ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010 FOR

HEART OF ENGLAND GRAIN COMPANY LIMITED

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HEART OF ENGLAND GRAIN COMPANY LIMITED

COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

DIRECTORS.

H Raby J P Stafford J G England D F Godfrey

N S J Hooper

SECRETARY:

J P Stafford

REGISTERED OFFICE:

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REGISTERED NUMBER:

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AUDITORS:

Cresswells Accountants LLP

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

The directors present their report with the accounts of the company for the year ended 31 July 2010

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of grain trading

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

The company has enjoyed another satisfactory year maintaining its level of profitability in a very volatile market

Although Heart of England Country Feeds suffered a decline in turnover, a modest increase in margin and vigorous control of bad debt resulted in a similar level of profitability to 2008/09

Once again grain trading has produced good profitability despite volatile prices

The company's profit for the year was £255,992 (2009 - £ 280,836) Shareholders funds have increased from £853,451 to £998,473

Financial Risk

The company has no exposure to financial derivatives. The company enters into future contracts in order to match its supply of grain to commitments to customers.

DIVIDENDS

The total distribution of dividend for the year ended 31 July 2010 will be £54,768

DIRECTORS

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 August 2009 to the date of this report

H Raby

J P Stafford

J G England

D F Godfrey

N S J Hooper

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are responsible for preparing the Report of the Directors and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they 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 these financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are 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.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006) of which the company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

AUDITORS

The auditors, Cresswells Accountants LLP, will be proposed for re-appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

J P Stafford - Secretary

Date

16 December 2010

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO HEART OF ENGLAND GRAIN COMPANY LIMITED **UNDER SECTION 449 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006**

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages five to seventeen, together with the full financial statements of Heart of England Grain Company Limited for the year ended 31 July 2010 prepared under Section 396 of the Companies Act 2006

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006. 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 445 of the Companies Act 2006 It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section and to report our opinion to you

Basis of opinion

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 issued by the Auditing Practices Board In accordance with that Bulletin 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

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 445(3) of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations

made under that Section

Gordon Beever FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Cresswells Accountants LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors **Barclays Bank Chambers** Market Street

Hebden Bridge

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16 December 2010 Date

ABBREVIATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

		201	0	200	19
	Notes	£	£	£	£
TURNOVER			23,870,390		30,334,923
Cost of sales and other operating income			(22,618,128)		(28,771,134)
			1,252,262		1,563,789
Distribution costs Administrative expenses		131,575 848,714		149,186 1,120,310	
Administrative expenses			980,289		1,269,496
OPERATING PROFIT	3		271,973		294,293
Interest receivable and similar income			431		3,237
			272,404		297,530
Interest payable and similar charges	4		16,412		16,694
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION			255,992		280,836
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5		56,202		61,152
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AFTER TAXATION	L		199,790		219,684

CONTINUING OPERATIONS

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the current year or previous year

TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the profits for the current year or previous year

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 31 JULY 2010

		2010)	2009	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Intangible assets	7		-		2,000
Tangible assets	8		395,751		431,642
Investments	9		1		1
			395,752		433,643
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks	10	133,876		156,146	
Debtors	11	2,402,673		2,699,660	
Cash at bank and in hand		223,796		659	
		2,760,345		2,856,465	
CREDITORS		2,700,545		2,830,403	
Amounts falling due within one year	12	2,149,658		2,415,476	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			610,687		440,989
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			1,006,439		874,632
CREDITORS Amounts falling due after more than one year	13		_		(8,198)
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES	17		(7,966)		(12,983)
NET ASSETS			998,473		853,451 ————
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	18		64,784		64,784
Capital redemption reserve	19		34,416		34,416
Profit and loss account	19		899,273		754,251
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	22		998,473		853,451

The abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to medium-sized companies

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 16 December 2010 and were signed on its behalf by

H Raby - Director

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

		201	O	2009	•
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Net cash inflow/(outflow)	_		1 1 60 100		((00.584)
from operating activities	1		1,160,492		(693,556)
Returns on investments and					
servicing of finance	2		(15,981)		(13,457)
Taxation			(60,722)		(66,816)
Capital expenditure	2		(6,230)		12,493
Equity dividends paid			(54,768)		(54,768)
			1,022,791		(816,104)
Financing	2		(9,383)		(10,129)
Increase/(Decrease) in cash in the per	iod		1,013,408		(826,233)
Reconciliation of net cash flow					
to movement in net debt	3				
Increase/(Decrease)					
in cash in the period Cash outflow		1,013,408		(826,233)	
from decrease in debt		9,383		10,129	
Change in net debt resulting					
from cash flows			1,022,791		(816,104)
Movement in net debt in the period			1,022,791		(816,104)
Net debt at 1 August			(1,006,960)		(190,856)
Net funds/(debt) at 31 July			15,831		(1,006,960)

