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Directors' report

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 1995.

Principal activities

The purpose of the company is to manage the mutual interests of the lessees of plots 6, 7, 15, 16, 19-22, 25, 26, 51-58, 61, 62, 68-71 and 221-238 Duarte Place, Chafford Hundred, Grays,

Proposed dividend and transfer to reserves

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

Proposed transfers to reserves

The result shown in the attached income and expenditure account will be carried forward.

Significant changes in fixed assets

Information relating to changes in fixed assets is given in note 5 to the financial statements.

Directors and directors' interests

The directors who held office during the year were as follows:

P E Healey J Begbie

D J Brown

(appointed 30 June 1995)

C H Payne C D Berry (appointed 1 July 1995) (resigned 31 March 1995)

C G Seymour

(resigned 1 July 1995)

A V Randall

(appointed 31 March 1995 and resigned 30 June 1995)

The directors who held office during the year had no beneficial interests in the shares of the company.

Auditors

In accordance with Section 384 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution for the re-appointment of KPMG as auditors of the company is to be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

By order of the board

Director

CH PAYNE

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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 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;
- . state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, 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 directors are responsible for keeping proper financial 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 have a general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

The statement of directors' responsibilities was approved by the board of directors on 11 June /1996

Director

C H PAYNE

Director



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Report of the auditors to the members of Parnell Place Residents Company Limited

We have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 9.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 2 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit of those statements and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of the information in the financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31 December 1995 and of its result for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Chartered Accountants Registered Auditors

19 August 1996

KAMG

Milton Keynes

principal place of

Profit and loss account

for the year ended 31 December 1995

for the year ended 31 December 1993				
Note		1995 £		1994 £
Turnover Service charges invoiced Tenants service charges (prepaid)/accrued Borne by landlords re voids Borne by landlords re deficits Allowance for gardening		10,447 (2,932) 1,617 1,785 (150)		5,255 1,226 642 - - 7,123
Administrative expenses Insurance Electricity Cleaning and gardening Repairs and maintenance Audit fee Administration fee Annual return Depreciation Transfer (from)/to maintenance provision	1,587 385 3,003 4,205 600 2,790 18 152 (1,973)		850 20 2,115 16 600 2,192 18 -	
Result for the financial year 3		(10,767)		(7,123)

There were no acquisitions or discontinued operations during the year.

The company had no recognised gains or losses, other than the retained result for the financial year stated above.

The notes on pages 7 to 9 form part of these financial statements.

Balance sheet

at 31 December 1995

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Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	5		810		-
Current assets		1 506		2,701	
Unpaid service charges Due from Laing Homes Limi Prepayments Tenants service charges accru		1,536 713 92 1,077		670 108 4,009	
			3,418	- -	7,488
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year					
Due to Laing Homes Limited Service charges received in a Accruals	i idvance	99 970		1,874 812	
			(1,069)		(2,686)
Provisions for liabilities and charges				(0.050)	
Maintenance provision		(1,899)		(3,872)	(0.054)
			(1,899)		(3,872)
Net assets			1,260		930
Capital and reserves			-40		155
Called up share capital Share premium	6 6		210 1,050		775
			1,260		930

The notes on pages 7 to 9 form part of these financial statements.

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 11 June 1996. and were signed on its behalf by:

Director

CH PAYNE

Director

Parnell Place Residents Company Limited Reconciliation of shareholders' funds

for the year ended 31 December 1995

· ·	1995 £	1994 £
Shareholders' funds brought forward Issue of shares Ordinary Share premium	930	780
	55 275	25 125
Shareholders' funds carried forward	1,260	930

Notes

(forming part of the financial statements)

Accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's financial statements.

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and under the historical cost accounting rules. Under Financial Reporting Standard 1, the company is exempt from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement on the grounds of its size.

Fixed assets and depreciation

Depreciation is provided by the company to write off the cost or valuation less the estimated residual value of tangible fixed assets by equal instalments over their estimated useful economic lives as follows:

Equipment

4 years

Service charges

The residents' company is currently administered by Laing Homes Limited, the developers. Service charges are charged to the tenants each year based on the budgeted expenditure. Any deficit or surplus arising where the actual expenditure does not equal the budgeted expenditure is reflected in the accounts as a debtor or creditor and is recovered from, or refunded to tenants in the course of the following year. Any service charges relating to a property which is built but not sold is borne by Laing Homes Limited.

Maintenance provision

The company is liable to ensure that certain areas, external to the flats, are kept in good repair and decorative order. This includes major redecorative work every few years. It has been decided that a separate provision should be maintained to cover the expected costs and appropriations are made from the income and expenditure account for this purpose.

Taxation

The company is a mutually trading enterprise and surpluses or deficits arising as a result of differences between service charges levied (based on estimated costs) and actual costs incurred do not fall within the scope of corporation tax. Tax is payable on investment income only.

Turnover

Turnover represents the amounts (excluding value added tax) derived from the provision of services to customers during the year.

Notes (continued)

2 Analysis of turnover and result on ordinary activities before taxation

The turnover and result are wholly attributable to the company's main activity.

The turnover arises entirely in the UK.

3 Retained result for the financial year

The retained result for the financial year is stated	1995 £	1994 £
after charging		
Auditors' remuneration	600	600

4 Directors and staff

No emoluments were paid to the directors during either period and the company had no employees.

Notes (continued)

5 Tangible fixed assets

5	Tangiole fixed assets	Equi	Equipment		
			£		
	Cost Additions		962		
	At end of year		962		
	Depreciation and diminution in value Charge for year		152		
	At end of year		152		
	Net book value At 31 December 1995		810		
	At 31 December 1994		<u>-</u>		
6	Called up share capital	1995 £	1994 £		
	Authorised 100 Ordinary shares of £5 each	500	500		
	Allotted, called up and fully paid 42 Ordinary shares of £5 each	210	155		

During the year 11 ordinary shares of £5 each were issued at a premium of £25 each (yielding additional share premium of £275) in order to provided working capital.

7 Commitments

There were no capital commitments as at the balance sheet date.