REGISTERED NUMBER: 02569924 (England and Wales)

ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 1997

FOR

TODAYS TOOLS LIMITED



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## COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 1997

**DIRECTORS:** 

T Scrivens

M Herriott

SECRETARY:

T Scrivens

REGISTERED OFFICE:

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Parkhouse Industrial Estate East

Newcastle-under-Lyme

Staffordshire ST5 7RW

**REGISTERED NUMBER:** 

02569924 (England and Wales)

**AUDITORS:** 

Bloor & Co

Registered Auditor Chartered Accountants

Pennant House Salem Street Etruria

Stoke-on-Trent ST1 5PR

## REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO TODAYS TOOLS LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated financial statements on pages three to five, together with the full financial statements of the company for the year ended 31st October 1997 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated financial statements in accordance with Section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial statements prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the financial statements to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

#### Basis of opinion

We have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial statements and that the abbreviated financial statements to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full financial statements.

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated financial statements prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated financial statements on pages three to five are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

Bloor & Co

Registered Auditor Chartered Accountants

Pennant House

Salem Street Etruria

Stoke-on-Trent ST1 5PR

Dated: 3rd December 1997

## ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 31ST OCTOBER 1997

	Notes	1997		1996	
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS:					
Tangible assets	2		20,161		23,701
CURRENT ASSETS:					
Stocks		47,320		41,735	
Debtors		141,696		161,152	
Cash in hand		43		253	
		189,059		203,140	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling		•		•	
due within one year		199,769		224,837	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES:			(10,710)	<del></del>	(21,697)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES:			9,451		2,004
CREDITORS: Amounts falling					
due after more than one year			2,084		6,194
			£7,367		£(4,190)
					<del></del>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES:					
Called up share capital	3		1,000		1,000
Profit and loss account			6,367		(5,190)
Shareholders' funds			£7,367		£(4,190)

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

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

M Herriott - DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on 3rd December 1997

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#### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 1997

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities.

#### Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax.

#### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Plant and machinery etc

- 15% on reducing balance and 25% on reducing balance

#### **Stocks**

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

#### **Deferred taxation**

Provision is made at current rates for taxation deferred in respect of all material timing differences except to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is reasonable probability that the liability will not arise in the foreseeable future.

#### Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet. Those held under hire purchase contracts are depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Those held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

The interest element of these obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the relevant period. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability.

Total

#### 2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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	£
COST:	
At 1st November 1996	39,840
Additions	2,130
At 31st October 1997	41,970
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DEPRECIATION:	
At 1st November 1996	16,139
Charge for year	5,670
At 31st October 1997	21,809
NET BOOK VALUE:	
At 31st October 1997	20,161
At 31st October 1996	23,701

## NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 1997

## 3. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Authorised, allotted, issued and fully paid:

Number:	Class:	• •	Nominal	1997	1996
1.000	Ordinary		value: £1	£ 1,000	£ 1,000
1,000	Ordinary		<b>₩</b> I	1,000	===