COMPANY NO. 2642479

S.L. PRECISION ENGINEERS LIMITED

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ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2002

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S.L. PRECISION ENGINEERS LIMITED COMPANY NO. 2642479

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2002

The Director presents his Report and the Financial Statements for the year ended 3lst August 2002.

Statement of Director's Responsibilities

Company law requires the director 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 director is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- follow applicable accounting standards, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The director is responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable him to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. He is 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.

Principal Activities and Business Review

The principal activity of the company in the year under review is that of Precision Engineering. There has been no significant change in the activity of the company during the year. The company also uses the trading name of S.L. Plastics.

The Director is of the opinion that the progress of the Company during the year and its financial position at the end of the year is satisfactory.

The results of the Company are set out in the Profit and Loss Account on page 2.

Dividends

Dividends paid are set out in Note 14 to the Financial Statements.

Director

The Director in office in the year and his interest in the company's issued ordinary share capital was as follows:-

Number of Shares
31st August 2002 1st September 2001

Mr, S.L. Leaver 100

The Director who retires by rotation is Mr. S.L. Leaver who, being eligible, offers himself for re-election.

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Fixed Assets

Movements on fixed assets are shown in note 9 to the financial statements.

The Euro

The impact of the euro has been considered generally by the company. Although the impact of the changeover to the euro is not currently anticipated to be significant, this issue is being closely monitored.

Director's Statement Required by Section 249B(4)

In approving these financial statements as a director of the company I hereby confirm:

- (a) that for the year in question the company was entitled to the exemption conferred by section 249A(1) the total exemption conditions of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) that no notice has been deposited at the registered office of the company pursuant to section 249B(2) requesting that an audit be conducted for the year ended 31st August 2002; and
- (c) that I acknowledge my responsibilities for:
 - (i) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221, and
 - (ii) 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 year then ended in accordance with the requirements of section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 1985, so far as applicable to the company.

Small Company's Exemption

The report of the director has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies. In the opinion of the director, the company qualifies as a small company and is therefore entitled to make use of these exemptions.

This report was approved by the Board on 24th October 2002.

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors

MR. S.L. LEAVER

DIRECTOR

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2002

	NOTES	2002	2001
TURNOVER		195978	128882
COST OF SALES		(81795)	(50527)
GROSS PROFIT		114183	78355
DISTRIBUTION AND ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS	2	(22860)	(20690)
OPERATING PROFIT		91323	57665
INTEREST PAYABLE/RECEIVABLE	4	(572)	(1505)
PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	5	90751	56160
TAXATION	7	(18345)	(11189)
PROFIT/(LOSS) AFTER TAXATION		72406	44971
DIVIDEND PAID	14	(65756)	(44866)
RETAINED PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE YEAR		6650	105
BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD		713	608
BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD		7363	713

All of the company's activities in the above two financial years derived from continuing operations.

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the profit or loss for the above two financial years.

The Notes on Pages 4 to 8 form part of these Financial Statements

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST AUGUST 2002

	NOTES	2002	2001
FIXED ASSETS TANGIBLE ASSETS	9	<u>6416</u>	<u>8554</u>
CURRENT ASSETS STOCKS DEBTORS CASH AT BANK CURRENT LIABILITIES CREDITORS DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	10 11	8466 17147 22112 47725	7938 35621 10 43569
NET CURRENT ASSETS/(LIABILITIES)	12	(<u>46678</u>) 1047	(<u>51310</u>) (7741)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		7463	813
CREDITORS AMOUNTS DUE AFTER MORE ONE YEAR	R 12		
NET ASSETS		7463	813
REPRESENTED BY:- CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called Up Share Capital Profit and Loss Account SHAREHOLDERS FUNDS	13	100 <u>7363</u> 7463	100 713 813

For the financial year ended 31st August 2002 the director has:

(a) confirmed that the company is entitled to exemption from audit under s249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985.

(b) confirmed that no notice has been deposited under s249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985.

(c) acknowledged his responsibilities for ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with s221 of the Companies Act 1985.

(d) acknowledged his responsibilities for preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the company and of its profit/loss for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of s226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to this company.

(e) taken advantage of the exemptions conferred by s246 of the Companies Act 1985 on the basis that the company qualifies as a small company.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Eptities (effective June 2002).

S.L. LEAVER DIRECTOR

APPROVED BY THE BOARD ON 24TH OCTOBER 2002

The Notes on pages 4 to 8 form part of these Financial Statements

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2002

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002) under the historical cost convention.

(b) TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION

Tangible fixed assets are stated in the balance sheet at cost less depreciation.

