PRENTICE GLASS LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

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DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

The directors present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2003.

Principal activities

The principal activities of the company in the year under review were that of supplying glass and glazing contracting.

Directors

The following directors have held office since 1 April 2002:

Mr R Mannell Mr J Malynn Mrs J Mannell Mrs J Malynn

Directors' interests

The directors in office in the year and their beneficial interests in the ultimate parent company at the balance sheet date and the beginning of the year (or on appointment if later) were as follows:

	Ordinary shares of £ 1 each		
	31 March 2003	1 April 2002	
Mr R Mannell	257	257	
Mr J Malynn	233	233	
Mrs J Mannell	243	243	
Mrs J Malynn	267	267	

Auditors

In accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution proposing that Cartwrights be reappointed as auditors of the company will be put to the Annual General Meeting.

DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

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 judgements 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.

On behalf of the board

Director 2011.03

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF PRENTICE GLASS LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Prentice Glass Limited on pages 4 to 13 for the year ended 31 March 2003. These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of the directors and auditors

As described in the statement of directors' responsibilities on page 2 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the directors' report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed.

We read the directors' report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with United Kingdom 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 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 as at 31 March 2003 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Date: 21.11.03

Cartwrights

Chartered Accountants

Registered Auditor

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

	Notes	2003 £	2002 £
Turnover		1,310,142	770,188
Cost of sales		(580,999)	(276,168)
Gross profit		729,143	494,020
Administrative expenses		(565,049)	(440,009)
Operating profit	2	164,094	54,011
Other interest receivable and similar income Interest payable and similar charges	3	6 (6,697)	60 (9,799)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		157,403	44,272
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	4	(33,419)	1,890
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation		123,984	46,162
Dividends	5	(88,972)	-
Retained profit for the year	12	35,012	46,162

The profit and loss account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

There are no recognised gains and losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2003

		20	03	200	02
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	6		93,922		117,873
Current assets					
Stocks		30,418		30,741	
Debtors	7	440,041		202,115	
Cash at bank and in hand		450		450	
Craditors, amounts falling due within		470,909		233,306	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	8	(351,234)		(118,266)	
Net current assets			119,675		115,040
Total assets less current liabilities			213,597		232,913
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	9		(22,519)		(81,732)
	· ·		(22,010)		(01,102)
Provisions for liabilities and charges	10		(4,885)		<u> </u>
			186,193		151,181
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	11		100,100		100,100
Profit and loss account	12		86,093		51,081
Shareholders' funds	13		186,193		151,181
Equity interests			86,193		51,181
Non-equity interests			100,000		100,000
			186,193		151,181

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

The financial statements were approved by the Board on 20.11.03.

Mr R Mannell

Director

Mr J Malynn

Director

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention.

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

1.2 Compliance with accounting standards

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

1.3 Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services net of VAT and trade discounts.

1.4 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Leasehold improvements

10% on cost

Plant and machinery

10% - 33% on cost

Motor vehicles

20% on cost

1.5 Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are capitalised as tangible assets and depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives. Obligations under such agreements are included in creditors net of the finance charge allocated to future periods. The finance element of the rental payment is charged to the profit and loss account so as to produce a constant periodic rate of charge on the net obligation outstanding in each period.

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight line basis over the lease term.

1.6 Stock and work in progress

Stock and work in progress are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

1.7 Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is provided in full in respect of taxation deferred by timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes.

1.8 Group accounts

The financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. The company and its parent undertaking comprise a small-sized group. The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemptions provided by section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts.

2	Operating profit	2003	2002
		£	£
	Operating profit is stated after charging:		
	Depreciation of tangible assets	28,378	28,837
	Operating lease rentals	38,452	24,890
	Auditors' remuneration	1,000	750
	Directors' emoluments	21,518	21,486
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3	Interest payable	2003	2002
		£	£
	On bank loans and overdrafts	6,116	8,109
	Hire purchase interest	539	1,690
	Hire purchase interest On overdue tax	539 42	1,690 -
	•		1,690 - - 9,799

4	Taxation	2003 £	2002 £
	Domestic current year tax		
	U.K. corporation tax	26,638	6
	Adjustment for prior years	6	(6)
	Current tax charge	26,644	-
	Deferred tax		
	Deferred tax charge credit current year	6,775	(1,890)
		33,419	(1,890)
	Factors affecting the tax charge for the year		
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	157,403	44,272
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation multiplied by standard rate of UK corporation tax of 19.00 % (2002 : 10.00 %)	29,907	4,427
	Effects of:	<u> </u>	
	Non deductible expenses	1,405	262
	Depreciation add back	6,161	2,884
	Capital allowances	(3,043)	(2,557)
	Tax losses utilised	(7,792)	(5,010)
	Adjustments to previous periods	6	(6)
		(3,263)	(4,427)
	Current tax charge	26,644	
	The company has estimated losses of £ nil (2002 : £ 41,008) available for trading profits.	carry forward ag	ainst future
5	Dividends	2003 £	2002 £
	Ordinary interim paid	88,972	-

