Unaudited Abbreviated Accounts for the Year Ended 30 June 2010

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# Accountants' Report to the Director on the Unaudited Financial Statements of Acanthus Retail Limited

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have compiled the financial statements of the company which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, and the related notes from the accounting records and information and explanations you have given to us

We have carried out this engagement in accordance with current technical and ethical guidance in issue

You have acknowledged on the balance sheet as at 30 June 2010 your duty to ensure that the company has kept proper accounting records and to prepare financial statements that give a true and fair view under the Companies Act 2006. You consider that the company is exempt from the statutory requirement for an audit for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit of the financial statements. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the financial statements

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Date 9/11/10

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# Acanthus Retail Limited Abbreviated Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2010

		2010		2009	
	Note	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Intangible assets	2		37,655		39,870
Tangible assets	2		2,055		2,025
			39,710		41,895
Current assets					
Stocks		66,498		70,268	
Debtors		1,138		1,112	
Cash at bank and in hand		48,884		42,912	
		116,520		114,292	
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		(135,867)		(155,805)	
Net current liabilities			(19,347)		(41,513)
Total assets less current liabilities			20,363		382
Provisions for liabilities			(5,000)		(5,000)
Net assets/(liabilities)			15,363		(4,618)
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	3		1		1
Profit and loss reserve			15,362		(4,619)
Shareholders' funds/(deficit)			15,363		(4,618)

# Acanthus Retail Limited Abbreviated Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2010

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For the year ending 30 June 2010, the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476

The director acknowledges her responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts

The abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime

These accounts were approved by the Director on  $3 \ln 10$ 

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#### Notes to the abbreviated accounts for the Year Ended 30 June 2010

#### Accounting policies

#### Basis of preparation

The full financial statements, from which these abbreviated accounts have been extracted, have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

#### **Turnover**

Turnover represents amounts chargeable, net of value added tax, in respect of the sale of goods and services to customers

#### Goodwill

Goodwill is the difference between the fair value of consideration paid for an acquired entity and the aggregate of the fair value of that entity's identifiable assets and liabilities

Positive goodwill is capitalised, classified as an asset on the balance sheet and amortised on a straight line basis over its useful economic life. It is reviewed for impairment at the end of the first full financial year following the acquisition and in other periods if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable.

#### Amortisation

Amortisation is provided on intangible fixed assets so as to write off the cost, less any estimated residual value, over their expected useful economic life as follows

Goodwill

5% straight line

#### Depreciation

Depreciation is provided on tangible fixed assets so as to write off the cost or valuation, less any estimated residual value, over their expected useful economic life as follows

Office equipment

25% reducing balance

Fixtures and fittings

25% reducing balance

#### Stock

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after due regard for obsolete and slow moving stocks. Net realisable value is based on selling price less anticipated costs to completion and selling costs.

#### Operating leases

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged in the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the lease term

#### Financial instruments

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for, according to the substance of the contractual arrangement, as financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities

# Notes to the abbreviated accounts for the Year Ended 30 June 2010

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#### 2 Fixed assets

	Intangible assets £	Tangible assets	Total £
Cost			
As at 1 July 2009	44,300	3,569	47,869
Additions	-	855	855
Disposals	<del>_</del>	(246)	(246)
As at 30 June 2010	44,300	4,178	48,478
Depreciation			
As at 1 July 2009	4,430	1,544	5,974
Eliminated on disposals	•	(107)	(107)
Charge for the year	2,215	686	2,901
As at 30 June 2010	6,645	2,123	8,768
Net book value			
As at 30 June 2010	37,655	2,055	39,710
As at 30 June 2009	39,870	2,025	41,895
Share capital			
		2010 £	2009 £

# Allotted, called up and fully paid

#### Equity

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1 Ordinary share of £1 each

# 4 Related parties

### Controlling entity

The company was under the control of Ms Rowley throughout the current year Ms Rowley is the managing director and majority shareholder