# CALTHORPE LIMITED DIRECTOR'S REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997



#### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

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Secretary Atul Khanna

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### DIRECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

The director presents his report and financial statements for the year ended 30 June 1997.

#### Principal activities and review of the business

The Company's principal activity is that of dealing in options, financial futures and equities.

The director is disappointed with the results for the year, but is hopeful that given more favourable market conditions the company will return to profitability in the future.

#### Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 4.

An interim ordinary dividend was paid amounting to £13,680. The director does not recommend payment of a final dividend.

#### Director

The following director has held office since 1 July 1996:

Amul Khanna

#### **Director's interests**

The director's beneficial interest in the shares of the company was as stated below:

Ordinary shares of £1 each 30 June 1997 1 July 1996 49,999 49,999

Amul Khanna

#### **Auditors**

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

### DIRECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

#### Director's responsibilities

Company law requires the director 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 director is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;

- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;

- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;

- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The director is responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable him to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. He is 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.

By order of the board

Atul-Khanna

Secretary

29 Saptember 1997

### AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF CALTHORPE LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 13 which have been prepared under the accounting policies set out on page 8.

#### Respective responsibilities of the director and auditors

As described on page 2 the company's director is 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 judgements made by the director 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 30 June 1997 and of its loss for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Fisher, Sassoon & Marks

29 September 1997

Chartered Accountants

Registered Auditor

Farley Court Alisop Place London NW1 5LG

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

	Notes	1997 £	1996 £
Net revenue	2	(78,038)	56,792
Administrative expenses		(14,651)	(27,542)
Operating (loss)/profit	3	(92,689)	29,250
Other interest receivable and similar income Interest payable and similar charges	4 5	165,059 (164,919)	157,696 (140,299)
(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities before taxation		(92,549)	46,647
Tax on (loss)/profit on ordinary activities	6	26,949	(10,602)
(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities after taxation		(65,600)	36,045
Dividends	7	(13,680)	(4,325)
Retained (loss)/profit for the year	14	(79,280)	31,720

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.

Notes forming part of these financial statements appear on pages 8 to 13.

# BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 JUNE 1997

	199	97	199	)6
Notes	£	£	£	£
9		15,000		15,000
10	1,126,284		540,693	
11	618,615		189,398	
			4,441	
	1,744,899		734,532	
12	(1,507,802)		(418,155)	
		237,097		316,377
		252,097		331,377
13		50,000		50,000
14		202,097		281,377
15		252,097		331,377
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The financial statements were approved by the Board on 29. September 1997

Amul Khanna

Director

Notes forming part of these financial statements appear on pages 8 to 13.

# CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

	199	7 £	1996 £
Net cash inflow from operating activities	22,25	2	27,444
Returns on investments and servicing of finance			
Interest received Interest paid	165,059 (164,919) ————	157,696 (140,299)	
Net cash inflow for returns on investments and servicing of finance	14	0	17,397
Taxation	(10,40	4)	(43,702)
Equity dividends paid	(18,00	5) 	-
Net cash (outflow)/inflow before management of liquid resources and financing	(6,01	7)	1,139
Decrease in cash in the year	(6,01		1,139

# NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

1	Reconciliation of operating (loss)/profit to ne	et cash inflow	from	1997	1996
	operating activities			£	£
	Operating (loss)/profit			(92,689)	29,250
	Depreciation of tangible assets Increase/(decrease) in current asset investments.			(429,217)	1,466 538,433
	Increase in debtors Increase/(decrease) in creditors within one year			(558,838) 1,102,996	(210,504) (331,201)
	Net cash inflow from operating activities			22,252	27,444
2	Analysis of net (debt)/funds	1 July 1996	Cash flow	Other non-cash changes	30 June 1997
		£	£	£	£
	Net cash:	4.444	(4.444)		
	Cash at bank and in hand Bank overdrafts	4,441	(4,441) (1,576)		(1,576)
		4,441	(6,017)		(1,576)
	Debt:				
	Net funds/(debt)	4,441	(6,017)	-	(1,576)
3	Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement	t in net debt		1997 £	1996 £
	(Decrease)/increase in cash in the year Cash inflow from increase in debt			(6,017)	1,139
	Movement in net (debt)/funds in the year Opening net funds			(6,017) 4,441	1,139 3,302
	Closing net (debt)/funds			(1,576)	4,441

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

#### 1 Accounting Policies

#### 1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the valuation of open trading positions.

#### 1.2 Compliance with accounting standards

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

#### 1.3 Net revenue

Turnover represents income derived from trading in futures and options on The London International Financial Futures and Options Exchange, and equities on the London Stock Exchange, including dividends receivable.