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING PROFIT TO NET CASH INFLOW/(OUTFLOW) FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	2010	2009
	£	£
Operating profit	271,973	294,293
Depreciation charges	44,121	43,298
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	-	1,087
Decrease/(Increase) in stocks	22,270	(10,951)
Decrease in debtors	296,987	468,618
Increase/(Decrease) in creditors	525,141	(1,489,901)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	1,160,492	(693,556)

2 ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOWS FOR HEADINGS NETTED IN THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT

	2010	2009
	£	£
Returns on investments and servicing of finance		
Interest received	431	3,237
Interest paid	(16,412)	(16,694)
Net cash outflow for returns on investments and servicing of finance	(15,981)	(13,457)
<u> </u>		
Capital expenditure		
Purchase of tangible fixed assets	(6,230)	(23,507)
Sale of tangible fixed assets	(0,200)	36,000
Sure of unigrote fixed ussels		
Net cash (outflow)/inflow for capital expenditure	(6,230)	12,493
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Financing		
Loan repayments in year	(9,383)	(10,129)
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Net cash outflow from financing	(9,383)	(10,129)
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NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

3 ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT

			At
	At 1 8 09	Cash flow	31 7 10
	£	£	£
Net cash			
Cash at bank and in hand	659	223,137	223,796
Bank overdraft	(790,271)	790,271	-
	(789,612)	1,013,408	223,796
Debt Debts falling due within one year Debts falling due after one year	(209,150) (8,198) (217,348)	1,185 8,198 9,383	(207,965)
Total	(1,006,960)	1,022,791	15,831

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention

Preparation of consolidated financial statements

The financial statements contain information about Heart of England Grain Company Limited as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information as the parent of a group. The company has taken the option under Section 402 of the Companies Act 2006 not to prepare consolidated financial statements on the grounds that the amounts concerned are immaterial

Turnover

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

Goodwill

Goodwill, being the amount paid in connection with the acquisition of a business in 2004, is being amortised evenly over its estimated useful life of five years

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life

Freehold property	 over 50 years
Improvements to property	 over 5 years
Fixtures and fittings	 over 10 years
Motor vehicles	 over 5 years
Computer equipment	 over 5 years

Stocks

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

Deferred tax

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

Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme Contributions payable to the company's pension scheme are charged to the profit and loss account in the period to which they relate

2 STAFF COSTS

	2010	2009
	£	£
Wages and salaries	586,419	643,885
Other pension costs	15,391	165,481
	601,810	809,366
		
The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows		
	2010	2009
Management	5	5
Other staff	9	10
	14	15
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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

3 OPERATING PROFIT

The operating profit is stated after charging

	Depreciation - owned assets Loss on disposal of fixed assets Goodwill amortisation Auditors' remuneration Other services relating to taxation All other services	2010 £ 42,121 2,000 6,750 700 6,440	2009 £ 41,298 1,087 2,000 6,500 650 4,766
	Directors' remuneration	283,944	460,109
	The number of directors to whom retirement benefits were accruing was as follows		
	Money purchase schemes	3	3
	Information regarding the highest paid director is as follows	2010 £	2009 £
	Emoluments etc	96,344	143,115
4	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES	2010	2009
		£	£
	Bank interest	109	_
	Loan	16,303	16,694
		16,412	16,694
5	TAXATION		
	Analysis of the tax charge The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities for the year was as follows	2010	2009
		£	£
	Current tax		
	UK corporation tax	61,219	60,722
	Deferred tax	(5,017)	430
	Tax on profit on ordinary activities	56,202	61,152

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

5 TAXATION - continued

Factors affecting the tax charge

The tax assessed for the year is higher than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK. The difference is explained below

		2010 £	2009 £
	Profit on ordinary activities before tax	255,992 ===================================	280,836
	Profit on ordinary activities		
	multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax		
	in the UK of 21% (2009 - 21%)	53,758	58,976
	Effects of		
	Expenses not deductable	867	371
	Depreciation in excess of capital allowances	6,594	1,375
			
	Current tax charge	61,219	60,722
		===	===
6	DIVIDENDS		
		2010	2009
		£	£
	Ordinary shares of £1 each		
	Final 2009	51,828	51,828
	Interim	2,940	2,940
		54,768	54,768
			====

The company has declared a final dividend of 80p per ordinary share, amounting to £51,828 in respect of the year ended 31st July 2010 payable on 1 December 2010

7 INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Goodwill £
COST	
At 1 August 2009	
and 31 July 2010	17,334
AMORTISATION	
At 1 August 2009	15,334
Amortisation for year	2,000
At 31 July 2010	17,334
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 July 2010	-
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At 31 July 2009	2,000
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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

