

Chartered Accountants

Danes of Colchester Limited

Report and Unaudited Accounts

Year Ended 31 March 2007

Company Number '1925253

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Danes of Colchester Limited Company Information

Directors

K Vertigen I Angus C Dalkin BSc

Secretary

Mrs E Bell

Accountants

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Bankers

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Registered office

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Registered number

1925253

Danes of Colchester Limited Directors' Report

The directors present their report and accounts for the year ended 31 March 2007

Principal activities

The company's principal activity during the year continued to be that of dry cleaners and launderers. During the year the persil contract was terminated and the directors took steps to rationlise costs. In February the goodwill and equipment of TOGS was disposed of

Directors

The directors who served during the year and their interests in the share capital of the company were as follows

	£1 Ordinary shares		
	31 Mar 2007	1 Apr 2006	
K Vertigen	16,263	16,263	
I Angus	4,563	4,563	
C Dalkin BSc	863	863	

Small company special provisions

The report of the directors has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies

This report was approved by the board on 9 May 2007

K Vertigen Director

Danes of Colchester Limited Chartered Accountants' Report

Chartered Accountants' Report to the Board of Directors on the unaudited accounts of Danes of Colchester Limited

In accordance with the engagement letter dated 21 May 2004, and in order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 1985, we have compiled the accounts of the company which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet and the related notes from the accounting records and information and explanations you have given to us

This report is made to the Company's Board of Directors, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement. Our work has been undertaken so that we might compile the accounts that we have been engaged to compile, report to the Company's Board of Directors that we have done so, and state those matters that we have agreed to state to them in this 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 and the Company's Board of Directors, as a body, for our work or for this report.

We have carried out this engagement in accordance with technical guidance issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and have complied with the ethical guidance laid down by the Institute relating to members undertaking the compilation of accounts

You have acknowledged on the balance sheet as at 31 March 2007 your duty to ensure that the company has kept proper accounting records and to prepare accounts that give a true and fair view under the Companies Act 1985. You consider that the company is exempt from the statutory requirement for an audit for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit of the accounts. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the accounts

Leggatt Bell

Chartered Accountants

14 Railway Street

Chelmsford Essex

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9 May 2007

Danes of Colchester Limited Profit and Loss Account for the year ended 31 March 2007

	Notes	2007 £	2006 £
Turnover		1,502,817	1,383,963
Cost of sales		(754,965)	(689,466)
Gross profit		747,852	694,497
Distribution costs Administrative expenses Other operating income		(219,155) (543,889) 2,704	(214,467) (442,028) -
Operating (loss)/profit	2	(12,488)	38,002
Exceptional items profit on the disposal of tangible fixed assets		26,794	-
		14,306	38,002
Interest receivable Interest payable	3	1,474 (10,705)	257 (6,843)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		5,075	31,416
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	4	(3,799)	(8,334)
Profit for the financial year		1,276	23,082

Danes of Colchester Limited Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2007

1	Notes		2007 £		2006 £
Fixed assets Intangible assets Tangible assets	5 6	-	61,327 140,743 202,070	_	81,307 197,665 278,972
Current assets Stocks Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	7 -	9,992 113,187 145,772 268,951		15,372 122,833 14,682 152,887	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	8	(274,525)		(229,875)	
Net current liabilities	_		(5,574)		(76,988)
Total assets less current liabilities		_	196,496	-	201,984
Creditors amounts falling due after more than one year	9		(42,455)		(52,500)
Provisions for liabilities	10		(19,752)		(16,471)
Net assets		- -	134,289	_ _	133,013
Capital and reserves Called up share capital Share premium Capital redemption reserve Profit and loss account	11 12 13 14		21,689 84,161 8,900 19,539		21,689 84,161 8,900 18,263
Shareholders' funds		-	134,289	- -	133,013

The directors are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption under Section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985 and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 249B(2) of the Act

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for

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

K Vertige Director

Approved by the board on 9 May 2007

⁽i) ensuring that the company keeps proper 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 of the Companies Act 1985, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company

1 Accounting policies

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005)

Turnover

Turnover represents the invoiced value of goods and services supplied by the company, net of value added tax and trade discounts

Depreciation

Depreciation has been provided at the following rates in order to write off the assets over their estimated useful lives

Plant and machinery

At varying rates between 10% and 25% on cost

Stocks

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value

Deferred taxation

Full provision is made for deferred taxation resulting from timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the accounts and their recognition for tax purposes. Deferred taxation is calculated on an un-discounted basis at the tax rates which are expected to apply in the periods when the timing differences will reverse.

Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts, which are those where substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset have passed to the company, are capitalised in the balance sheet and depreciated over their useful lives. The corresponding lease or hire purchase obligation is treated in the balance sheet as a liability

The interest element of the rental obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the lease and represents a constant proportion of the balance of capital repayments outstanding

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to income on a straight line basis over the lease term

Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme Contributions are charged to the profit and loss account as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the scheme

years

2	Operating profit	2007 £	2006 £
	This is stated after charging	-	-
	Depreciation of owned fixed assets Depreciation of assets held under finance leases and hire	21,681	42,207
	purchase contracts	18,947	14,644
	Amortisation of goodwill	5,114	5,863
	Directors' remuneration	121,312	109,069
	Pension costs	12,000	12,000
3	Interest payable	2007	2006
		£	£
	Interest payable	10,705	6,843
4	Taxation	2007	2006
		£	£
	UK corporation tax	518	8,268
	Deferred tax	3,281	66
		3,799	8,334
5	Intangible fixed assets Goodwill		£
	Cost		
	At 1 April 2006		155,668
	Additions		30,000
	Disposals		(53,400)
	At 31 March 2007		132,268
	Amortisation At 1 April 2006		74,361
	Provided during the year		5,114
	On disposals		(8,534)
	At 31 March 2007		70,941
	Net book value At 31 March 2007		61,327
	At 31 March 2006		81,307
	Goodwill is being written off in equal annual instalments over its e	estimated econo	mic life of 20

6	Tangible fixed assets			
	-	l and and	Plant and	
		Land and buildings	machinery etc	Total
		£	£	£
	Cost	00.004	F77 707	COO 400
	At 1 April 2006 Additions	20,681	577,727 39,045	598,408 39,045
	Disposals	(9,600)	(84,269)	(93,869)
	At 31 March 2007	11,081	532,503	543,584
	Barrantakan			
	Depreciation At 1 April 2006	17,822	382,921	400,743
	Charge for the year	942	39,686	40,628
	On disposals	(9,600)	(28,930)	(38,530)
	At 31 March 2007	9,164	393,677	402,841
	Net book value			
	At 31 March 2007	1,917	138,826	140,743
	At 31 March 2006	2,859	194,806	197,665
		_		
			2007	2006
			£	£
	Net book value of plant and machinery included abor- under finance leases and hire purchase contracts	ve held	C4 707	E7 745
	under infance leases and fine purchase contracts		51,797	57,745
_			2027	2000
7	Debtors		2007 £	2006 £
			~	-
	Trade debtors		96,652	96,630
	Prepayments		14,584	19,317
	Other debtors		1,951	6,886
			113,187	122,833
8	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		2007	2006
			£	£
	Bank loans and overdrafts		67,710	46,305
	Obligations under finance lease and hire purchase c	ontracts	26,075	31,614
	Trade creditors		65,624 518	42,289 8,268
	Corporation tax Other taxes and social security costs		67,545	62,575
	Directors loan account		13,000	7,926
	Accrued expenses		34,053	30,898
			274,525	229,875

9	Creditors: amounts falling due aft	er one year		2007 £	2006 £
	Bank loans Obligations under finance lease and hire purchase contracts		33,316 9,139	28,000 24,500	
				42,455	<u>52,500</u>
10	Provisions for liabilities				
	Deferred taxation			2007	2006
				£	£
	Accelerated capital allowances			19,752 	16,471
				2007	2006
				£	£
	At 1 April			16,471	16,405
	Deferred tax charge in profit and loss	s account		3,281	66
	At 31 March			19,752	16,471
11	Share capital			2007 £	2006 £
	Authorised			2	
	Ordinary shares of £1 each			28,000	28,000
		2007	2006	2007	2006
	Allotted, called up and fully paid	No	No	£	£
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	21,689	21,689	21,689	21,689
12	Share premium			2007	2006
•				£	£
	At 1 April			84,161	84,161
	At 31 March			84,161	84,161
13	Capital redemption reserve			2007	2006
				£	£
	At 1 April			8,900	8,900
	At 31 March			8,900	8,900

14	Profit and loss account	2007 £	2006 £
	At 1 April	18,263	8,411
	Profit for the year	1,276	23,082
	Dividends	-	(13,230)
	At 31 March	19,539	18,263
15	Dividends	2007 £	2006 £
	Dividends for which the company became liable during the year Dividends paid	- _	13,230

16 Transactions with directors

Personal guarantees have been given by Mr. K Vertigen against debts of the company amounting to £25 000