

WHITE HORSE DISTILLERS LIMITED

ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1996



Registered number - 12987

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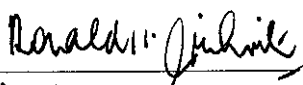
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 1996

	Notes	1996 £'000	1995 £'000
DEBTORS			
Amount owed by group undertaking		2,100	2,100
		<u>2,100</u>	<u>2,100</u>
SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital	1	2,100	2,100
		<u>2,100</u>	<u>2,100</u>

The company was dormant throughout the year, as defined by section 250 of the Companies Act 1985.

The notes on page 2 form part of these accounts.

Approved by the Board of Directors on 21 February 1997 and signed on its behalf by:


Director

WHITE HORSE DISTILLERS LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS AT 31 DECEMBER 1996

1. SHARE CAPITAL

	1996 £'000	1995 £'000
Authorised: 20,100,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	20,100	20,100
Allotted and fully paid: 2,100,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	2,100	2,100

2. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

During the financial year and the preceding financial year the company did not trade and received no income and incurred no expenditure. Consequently, during these years the company made neither a profit or loss.

3. PARENT UNDERTAKINGS

The immediate parent undertaking, registered in Scotland, is United Distillers plc.

The ultimate parent company, registered in England, is Guinness PLC, copies of whose accounts can be obtained from the Secretary, Guinness PLC, 39 Portman Square, London W1H 0EE.