Financial statements

for the year ended 31 March 2003

Directors

B W Sizer Mrs P Sizer

Secretary

Mrs P Sizer

Accountants

Moore Stephens Chartered Accountants 12-13 Alma Square Scarborough North Yorkshire YO11 1JU

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Directors' report

for the year ended 31 March 2003

The directors have pleasure in presenting their annual report to shareholders together with the company's unaudited accounts for the year ended 31 March 2003.

Principal activity

The company trades as retailers of jewellery and watches.

Directors and their interests in the capital of the company

The directors and their family interests in the capital of the company during the period were:

	Ordinary £1 shares	
	31 March 2003	31 March 2002
Brian William Sizer Pamela Sizer	1,500 500	1,500 500

Elective resolutions

The shareholders have passed elective resolutions dispensing with the requirement to hold an annual general meeting and to lay the accounts before an annual general meeting. Nevertheless the directors would like to remind the shareholders that any shareholder has the right to call for the accounts to be laid before a meeting of the shareholders and that this right may be exercised by notice in writing to the company's registered office within 28 days from the date of receipt of the accounts.

Statement of directors' responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or 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 judgments 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.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

By Order of the Board

Mrs P Sizer Secretary

Accountants' report to the directors on the unaudited accounts for the year ended 31 March 2003

As described on page 2, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2003, set out on pages 4 to 9, and the directors consider that the company is exempt from an audit under section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985. In accordance with the directors' instructions, we have compiled these unaudited accounts in order to assist the directors to fulfil their statutory responsibilities, from the accounting records of B W Sizer Limited, and from information and explanations supplied to us.

Moore Stephens

12-13 Alma Square Scarborough YO11 1JU

24 December 2003

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Chartered Accountants

Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 March 2003

	Note	£	2002 £
Turnover	1	740,897	712,379
Cost of sales		(495,729)	(478,477)
Gross profit		245,168	233,902
Distribution expenses Administrative expenses		(111,686) (19,489)	(79,944) (36,488)
Operating profit	13	113,993	117,470
Income from fixed asset investments Loss on disposal of fixed asset investments Provision for diminution in value of quoted investments		1,304 (6,125)	1,172 (8,397)
released/(charged) Interest receivable		(16,728) 4,631	2,990 6,964
Interest payable	14	(1,497)	(1,586)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		95,578	118,613
Taxation on profit on ordinary activities	15	(22,514)	(24,136)
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation		73,064	94,477
Dividends		9,600	_
Retained profit for the year	11	63,464	94,477

Balance sheet

as at 31 March 2003

	Note	£	£	2002 £	2002 £
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	5		63,981		70,885
Investments	6		56,048		74,465
Current assets					
Stocks	7	737,133		559,257	
Debtors	8	6,475		9,915	
Cash at bank and in hand		206,132		270,168	
Creditors: amounts falling due within		949,740		839,340	
one year	9	118,190		96,229	
Net current assets			831,550		743,111
Total assets less current liabilities			951,579		888,461
Provisions for liabilities and charges Deferred tax	12		-		346
Net assets			951,579		888,115
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	10		2,000		2,000
Profit and loss account	11		949,579		886,115
			951,579		888,115

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

For the year in question the company was entitled to exemption from an audit under section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985. The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the period in accordance with s249B(2). The directors acknowledge their responsibilities 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 the end of the financial year, and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 226 of the Companies Act 1985, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of that Act relating to accounts so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 23rd. December 2003.

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B W Sizer Director

Notes to the accounts

for the year ended 31 March 2003

1 Accounting policies

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002), adopting the following principal accounting policies.

1.01 Depreciation

Depreciation of fixed assets has been provided at various rates which are anticipated to amortise the cost on a straight line basis over the assets' expected useful lives. Indicative annual rates are:—

Freehold buildings 2% Fixtures, fittings, tools & equipment 33.3%

Short leasehold property Over the duration of the lease

1.02 Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

1.03 Turnover

Turnover comprises sales to customers of goods and services net of value added tax.

1.04 Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised as a liability or asset if the transactions or events that give an obligation to pay more tax in future or a right to pay less tax in future have occurred by the balance sheet date, although deferred tax assets are recognised only when it becomes more likely than not that they will be recoverable.

