A & E VENTURES LIMITED

DIRECTOR'S REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE PERIOD FROM

20 APRIL 2006

TO

31 MAY 2007

COMPANY NUMBER SC301052

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A & E VENTURES LIMITED COMPANY INFORMATION

Directors Peter Trainer Corporate Services Limited (appointed and resigned 20 April 2006)

Mrs A Smith (appointed 20 April 2006) Mrs E Wilkinson (appointed 20 April 2006)

Company secretary Peter Trainer Company Secretaries Limited (appointed and resigned 20 April 2006)

Mrs E Wilkinson (appointed 20 April 2006)

Company number SC 301052

Registered office Colquoich Farmhouse

Glenkindie Alford

Aberdeenshire AB33 8SU

Reporting accountants Cassie & Co

5 High Street Inverurie AB51 3QA

A & E VENTURES LIMITED DIRECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MAY 2007

The directors presents their report and the financial statements for the period ended 31 May 2007

Principal activity

The company's principal activity is the retail of clothing

Commencement of trading

The company was incorporated on 20 April 2006 and commenced trading on 21 June 2006

Directors

The directors who served during the year were as follows

Peter Trainer Corporate Services Limited Mrs A Smith Mrs E Wilkinson

Statement of directors' responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial period which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit and loss of the company for that period

In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to

select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently, make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent, prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Reporting accountants

The company is exempt from audit in the current year. Cassie & Co. were appointed as reporting accountants during the period.

Small company rules

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005)

This report was approved by the board on 12 December 2007 and signed on its behalf

Mrs E Wilkinson Company secretary

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ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON THE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF A & E VENTURES LIMITED

We report on the financial statements for the period ended 31 May 2007 set out on pages 6 11

Respective responsibilities of directors and reporting accountants

As described on page 4 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements, and they consider that the company is exempt from an audit. It is our responsibility to carry out procedures designed to report our opinion

Going concern

We have prepared the accounts on a going concern basis despite the company's creditors being in excess of all available assets. We have agreed to this given the representation you have made regarding the company's ability to continue trading for the following twelve months and your continued ability to support the company's debt

Basis of opinion

Our work was conducted in accordance with the Statement of Standards for Reporting Accountants, and so our procedures consisted of comparing the financial statements with the accounting records kept by the company, and making such limited enquiries of the officers of the company as we considered necessary for the purposes of this report. These procedures provide only the assurance expressed in our opinion.

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In our opinion

- (a) the financial statements are in agreement with the accounting records kept by the company under section 221 of the Companies Act 1985,
- (b) having regard only to, and on the basis of, the information contained in those accounting records
 - (i) the financial statements have been drawn up in a manner consistent with the accounting requirements specified in section 249C(6) of the Act, and
 - (ii) the company satisfied the conditions for exemption from an audit of the financial statements for the year specified in section 249A(4) of the Act and did not, at any time within that year, fall within any of the categories not entitled to the exemption specified in section 249B(1)

Cassie & Co 5 High Street Inverurie AB51 3QA

12 December 2007

A & E VENTURES LIMITED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MAY 2007

	Notes	2007 £
Turnover	1	79,401
Cost of sales		(60,841)
Gross profit		18,560
Administrative expenses		(44,992)
Operating loss	2	(26,432)
Interest receivable Interest payable		86 (1,616)
Loss for the financial period		(27,962)

A & E VENTURES LIMITED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MAY 2007

	Notes	2007 £
Fixed assets		~
Intangible assets	4	27,200
Tangible assets	5	22,719
		49,919
Current assets		
Stock	6	76,470
Debtors	7	18,061
Cash at bank and in hand		7,464
		101,995
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	8	(166,549)
Net current liabilities		(64,554)
Total assets less current liabilities		(14,635)
Creditors amounts falling due after more than one year	9	(13,325)
Net liabilities		(27,960)
Capital and reserves		
Called up share capital	11	2
Profit and loss account	12	(27,962)
Shareholders' deficit		(27,960)

The directors consider that the company is entitled to exemption from audit under subsection 1 of section 249A of the Companies Act 1985 for the period ended 31 May 2007. No member has deposited a notice under section 249B(2) requiring an audit for the period ended 31 May 2007.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Companies Act 1985 and for preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at 31 May 2007 and of its loss for the period then ended in accordance with the requirements of section 226 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act 1985 relating to the financial statements, so far as applicable to the company

The financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005) were approved by the board on 12 December 2007 and signed on its behalf

Mrs A Smith Director

A & E VENTURES LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MAY 2007

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005)

Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services provided in the normal course of business, net of trade discounts and VAT. Turnover is recognised when the service has been provided and all obligations to the customer have been fulfilled.

