Company Registration No. 1443880 (England and Wales)

P C SHANN MANAGEMENT & RESEARCH LIMITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2008

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ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 2008

		20	2008		07
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	2		244,357		245,743
Investments	2		8,350		8,350
			252,707		254,093
Current assets					
Debtors		1,679,089		1,633,709	
Cash at bank and in hand		7,998		5,294	
		1,687,087		1,639,003	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year		(73,527)		(26,759)	
Net current assets			1,613,560		1,612,244
Total assets less current liabilities			1,866,267		1,866,337
Pension scheme liability					
			1,866,267		1,866,337
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	3		150,000		150,000
Share premium account			1,016,251		1,016,251
Revaluation reserve			237,957		237,957
Profit and loss account			462,059		462,129
Shareholders' funds			1,866,267		1,866,337
					

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED) AS AT 31 AUGUST 2008

In preparing these abbreviated accounts:

- (a) The directors are of the opinion that the company is entitled to the exemption from audit conferred by Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) No notice has been deposited under Section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985, and
- (c) The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:
 - (i) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985, 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 this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

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

Approved by the Board for issue on 12 June 2009

P. C. Shann

Director

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2008

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention modified to include the revaluation of freehold land and buildings and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2007).

1.2 Turnover

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

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

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

Land and buildings Freehold

10% straight line

Research equipment

20% - 25% straight line

Fixtures, fittings & equipment

20% straight line

Motor vehicles

25% reducing balance

No depreciation is provided in respect of freehold land.

1.4 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value.

1.5 Group accounts

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

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2008

2	Fixed assets			
		Tangible assets	Investments	Total
		£	£	£
	Cost or valuation			
	At 1 September 2007 & at 31 August 2008	1,850,968	8,350	1,859,318
	Depreciation	 		
	At 1 September 2007	1,605,225	-	1,605,225
	Charge for the year	1,386	-	1,386
	At 31 August 2008	1,606,611	-	1,606,611
	Net book value			
	At 31 August 2008	244,357	8,350	252,707
	At 31 August 2007	245,743	8,350	254,093

Holdings of more than 20%

The company holds more than 20% of the share capital of the following companies:

Company	Country of registration or	Shares held	
	incorporation	Class	%
Subsidiary undertakings			
Explosive Developments Limited	England and Wales	Ordinary	83.00
Brocks Explosive Limited	England and Wales	Ordinary	100.00

The aggregate amount of capital and reserves and the results of these undertakings for the last relevant financial year were as follows:

		Capital and reserves 2008	Profit/(loss) for the year 2008
	Principal activity	£	£
Explosive Developments Limited	Manufacture of Explosives etc	339,721	415,866
Brocks Explosive Limited	Dormant	1,899	-

Brocks Explosives Limited was dormant throughout the year.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2008

3	Share capital	2008 €	2007 £
	Authorised		
	150,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	150,000	150,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	150,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	150,000	150,000

4 Ultimate parent company

The Directors regard Rocklock AG, a Company based in Switzerland, as this Company's Parent Company.