<u>13,180</u>
<b>NET BOOK VALUE</b>	
<b>At 31st March 2003</b>	<u>16,848</u>
At 31st March 2002	<u>18,644</u>

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**3. TRANSACTIONS WITH THE DIRECTORS**

The directors charged travel expenses to the company using the Inland Revenue authorised rates as follows:-

A P Broadhurst	4,642
M G Rothwell	3,708
J M Towriess	2,892
	<u>11,242</u>

At 31st March 2003 the company owed the following amounts to the directors:-

A P Broadhurst	96
M G Rothwell	1,359
J M Towriess	1,674

**4. SHARE CAPITAL**

**Authorised share capital:**

	2003	2002
	£	£
100 Ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>

**Allotted, called up and fully paid:**

	2003		2002	
	No	£	No	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>45</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>45</u>