6	Tangible fixed assets				
	-	Leasehold improvements	Plant and machinery	Motor vehicles	Total
		£	£	£	£
	Cost				
	At 1 April 2002	28,080	97,237	96,836	222,153
	Additions	152	4,274		4,426
	At 31 March 2003	28,232	101,511	96,836	226,579
	Depreciation				
	At 1 April 2002	2,686	42,320	59,274	104,280
	Charge for the year	2,823	9,738	15,816	28,377
	At 31 March 2003	5,509	52,058	75,090	132,657
	Net book value				
	At 31 March 2003	22,723	49,453	21,746	93,922
	At 31 March 2002	25,394	54,917	37,562	117,873
	Included above are assets held under finance le	eases or hire purch	ase contract	ts as follows:	
					Motor vehicles £
	Net book values				
	At 31 March 2003				7,050
	At 31 March 2002				9,613
	Depreciation charge for the year 31 March 2003				2 562
	31 Watch 2003				2,563
	31 March 2002				3,205

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

7	Debtors	2003 £	2002 £
	Trade debtors	424,851	156,439
	Amounts owed by group undertakings and undertakings in which the		20 554
	company has a participating interest Other debtors	15,190	30,554 13,232
	Deferred tax asset (see note 10)	15,190	1,890
	Deferred tax asset (see flote 10)		
		440,041	202,115
8	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2003	2002 £
		£	Z.
	Bank loans and overdrafts	68,301	41,622
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts	3,316	3,980
	Trade creditors	176,835	39,699
	Amounts owed to group undertakings and undertakings in which the		
	company has a participating interest	29,481	40.740
	Taxation and social security Other creditors	59,607 13,694	18,740 14,225
	Other creditors	13,094	
		351,234	118,266
	Debt due in one year or less	13,800	17,400
	Dobt due in one year of less	10,000	

The bank loan and overdraft is secured by a fixed and floating charge over the assets of the company and its holding company, R A Prentice Limited.

9	Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	2003 £	2002 £
	Bank loans	22,519	78,416
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts		3,316
		22,519	81,732
	Analysis of loans		
	Wholly repayable within five years	36,319	95,816
	Included in current liabilities	(13,800)	(17,400)
		22,519	78,416
	Loan maturity analysis		
	In more than one year but not more than two years	11,503	17,400
	In more than two years but not more than five years	11,016	37,280
	In more than five years	-	23,737
	The loan is secured by a fixed and floating charge over the assets of the company, R A Prentice and Company Limited.	company and i	ts holding
	Net obligations under hire purchase contracts		
	Repayable within one year	3,766	5,058
	Repayable between one and five years	-	4,215
		3,766	9,273
	Finance charges and interest allocated to future accounting periods	(450)	(1,977)
		3,316	7,296
	Included in liabilities falling due within one year	(3,316)	(3,980)
		-	3,316

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

10	Provisions for liabilities and charges		
			Deferred tax
			liability £
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	Balance at 1 April 2002		(1,890)
	Profit and loss account		6,775
	Balance at 31 March 2003		4,885
	The deferred tax liability is made up as follows:		
		2003	2002
		£	£
	Accelerated capital allowances	4,885	6,228
	Tax losses available	-	(8,118)
		4,885	(1,890)
11	Share capital	2003	2002
		£	£
	Authorised 100 Ordinary shares of £ 1 each	100	100
	100,000 Preference shares of £ 1 each	100,000	100,000
		100,100	100,100
			
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	100 Ordinary shares of £ 1 each	100	100
	100,000 Preference shares of £ 1 each	100,000	100,000
		100,100	100,100
			

The preference shares have no voting rights and are redeemable at the option of either the holders or the company giving notice of 12 months.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2003

12	Statement of movements on profit and loss account Balance at 1 April 2002 Retained profit for the year Balance at 31 March 2003		Profit and loss account £ 51,081 35,012 86,093
13	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds	2003 £	2002 £
	Profit for the financial year Dividends	123,984 (88,972)	46,162 -
	Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	35,012 151,181	46,162 105,019
	Closing shareholders' funds	186,193	151,181

14 Financial commitments

At 31 March 2003 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

	Land a	Land and buildings		
	2003	2002	2003	2002
	£	£	£	£
Expiry date:				
Between two and five years	-	-	10,774	-
In over five years	27,000	27,000	•	•
	-			
	27,000	27,000	10,774	-
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15 Control

The ultimate controlling party and parent company is R A Prentice and Company Limited, a company registered in England and Wales.

16 Related party transactions

At the balance sheet date the company owed £29,480 to its holding company, R A Prentice and Company Limited. (2002: The company was owed £30,554 by R A Prentice Limited.)