#### 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:

Fixtures, fittings & equipment

50% Straight line

#### 1.5 Investments

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

#### 1.6 Open options and futures positions, and equities

Long and short open options and futures positions and equities are stated at market value. The mark-to-market differences are reported in net revenue.

#### 1.7 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

#### 2 Turnover

The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in the United Kingdom.

Turnover and the particulars of turnover, as required to be disclosed by Schedule 4 paragraph 55 of the Companies Act 1985 respectively are, in the director's opinion, not valid measures of activity in view of the nature of the business and have consequently, not been shown.

3	Operating (loss)/profit	1997	1996
		£	£
	Operating (loss)/profit is stated after charging:		
	Depreciation of tangible assets	-	1,466
	Auditors' remuneration	4,465	4,465

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

4	Other Interest Receivable and Similar Income	1997 £	1996 £
	Interest receivable from clearing agent	165,059	157,696
5	Interest Payable	1997 £	1996 £
	Interest payable to clearing agent	164,919	140,299
6	Taxation	1997 £	1996 £
	U.K. current year taxation		
	U.K. corporation tax at 24% (1996 - 25%)	(26,753)	10,600
	Prior years		
	U.K. Corporation tax	(196)	2
		(26,949)	10,602
7	Dividends	1997	1996
		£	£
	Ordinary interim paid Ordinary final proposed	13,680	4,325
		13,680	4,325
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

8	Tangible fixed assets	Fixtures,
		fittings & equipment £
	Cost	-
	At 1 July 1996	8,937
	Disposals	(2,854)
	At 30 June 1997	6,083
	Depreciation	-
	At 1 July 1996	8,937
	On disposals	(2,854)
	At 30 June 1997	6,083
	Net book value	
	At 30 June 1997	-
9	Fixed Asset Investments	
		Unlisted investments £
	Cost	_
	At 1 July 1996 & at 30 June 1997	15,000
	At 30 June 1996	15,000

Director's valuation

£

At 30 June 1997 At 30 June 1996

10,000 12,000

The Investments represents a 'D'share in LIFFE Holdings Plc..

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

10 Debtors	1997	1996
	£	£
Trade debtors	1,092,604	522,606
Corporation tax	26,753	-
Other debtors	-	11,000
Prepayments	6,927	7,087
	1,126,284 ———	540,693
11 Current Asset Investments	1997	1996
	£	£
Traded options long positions	573,280	152,660
Listed equities	45,335	36,738
	618,615	189,398
12 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	1997	1996
	£	£
Bank overdraft	1,576	_
Corporation tax	-	10,600
Other taxes and social security costs	697	-
Director's current accounts	97,842	97,317
Traded options short positions	1,379,615	294,310
Open futures positions	22,200	3,500
Accruals	5,872	8,103
Proposed dividend	<del>-</del>	4,325
	1,507,802	418,155
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A floating charge over the company's assets was created on 23 June 1991 in favour of the company's clearing agent.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

13	Share capital	1997 £	1996 £
	Authorised 50,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	50,000	50,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid 50,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	50,000	50,000
14	Statement of movements on profit and loss account		
		lo	Profit and ss account
	Balance at 1 July 1996 Retained loss for the year		281,377 (79,280)
	Balance at 30 June 1997		202,097
15	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds	1997 £	1996 £
	(Loss)/Profit for the financial year Dividends	(65,600) (13,680)	36,045 (4,325)
	Net (depletion in)/addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	(79,280) 331,377	31,720 299,657
	Closing shareholders' funds	252,097	331,377
16	Director's Emoluments	1997 £	1996 £
	Emoluments for qualifying services (including benefits in kind)	3,194	3,652

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1997

#### 17 Employees

#### **Number of employees**

The average monthly number of employees (including directors) during the vear was:

year was:	1997 Number	1996 Number
Trading	2	2
Employment costs	£	£
Wages and salaries Social security costs	4,395 188	15,164 1,213
	4,583	16,377

#### 18 Control

The company is controlled by A Khanna by virtue of his shareholding.