L.C.W. TRUCK & VAN CENTRE (LANCS) LIMITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

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AUDITORS' REPORT TO L.C.W. TRUCK & VAN CENTRE (LANCS) LIMITED **UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985**

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 5 together with the financial statements of L.C.W. Truck & Van Centre (Lancs) Limited for the year ended 31 December 2000, prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing 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 considered necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts 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 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 in respect of the year ended 31 December 2000, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

Clough & Company LLP

Chartered Accountants and

Registered Auditor

15 - 17 Devonshire Street,

Keighley,

West Yorkshire.

4 July 2001

L.C.W. TRUCK & VAN CENTRE (LANCS) LIMITED

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2000

		2000		1999	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	2		417,658		439,855
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		65,041		307,507	
Debtors		388,542		555,589	
Cash at bank and in hand		352		1,846	
		453,935		864,942	
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALI	LING				
DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	3	(662,248)		(1,080,460)	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(208,313)	<u> </u>	(215,518)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRELLIABILITIES	NT		209,345		224,337
PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES	9				
AND CHARGES	3		(2,000)		(812)
NET ASSETS			207,345		223,525
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	4		1,500		1,500
Profit and loss account			205,845		222,025
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			207,345		223,525
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The abbreviated accounts are prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (2000).

The abbreviated accounts were approved by the Board on 3/7/0/ and signed on its behalf by

R.A. Long / DIRECTOR

DIRECTOR

A.M. Caygill

The notes on pages 3 to 5 form an integral part of these financial statements.

L.C.W. TRUCK & VAN CENTRE (LANCS) LIMITED

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1.1. ACCOUNTING CONVENTION

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention.

1.2. TURNOVER

Turnover represents the total invoice value, excluding value added tax, of sales made during the year.

1.3. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Freehold buildings

- 2% per annum on straight line basis

Plant and machinery

- 25% per annum on written down value

Fixtures, fittings

and equipment

15% per annum on cost

Motor vehicles

- 25% per annum on cost

In previous years the company has stated that the useful economic life of the freehold property is so long and the residual value is so high that any depreciation charge was immaterial. The company agrees with the theory of consumption and has charged depreciation against the book value of its property this year amounting to £4,235. There is no corresponding prior year adjustment since the previous policy was to depreciate property at a rate of nil%.

1.4. LEASING

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

1.5. STOCK

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

1.6. PENSIONS

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contribution payable by the company during the year.

1.7. DEFERRED TAXATION

Provision is made for deferred taxation using the liability method to take account of timing differences between the incidence of income and expenditure for taxation and accounting purposes except to the extent that the directors consider that a liability to taxation is unlikely to materialise.

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2.	FIXED ASSETS		Tangible fixed assets
	Cost At 1 January 2000 Disposals		487,192 (55,868)
	At 31 December 2000		431,324
	Depreciation At 1 January 2000 On disposals Charge for year		47,337 (44,815) 11,144
	At 31 December 2000		13,666
	Net book values At 31 December 2000		417,658
	At 31 December 1999		439,855
3.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	2000 £	1999 £
	Creditors include the following:		
	Secured creditors	181,000	471,690
4.	SHARE CAPITAL	2000 £	1999 £
	Authorised	100.000	100.000
	100,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100,000	100,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	1,500 Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,500	1,500

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5. TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS

The following directors had interest free loans during the year. The movements on these loans are as follows:

	Amount	Amount Owing	
	2000	1999	in year
	£	£	£
R.A. Long	456	_	456
B. Wynn	456	-	456
A.M. Caygill	457	-	457