Intangible assets

Franchise fees are recognised in the balance sheet and are amortised to the profit and loss account over their estimated economic life of 5 years

Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost, net of depreciation and any provision for impairment

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets at rates calculated to write off the cost, less estimated residual value, of each asset over its expected useful life as follows

Tenants improvements 10% Furniture and fittings 20%

10% straight line 20% straight line

Stock

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost includes materials only. Net realisable value is based on estimated selling price less all relevant marketing, selling and distribution costs.

Hire purchase commitments

Assets acquired under hire purchase agreements are capitalised in the financial statements and written off over their expected useful lives

Operating lease rental payments are charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the lease as incurred

Deferred taxation

The charge for deferred taxation takes into account taxation deferred as a result of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes. In general, deferred taxation is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date. However, deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future. taxable profits. Deferred taxation is measured on a non discounted basis at the average tax rates that would apply when the timing differences are expected to reverse, based on tax rates and laws that have been enacted by the balance sheet date.

2 Operating loss

	2007
	£
Operating loss is stated after charging	
Amortisation	6,800
Depreciation	3,319_

A & E VENTURES LIMITED NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MAY 2007

4	Intangible assets			Franchise fees
	Cost Additions			34,000
	At 31 May 2007			34,000
	Amortisation Charge for the period			6,800
	At 31 May 2007			6,800
	Net book value At 31 May 2007			27,200
5	Tangible fixed assets			
		Tenants Improvements £	Furniture and fittings £	Total £
	Cost Additions	18,843	7,195	26,038
	At 31 May 2007	18,843	7,195	26,038
	Depreciation Charge for the period	1,883	1,436	3,319
	At 31 May 2007	1,883	1,436	3,319
	Net book value At 31 May 2007	16,960	5,759	22,719
6	Stock			
				2007 £
	Goods for resale			76,470
7	Debtors			
				2007 £
	Trade debtors			1,740
	Other debtors Prepayments			7,869 8,452
				18,061

A & E VENTURES LIMITED NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MAY 2007

8	Creditors amounts falling due within one year	2007
		2007 £
		F 504
	Bank loan (secured)	5,594 71,452
	Trade creditors Other creditors	8,848
	Social security and other taxes	177
	Other loan	8,200
	Directors' loan accounts	72,278
		166,549
9	Creditors amounts falling due after more than one year	
		2007
		£
	Bank loan repayable in 1 to 2 years (secured)	5,594
	repayable in 2 to 5 years (secured)	7,731
		13,325
10	Share capital	
		2007
		£
	Authorised	
	100 ordinary shares of £1 each	100_
	Allotted, called up and fully paid	_
	2 ordinary shares of £1 each	2
	During the period the company issued 2 ordinary shares of £1 each at par	
11	Profit and loss account	
		Total
		£
	Loss for the financial period	(27,962)
	At 31 May 2007	(27,962)
	7. Or May 2007	
12	Other commitments	
	At 31 May 2007, the company had annual commitments under non cancellable operating leases as fo	llows
		2007
	Former data	£
	Expiry date Within 2 to 5 years	21,687

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MAY 2007

13 Related party transactions

During the period the company was under the control of Mrs A Smith and Mrs E Wilkinson, the sole directors and shareholders of the company

During the period the company received loan funds from Future Forestry Limited, a company in which Mrs A Smith is a Director. The amount due to Future Forestry Limited at 31 May 2007 was £8,200

14 Going concern

The balance sheet shows that liabilities exceed assets by £27,960 including liabilities of £72,278 due to the directors. The directors have confirmed that they will maintain their financial support for the foreseeable future to enable the company to continue normal trading operations. The financial statements are therefore drawn up on a going concern basis.