THE BROOKVALE MANUFACTURING COMPANY LIMITED

ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1996

THE COMPANY'S REGISTERED NUMBER IS 00465373





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AUDITORS REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE BROOKVALE MANFACTURING COMPANY LIMITED PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 24 OF SCHEDULE 8 TO THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts on pages 3 to 6 together with the full financial statements of The Brookvale Manufacturing Company Limited for the year ended 31st March 1996. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report was limited to confirming that the directors are entitled to the exemptions claimed in the directors statement on page 3, and that the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared from the full financial statements.

In our opinion, the company is entitled, under Sections 246 to 247 of the Companies Act, 1985, to the exemptions conferred by Section A of Part III of Schedule 8 to that Act in respect of the year ended 31st March 1996 and the abbreviated accounts on pages 3 to 6 have been properly prepared in accordance with that Schedule.

On 11th September 1996 we reported, as auditors of The Brookvale Manufacturing Company Limited to the members on the full financial statements prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act, 1985, for the year ended 31st March 1996 and our audit report was as follows:

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 13 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 7.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 3, 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 on 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 judgments 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.

AUDITORS REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE BROOKVALE MANUFACTURING COMPANY LIMITED PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 24 OF SCHEDULE 8 TO THE COMPANIES ACT, 1985 (CONTINUED)

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 31st March 1996 and of its results for the year then ended, and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

FARMILOES
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
AND REGISTERED AUDITORS

11th September, 1996.

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH 1996 (ABBREVIATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 1985)	Notes	1996	1995
FIXED ASSETS	Notes	1990	1993
Tangible assets	2	186,633	169,321
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stocks Debtors Cash at bank and in hand		95,241 308,255 380,003	119,925 298,437 387,625
CREDITORS - Amounts falling due within one year		783,499	805,987 284,534
NET CURRENT ASSETS		538,127	521,453
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		724,760	690,774
CREDITORS - Amounts falling due after one year	3		4,305
NET ASSETS		£724,760	£686,469
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital Profit and loss account	4	60,000 664,760	60,000 626,469
TOTAL CAPITAL AND RESERVES		£724,760	£686,469

We have relied on Sections 246 and 247 of the Companies Act 1985 as entitling us to deliver abbreviated accounts and have done so on the basis that the company is entitled to the benefit of those sections as a small company.

.) J.S. Tidball

DIRECTORS

The notes on pages 4 to 6 form part of these accounts.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1996

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a. Accounting convention

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the historical cost convention. The accounts have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

b. Depreciation

Depreciation of fixed assets is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of the assets over the term of their useful lives. The rates in use for the various classes of assets are as follows:-

Freehold buildings - 1% on a straight line basis from date of

reclassification.

Freehold land - No depreciation is provided in respect of

freehold land.

Plant, equipment,

fixtures and fittings - 20% on a reducing balance basis.

Motor vehicles - 25% on a reducing balance basis.

Office equipment - 33 1/3% on a straight line basis.

c. Stocks

Stocks, including work in progress, are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

d. **Deferred taxation**

Deferred taxation is only provided for if it is considered that a liability will arise in the foreseeable future.

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Cost	Freehold Land and I Buildings I		Fixtures and Fittings I	Office Equipment	Motor Vehicles	Total
At 31st March 1995 Additions Disposals At 31st March 1996	85,520 15,694 - 101,214	182,938 3,374 	31,522 2,921 	20,915 1,788 (11,168) 11,535	76,186 26,498 (12,241) 90,443	397,081 50,275 (23,409) 423,947
Depreciation						
At 31st March 1995 Charge for year On disposals	11,100 973	143,122 8,207	24,566 1,961	17,635 3,373 (11,168)	31,337 13,823 (7,615)	227,760 28,337 (18,783)
At 31st March 1996	12,073	151,329	26,527	9,840	37,545	237,314
Net book values						
At 31st March 1996	£89,141	£34,983	£7,916	£1,695	£52,898	£186,633
At 31st March 1995	£74,420	£39,816	£6,956	£3,280	£44,849	£169,321

The motor vehicles included assets with a net book value of £8,158 (1995: £10,918) which are subject to a hire purchase agreement. Depreciation charged on these assets during the year amounted to £2,730 (1995: £3,632).

3. CREDITORS - Amounts falling due after more than one year

	1996	1995
Amount owed on hire purchase	£NIL	£4,305

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

4. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Ordinary shares of £1 each

Allotted, issued and fully paid	Authorised
60,000	100,000