1.05 Leases

The company has no assets accounted for under finance lease agreements. Operating lease rentals are charged against profits of the period to which they relate.

1.06 Investments

Investments comprise quoted securities and are included at the lower of cost and net realisable value on a portfolio basis.

2 Controlling party

For the purposes of the related party disclosure provisions of the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities, Mr B W Sizer, who is a director and the principal shareholder, as detailed in the directors' report, is considered to be the company's controlling party.

3 Related party transactions

Included in creditors are the following directors' loans to the company:

 B W Sizer
 \$8,027

 Mrs P Sizer
 \$15,592

The directors' loans bore interest as disclosed in note 14.

4 Pension schemes

The company operates independently administered defined contribution pension schemes for both the directors and the employees. The level of contributions made by the company to the schemes during the year were as follows:

Notes to the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2003

5	Cost As at 31.03.02 Additions Disposals	Freehold land & buildings £ 57,989 —	Short leasehold property £ 30,269	Fixtures fittings, tools & equipment £ 67,967 160	Total £ 156,225 160
	As at 31.03.03	57,989	30,269	68,127	156,385
	Depreciation As at 31.03.02 Provided in year Eliminated on disposal	2,784 928	30,269	52,287 6,136 -	85,340 7,064 -
	As at 31.03.03	3,712	30,269	58,423	92,404
	Net book value As at 31.03.02	55,205	_	15,680	70,885
	As at 31.03.03	54,277		9,704	63,981
6	Investments	Quoted securities			
	Cost As at 31.03.02 Additions Disposals	£ 87,061 17,307 (18,997)			
	As at 31.03.03	85,371			
	Provisions As at 31.03.02 Provided (released) in year Eliminated on disposal	12,596 16,727			
	As at 31.03.03	29,323			
	Net book value As at 31.03.02	<u>74,465</u>			
	As at 31.03.03	56,048	(Market v	value £56,048)	
7	Stocks	£		2002 £	
	Jewellery, timepieces, silverware for resale	737,133		559,257	
				2002	
8	Debtors	£		£	
	Deferred tax Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income	6,113 213 6,475		9,664 251 9,915	

Notes to the accounts

for the year ended 31 March 2003

9	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	£	2002 £
	Trade creditors	32,387	45,253
	Corporation tax	22,954	23,711
	Other taxation and social security	7,031	5,204
	Other creditors	28,821	16,858
	Accruals and deferred income	26,997	5,203
		118,190	96,229
10		•	2002
10	Share capital	£	£
	Authorised - £1 ordinary shares	2,000	2,000
	Issued & fully paid - £1 ordinary shares	2,000	2,000
11	Reserves	Profit & loss	
11	Reserves	account	
		£	
	As at 31,03.02	886,115	
	Retained profit for the year	63,464	
	As at 31.03.03	949,579	

12 Deferred taxation

The full potential liability/(asset) and amount provided in the accounts relating to deferred taxation, assuming a tax rate of 19% (2002 - 19%), arise from the following timing differences between the tax computations and accounts:-

	Full potential liability/(asset) Capital allowances in excess of/(less than) depreciation Capital losses	£ (149) (2,759) (2,908)	2002 £ 346 (1,595)
	Of which provided in the accounts Capital allowances in excess of/(less than) depreciation Capital losses	(149) - (149)	346 - 346
13	Operating profit	£	2002 £
	Operating profit is stated after charging: Depreciation Loss of stock Directors' remuneration	7,064 30,580	4,014 15,448 10,400

Notes to the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2003

14	Interest payable	£	2002 £
	Directors' loan accounts Other interest	1,497 —	1,497 89
		1,497	1,586
15	Taxation	£	2002 £
	Corporation tax — current year Corporation tax — underprovision in previous year Deferred taxation	22,954 55 (495)	23,711 79 346
		22,514	24,136
16	Operating lease commitments	£	2002 £
	Rentals payable next year under property leases which expire:—		
	Within one to two years	6,850	
	Within two to five years	· -	6,850
		6,850	6,850