Depreciation is charged on a reducing balance basis, to write down the cost over the estimated useful lives of the assets at the following annual rates:-

Plant and Equipment	25%
Motor Vehicles	25%

(c) STOCK AND WORK IN PROGRESS

Stock and work in progress has been valued by the Director and is stated in the balance sheet at the lower of cost price or net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving items.

(d) TURNOVER

Turnover represents the value of goods and services invoiced during the period to customers, excluding Value Added Tax.

(e) CASH FLOW STATEMENT

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No.1 from producing a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a small company.

2. DISTRIBUTION AND ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS		
	2002	2001
DISTRIBUTION COSTS AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	22860	20690
3. OTHER OPERATING INCOME		
BANK INTEREST RECEIVED (NET)	20	10
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2002 (CONTINUED)

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4. INTEREST PAYABLE On Hire Purchase Accounts		
- repayable within 5 years, by instalments On Bank Loan Accounts and Overdraft	441	1035
- repayable within 5 years	151	480
Interest Receivable - Bank Interest	(20)	(10)
	572	1505
5. PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXAT	ION	
This is arrived at after charging the following:-		
STAFF COSTS (See Note 6)	29083	19763
DEPRECIATION	2138	2851
(PROFIT)/LOSS ON SALE OF FIXED ASSETS	-	(363)
LEASE OF MOTOR VEHICLE LEASE OF PLANT AND MACHINERY		
6. DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES		
STAFF COSTS		
WAGES AND SALARIES	22502	18751
SOCIAL SECURITY COSTS	1681	1012
PENSION COSTS	<u>4900</u>	
	29083	19763
		
The average weekly number of persons employed by the company during the period was:		
Management	1	1
Production	1	1
	2	2
STAFF Costs include the following remuneration in respect of the directors:		
For Services as Director	3744	3570
Pension	4500	
	8244	3570
		

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2002 (CONTINUED)

	2002	2001
The Director's remuneration disclosed above (excluding pensions) included amounts paid		
to the Chairman	3744	3570
		
7. TAXATION		
U.K. CORPORATION TAX BASED ON PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE YEAR	18400	11550
PRIOR YEARS ADJUSTMENT	(55)	(361)
		
	18345	11189

8. DEFERRED TAXATION

Deferred tax arises as a result of including items of income and expenditure in taxation computations in periods different from those in which they are included in the company's financial statements. Deferred tax is provided in full on timing differences which result in an obligation to pay more (or less) tax at a future date, at the average tax rates that are expected to apply when the timing differences reverse, based on current tax rates and laws. Deferred tax is not provided on timing differences arising from the revaluation of fixed assets where there is no commitment to sell the asset. The director is of the opinion that no liability will crystalise in the foreseeable future. Accordingly, no deferred taxation is provided in these financial statements.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2002 (CONTINUED)

9. TANGIBLE ASSETS

	PLANT & EQUIPMENT	
AT COST OR VALUATION AT BEGINNING OF YEAR ADDITIONS	33702	
DISPOSALS	-	
AT END OF YEAR	33702	
DEPRECIATION AT BEGINNING OF YEAR CHARGE FOR YEAR	25148 2138	
ELIMINATED ON DISPOSALS	-	
AT END OF YEAR	27286	
NET BOOK VALUE		
AT 31 ST AUGUST 2002 AT 31 ST AUGUST 2001	6416 8554	
10.STOCKS AND WORK IN PROGRESS	2002	2001
Stock and Work in Progress have been valued by the Director of the Company at the lower of cost or net realisable value	8466	7938
11.DEBTORS		
DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR: TRADE DEBTORS OTHER DEBTORS AND PREPAYMENTS	17147	35621
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DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR	NIL	NIL

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST AUGUST 2002 (CONTINUED)

12. CREDITORS	2002	2001
DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR: BANK OVERDRAFT TRADE CREDITORS OTHER TAXATION AND SOCIAL SECURITY PAYABLE OTHER CREDITORS AND ACCRUALS HIRE PURCHASE ACCOUNTS CORPORATION TAX DIRECTOR'S LOAN ACCOUNT (SECURED)	12646 9767 3150 18400 2715	14276 10273 8553 3150 793 11550 2715
DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR HIRE PURCHASE ACCOUNTS LESS: CURRENT INSTALMENTS	46678 	51310
THE DIRECTOR'S LOAN ACCOUNT IS SECURED BY A FIXED AND FLOATING CHARGE.		,
13. CALLED-UP SHARE CAPITAL		
Authorised 1000 Ordinary Share of £1 each	£1000	£1000
Issued 100 Ordinary Shares of £1 each fully paid	£100	£100
Controlling Party		
Mr. S.L. Leaver, the director, controls the company by virtue of a controlling interest of 100% of the issued ordinary share capital.		
14. DIVIDEND PAID		
Dividend Paid	65756	44866