**Abbreviated Accounts** 

For the year ended 31 March 2008

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# A & J GROUP LIMITED Abbreviated accounts for the year ended 31 March 2008

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## Abbreviated balance sheet as at 31 March 2008

		2008		2007	
		£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Intangible assets Investments	2 2	_	926,988 100	_	979,384 100
			927,088		979,484
Current assets					
Debtors Cash at bank and in hand		5,000 345		5,000	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		5,345 (936,354)		5,000 (981,661)	
Net current habilities		_	(931,009)	_	(976,661)
Current liabilities less total assets		-	(3,921)	_	2,823
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital Deficit/surplus on profit and loss account	3	_	100 (4,021)	_	100 2,723
Shareholders' funds		-	(3,921)	_	2,823

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to small companies within part VII of the Companies Act 1985 and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2007)

The director is of the opinion that the company is entitled to the exemptions from audit conferred by section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ended 31 March 2008

The director confirms that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to subsection 2 of section 249B of the Companies Act 1985

The director is responsible for -

- a) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, and
- b) preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at 31 March 2008 and of its results for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of section 226 of the Companies Act 1985, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

Approved by the board of directors on ..... and signed on its behalf

G S Jones - Director

The notes on pages 2 to 3 form part of these financial statements

# Notes to the abbreviated accounts for the year ended 31 March 2008

## 1 Accounting policies

## a) Basis of accounting

The financial statements are prepared on the historical cost basis of accounting and have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2007)

#### b) Turnover

Turnover represents licence fees receivable in respect of a client base acquired. Turnover is recognised on accruals basis

#### c) Consolidation

The company forms part of a small group and has therefore taken advantage of the exemption provided by Section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts

#### d) Goodwill

Goodwill is the difference between the amount paid on the acquisition of a business and the aggregate fair value of its separate net assets. Goodwill is amortised through the profit and loss account over the director's estimate of its useful economic life.

#### e) Deferred taxation

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

A deferred tax asset is regarded as recoverable and therefore recognised only when, on the basis of all available evidence, it can be regarded as 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 a non-discounted basis, at the average tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which the timing differences are expected to reverse, based on tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantially enacted by the balance sheet date.

## f) 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

Dividends brought into the accounts are recognised in the profit and loss account when received

#### 2 Fixed assets

	Intangible fixed assets	Investments	Total
	£	£	£
Cost: At 1 April 2007 and at 31 March 2008	1,047,941	100	1,048,041
Depreciation: At 1 April 2007 Provision for the year	68,557 52,396	-	68,557 52,396
At 31 March 2008	120,953	-	120,953
Net book value: At 31 March 2008	926,988	100	927,088
At 31 March 2007	979,384	100	979,484

# Notes to the abbreviated accounts for the year ended 31 March 2008 (continued)

# 3 Called up share capital

	2008	2007	
	£	£	
Authorised			
Equity shares:			
Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000	
Allotted, called up and fully paid			
Equity shares:			
Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100	

## 4 Related parties

The company was controlled throughout the period by G S Jones and A C Jones by virtue of their 100% holding of the ordinary share capital

Licence fees of £60,000 (for 3 months to 31 March 2007 £15,000) were receivable from A & J Financial Services (Maidenhead) Limited in respect of the use of the client base

Most overheads of the company were absorbed by A & J Financial Services (Maidenhead) Limited

Included in creditors are the following balances:

	2008	2007
	£	£
A & J Wealth Management Limited - a wholly owned subsidiary	100	100
A & J Financial Services (Maidenhead) Limited - a company controlled by G S Jones and A C Jones	922,841	962,841

These loans are interest free and repayable on demand