ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28th NOVEMBER, 1997

JAMES MURRAY and COMPANY

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS, CUPAR, FIFE.

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ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS

On 22nd July, 1998 we reported to the shareholders of the company on the financial statements for the year ended 28th November, 1997, and our Accountants' Report was as follows:

As described on pages 1 and 6, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the accounts and they believe that the company is exempt from an audit. In accordance with their instructions and in order to assist the directors to fulfil their responsibilities, we have prepared the accounts on pages 4 to 15 from the accounting records and from information and explanations supplied to us.

As we have not performed an audit, we do not provide any assurance that the accounts show a true and fair view, which remains the sole responsibility of the directors.

James Murray and Company, Chartered Accountants. 58, Bonnygate, Cupar, Fife.

22nd July, 1998

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 28th NOVEMBER,			1997	1996
	Note.	£	£	
FIXED ASSETS			_	
Tangible assets	2		122,274	126,649
Investments	3		<u>15,256</u>	<u>9,523</u>
			137,530	<u>136,172</u>
CURRENT ASSETS				
Stocks		207		1,021
Debtors	4	<u>39,067</u>		11,159
			39,274	12,180
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	5		(<u>100,773</u>)	(<u>64,548</u>)
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NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(<u>61,499</u>)	(<u>52,368</u>)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT				
LIABILITIES			76,031	83,804
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due				
after more than one year	6		(<u>98,542</u>)	(101,491)
			(22 511)	(47 (07)
			(_22,511)	(<u>17,687</u>)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES				
Called-up share capital	7		100	100
Profit and loss account			(<u>22,611</u>)	(<u>17,787</u>)
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS - EQUITY			(_22,511)	(_17,687)

The Directors have prepared these abbreviated accounts in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relative to small companies.

Board Approval and Directors' Audit Exemption Statement page 5

The directors:

- 1. confirm that for the year under review the company was entitled to the exemption under Section 249A(1), Companies Act, 1985.
- 2. confirm that no notice requiring an audit has been deposited under Section 249B(2) in relation to the accounts for the financial year.
- 3. acknowledge their responsibility for:
 - (a) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221; and
 - (b) having Accounts prepared 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 Companies Act 1985 relating to Accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

Approved by the board on 17th July, 1998

David A.G. Reid

Director

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1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Basis of accounting

These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

(b) Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost or valuation, less estimated residual values, of tangible fixed assets over their estimated useful lives to the business. The annual depreciation rates and methods are as follows:

Permanent Imprvmnts

- 10% Straight line & 12% Reducing balance

General Implemnts - 15% Reducing balance
Tractors, Forklifts - 25% & 15% Reducing balance

- 25% Reducing balance

Motor Vehicles

(c) Stock

Stocks have been valued by D.A.G. Reid, F.R.I.C.S., a Director of the Company, at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost in the case of livestock and growing and harvested crops includes an element of overhead expenses. Realisable value is based on current market prices less the estimated costs of realisation.

(d) Debtors

Known bad debts are written off and provision is made for any considered to be doubtful.

(e) Grants

Grants of a revenue nature are credited to income in the period to which they relate.

Capital grants are deducted from the cost of the related fixed assets.

Assets leased

Where the company enters into operating and/or finance leases, its policy is to regard leases as finance leases where their terms give rights approximating to ownership.

Assets held under finance leases (including hire purchase contracts) are capitalised at the fair value of the asset at the inception of the lease, with an equivalent liability categorised as appropriate under creditors due within and after one year. Assets are depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful economic life; in the case of assets held under hire purchase agreements they are depreciated over their useful economic life. Finance charges are allocated to accounting years over the life of each lease to produce a constant rate of charge on the outstanding balance.

Rentals under operating leases are charged on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

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(g) Cash Flow Statement The company has taken advantage of the exemption, conferred by Financial Reporting Standard 1, from presenting a cash flow statement as it qualifies as a small company.

2	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS					
		Permanent		Tractors, Forklifts		Total
	COST	£	£	£	£	£
	At 29th November, 1996 Additions at cost Applicable to disposals	123,834 2,955 —	18,430 400 —————	16,416	31,021 - (<u>3,500</u>)	189,701 3,355 (<u>3,500</u>)
	At 28th November, 1997	126,789	18,830	<u>16,416</u>	27,521	<u> 189,556</u>
	DEPRECIATION At 29th November, 1996 Charge for the year Released by disposals	20,015 2,875	11,200 1,090	13,346 615	18,491 3,123 (<u>3,473</u>)	63,052 7,703 (<u>3,473</u>)
	At 28th November, 1997	22,890	12,290	<u> 13,961</u>	<u>18,141</u>	<u>67,282</u>
	NET BOOK VALUE At 28th November, 1997	103,899	6,540	2,455	9,380	<u>122,274</u>
	At 28th November, 1996	<u>103,819</u>	7,230	<u>3,070</u>	12,530	<u>126,649</u>

Details of fixed assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts included in the above are as follows:

	Permanent Imprvmnts	General Implemnts £	Tractors, Forklifts		Total £
1997					
Net book value	-	-		8,485	8,485
Charge for the year	-		_	2,825	2,825
1996					
Net book value			_	11,310	11,310
Charge for the year		-		<u>3,770</u>	<u>3,770</u>

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3	INVESTMENTS				
	Unlisted investments			£	
	At 29th November, 1996 Additions Disposals			9,523 28,252 (<u>22,519</u>)	
	At 28th November, 1997			<u>15,256</u>	
4	DEBTORS			1997 £	1996 £
	Amounts receivable within one	e year		<u>39,067</u>	<u>11,159</u>
5	CREDITORS:			1997 £	1996 £
	Amounts falling due within or	100,773	64,548		
	Secured creditors included ab	oove		18,151	<u>5,498</u>
6	CREDITORS:			1997 £	1996 £
	Amounts falling due after mon	98,542	101,491		
	Amounts included above payably years hence other than by ins	98,542	98,542		
	Secured creditors included at	oove			2,949
7	SHARE CAPITAL Equity interests: Authorised: Ordinary shares	Number 1997	Value 1997 £	Number 1996	Value 1996 £
	of £1 each Issued and fully paid:	1,000	1,000	1,000	<u>1,000</u>
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100	100	100