FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR 31 MARCH 2000

Company Registration Number 80416

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THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2000

The directors have pleasure in presenting their report and the unaudited financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 March 2000.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company is printing.

THE DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS IN SHARES OF THE COMPANY

The directors who served the company during the year together with their beneficial interests in the shares of the company were as follows:

		Ordinary Shares of £1 each	
		At 31 March 2000	At 1 April 1999
C J White		501	501
T Marmion		499	499
A J McCoist	(Retired 1 May 1999)		

SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS

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

Signed by order of the directors

T Marmion

Company Secretary

Approved by the directors on 8 September 2000

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2000

	Note	£	1999 £
TURNOVER		134,923	169,585
Cost of sales		(25,368)	(31,303)
GROSS PROFIT		109,555	138,282
Administrative expenses		(95,311)	(118,260)
OPERATING PROFIT	2	14,244	20,022
Interest payable and similar charges		(1,452)	(104)
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		12,792	19,918
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	4	(2,134)	(4,303)
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES AFTER TAXATION		10,658	15,615
Equity dividends paid		(24,432)	(24,432)
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		(13,774)	(8,817)
Balance brought forward		16,718	25,535
Balance carried forward		2,944	16,718

BALANCE SHEET AT 31 MARCH 2000

	Note			1999
		£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS				
Tangible assets	5		19,303	8,070
CURRENT ASSETS				
Stocks Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	6	30,581 19,965 142 50,688		34,042 23,036 57,078
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	7	(48,788)		(34,430)
NET CURRENT ASSETS			1,900	22,648
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			21,203	30,718
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year	8		(17,259) 3,944	(13,000) 17,718
CAPITAL AND RESERVES				
Called-up equity share capital Profit and loss account	10		1,000 2,944	1,000 16,718
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			3,944	17,718

The directors are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption from the provisions of the Companies Act 1985 (the Act) relating to the audit of the accounts for the year by virtue of section 249A(1), and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 249B(2) of the Act.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (i) ensuring that the company keeps proper accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Act, 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 financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 2000).

These financial statements were approved by the directors on 8 September 2000 and are signed on their behalf by:

C J White Director

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 2000).

Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents the net invoice value of goods sold and services rendered during the year.

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Plant & Machinery

25% reducing balance

Fixtures & Fittings

- 15% reducing balance

Leased assets

straight line over term of lease

Stocks

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

Work in progress

Work in progress is valued on the basis of direct costs plus attributable overheads based on normal level of activity. Provision is made for any foreseeable losses where appropriate. No element of profit is included in the valuation of work in progress.

Operating lease agreements

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

Pension costs

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company. The annual contributions payable are charged to the profit and loss account.

Deferred taxation

Provision is made, under the liability method, to take account of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for accounts purposes and their treatment for tax purposes. Tax deferred or accelerated is accounted for in respect of all material timing differences to the extent that it is considered that a net liability may arise.

2. OPERATING PROFIT

Operating profit is stated after charging/(crediting):

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	£	£
Depreciation	2,230	1,951

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3. DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS

The directors' aggregate emoluments in respect of qualifying services were:

				£	1999 £
	Aggregate emoluments	butions to manay	nurchasa	27,409	25,768
	Value of company pension contri schemes	buttons to money	puiciase	2,650	2,650
				30,059	28,418
	The number of directors who ar follows:	e accruing benefi	ts under company	pension schem	es were as
				No.	No.
	Money purchase schemes			2	2
4.	TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINAR	Y ACTIVITIES			
	í			£	1999 £
	In respect of the year:				
	Corporation tax based on the re 21%)	sults for the year	at 20% (1999 -	2,134	4,407
	Adjustment in respect of previous	s years:			
	Corporation tax			<u>-</u>	(104)
				2,134	4,303
5.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Plant &	Fixtures &	Leased	Total
		Machinery	Fittings £	assets £	£
	COST	_	_	_	
	At 1 April 1999 Additions	26,242 13,406	9,048 57	3,964	39,254 13,463
	At 31 March 2000	39,648	9,105	3,964	52,717
	DEPRECIATION At 1 April 1999 Charge for the year	22,884 1,518	4,336 712	3,964 -	31,184 2,230
	At 31 March 2000	24,402	5,048	3,964	33,414
	NET BOOK VALUE At 31 March 2000	15,246	4,057		19,303
	At 31 March 1999	3,358	4,712		8,070

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6. DEBTORS

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		£	1999 £
	Trade debtors	17,190	21,125
	ACT recoverable against future taxation	1,911	1,911
	Other debtors	864	
		19,965	23,036
7.	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year		
			1999
		£	£
	Bank loans and overdrafts	19,557	4,788
	Trade creditors	11,489	9,378
	Advance Corporation Tax	~	6,108
	Corporation tax	2,134	210
	Other taxation and social security	4,633	7,082
	Other creditors	10,975	6,864
		48,788	34,430

The bank overdraft is secured by a bond and floating charge over the whole assets of the company.

8. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year

	£	1999 £
Other creditors	17,259	13,000

9. COMMITMENTS UNDER OPERATING LEASES

At 31 March 2000 the company had aggregate annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as set out below.

	£	1999 £
Operating leases which expire:		
Within 1 year	-	337
Within 2 to 5 years	9,307	663
After more than 5 years	5,500	4,000
	14,807	5,000
SHARE CAPITAL		
Authorised share capital:		

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	£	£
1,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000
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YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2000

10. SHARE CAPITAL (continued)

Allotted, called up and fully paid:

		1999
	£	£
Ordinary share capital	1,000	1,000

11. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

The company was under the control of the directors throughout the current and previous year. Their interest in the issued share capital of the company is shown on page 1.

At the year end the company owed the directors the following amounts :-

	£	1999 £
C J White T Marmion	14,594 2,470	14,594
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