# ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2004

**FOR** 

THEREFORE LIMITED



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# COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2004

**DIRECTORS:** 

G A Brett

M P Riddiford

P Hunt

G J Fullalove

**SECRETARY:** 

G A Brett

**REGISTERED OFFICE:** 

2 Huntsworth Mews

London NW1 6DD

**REGISTERED NUMBER:** 

2798150 (England and Wales)

**AUDITORS:** 

Alexander Edward Lee Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditor 201 Haverstock Hill

Belsize Park

London NW3 4QG

# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THEREFORE LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages three to six, together with the full financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 March 2004 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special auditors' 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, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

## Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

## Basis of opinion

We have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full financial statements.

## **Opinion**

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts on pages three to six are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

Alexander Edward Lee Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditor 201 Haverstock Hill

Belsize Park

London NW3 4QG

28 January 2005

# ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 31 MARCH 2004

		2004		2003	
N	otes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	2		39,132		55,266
Investments	3		15,050		50
			54,182		55,316
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		220,931		210,493	
Debtors		460,937		551,182	
Cash at bank and in hand		1,385		1,145	
		683,253		762,820	
CREDITORS		200 200			
Amounts falling due within one year	4	388,286		484,418	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			294,967		278,402
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			349,149		333,718
CREDITORS  Amounts falling due after more than one	:				
year	4		1,667		21,667
			347,482		312,051
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	5		34,286		34,287
Share premium	-		30,138		30,138
Capital redemption reserve			16,001		16,000
Profit and loss account			267,057		231,626
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SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS					
(including non-equity interests):			347,482		312,051
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These abbreviated accounts have 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:

G A Brett - Director

Approved by the Board on 28 January 2005

The notes form part of these abbreviated accounts

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2004

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

# Financial Reporting Standard Number 1

Exemption has been taken from preparing a cash flow statement on the grounds that the company qualifies as a small company.

#### Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax.

## Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Fixtures and fittings - 15% on cost Computer equipment - 25% on cost

#### Stocks

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

Cost includes all direct expenditure and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date.

#### Research and development

Expenditure on research and development is written off in the year in which it is incurred.

## Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating result.

### Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet. Those held under hire purchase contracts are depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Those held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

The interest element of these obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the relevant period. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability.

## **Pensions**

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund. Contributions payable for the year are charged in the profit and loss account.

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# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2004

# 2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Total £
COST	
At 1 April 2003	424,802
Additions	17,088
At 31 March 2004	441,890
DEPRECIATION	
At 1 April 2003	369,536
Charge for year	33,222
At 31 March 2004	402,758
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 March 2004	39,132
At 31 March 2003	55,266
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## 3. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

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COST	L
At 1 April 2003	50
Additions	15,000
At 31 March 2004	15,050
NET BOOK VALUE	
	15,050
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At 31 March 2003	50

The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following:

# **Associated Company**

# **Novus Concepts Limited**

Nature of business: product development

Class of shares: holding Ordinary 22.00

Shares in

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2004

# 3. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued

## Joint Venture

**Presso Limited** 

Nature of business: product development

Class of shares: Ordinary % holding 50.00

## 4. CREDITORS

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The following secured debts are included within creditors:

Bank overdrate Bank loans Hire purchase			2004 £ 225,325 21,667 896 247,888	2003 £ 294,617 41,667 1,195 337,479
CALLED UP	SHARE CAPITAL			
Authorised:				
Number:	Class:	Nominal	2004	2003
		value:	£	£
60,000	Ordinary	£1.00	60,000	60,000
1	Preference	£1	1	1
			60,001	60,001
Allotted, issue	ed and fully paid:			
Number:	Class:	Nominal	2004	2003
		value:	£	£
34,286	Ordinary	£1.00	34,286	34,286
NIL	Preference	£1	-	1
(2003 - 1)				
			34,286	34,287

## 6. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Graham Brett, a director of the company, has given a personal guarantee to the amount of £65,000 as security for the company's loan.