8 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

I ANGIDLE FIXED ASSETS		I	Emtono
	Freehold property	Improvements to property £	Fixtures and fittings £
COST	~	~	~
At 1 August 2009 Additions	380,597	6,230	169,561
At 31 July 2010	380,597	6,230	169,561
DEPRECIATION			
At 1 August 2009	60,096	-	87,460
Charge for year	7,512	853	18,572
At 31 July 2010	67,608	853	106,032
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31 July 2010	312,989	5,377	63,529
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At 31 July 2009	320,501		<u>82,101</u>
	Motor	Computer	
	vehicles	equipment	Totals
	£	£	£
COST			
At 1 August 2009	118,483	23,231	691,872
Additions	<u> </u>		6,230
At 31 July 2010	118,483	23,231	698,102
DEPRECIATION			
At 1 August 2009	92,673	20,001	260,230
Charge for year	13,405	1,779	42,121
At 31 July 2010	106,078	21,780	302,351
NET BOOK VALUE	 		
At 31 July 2010	12,405	1,451	395,751
•			
At 31 July 2009	25,810	3,230	431,642

Included in cost of land and buildings is freehold land of £5,000 (2009 - £5,000) which is not depreciated

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

9 FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

9	FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS		Shares in group undertakings
	COST At 1 August 2009 and 31 July 2010		1
	NET BOOK VALUE At 31 July 2010		1
	At 31 July 2009		1
	The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of co	ompanies include the	e following
	H E Pringle Limited Nature of business dormant		
	%		
	Class of shares holding		
	Ordinary 100 00	2010	2000
		2010 £	2009
	Aggregate capital and reserves	1,255	£ 1,255
	Aggregate capital and reserves	===	1,233
	H E Pringle Limited was dormant throughout the current and preceding year		
10	STOCKS		
		2010 £	2009 £
	Stocks	133,876	156,146
11	DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
		2010	2009
	Trade debtors	£ 2,328,740	£ 2,619,784
	Loan - Total Break Limited	36,000	36,000
	Prepayments and accrued income	37,933	43,876
	1 Topus ments and accided income		
		2,402,673	2,699,660
12	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
12	CREDITORS, AND CONTO TREBUNG DOD WITHIN ONE TEAM	2010	2009
		£	£
	Bank loans and overdrafts (see note 14)	7,965	799,421
	Other loans (see note 14)	200,000	200,000
	Trade creditors	1,673,635	1,109,923
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	1,255	1,255
	Tax	61,219	60,722
	Social security and other taxes	26,317	28,006
	Directors Remuneration	132,350	166,950
	Accrued expenses	46,917	49,199
		2,149,658	2,415,476
			

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CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

	TEAR	2010	
		£	£
	Bank loans (see note 14)	-	8,198
			====
14	LOANS		

An analysis of the maturity of loans is given below

	2010	2009
	£	£
Amounts falling due within one year or on demand		
Bank overdrafts	-	790,271
Bank loans	7,965	9,150
Loan - Heart of England Grain Company	·	,
Limited Pension Scheme	200,000	200,000
	207,965	999,421
Amounts falling due between one and two years		
Bank loans - 1-2 years	-	8,198

15 OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

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The following operating lease payments are committed to be paid within one year

		buildings	
		2010 £	2009 £
	Expiring		
	Between one and five years	20,240	20,240
5	SECURED DEBTS		
	The following secured debts are included within creditors		
		2010	2009
		£	£
	Bank overdraft	-	790,271
	Bank loans	7,965	17,348
	Loan - Heart of England Grain Company		
	Limited Pension Scheme	200,000	200,000
		207,965	1,007,619

The bank loan is secured by a first legal charge over the company's freehold property at Preston Capes

The Trustees of the Heart of England Grain Company Limited Pension Scheme hold a second charge over the company's freehold property at Preston Capes

Land and

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

17 PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES

.,	Deferred tax			2010 £ 7,966	2009 £ 12,983
	Balance at 1 A				Deferred tax £ 12,983 (5,017)
	Balance at 31	-			7,966
18	CALLED UP	SHARE CAPITAL			
	Allotted, issued Number 64,784	d and fully paid Class Ordinary	Nominal value £1	2010 £ 64,784	2009 £ 64,784
19	RESERVES	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
			Profit and loss account £	Capital redemption reserve £	Totals £
	At 1 August 20 Profit for the y Dividends		754,251 199,790 (54,768)	34,416	788,667 199,790 (54,768)
	At 31 July 201	0	<u>899,273</u>	34,416	933,689

20 PENSION COMMITMENTS

The company operates a defined contribution scheme The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in separately independently administered funds. The pension cost charge represents contributions paid by the to the funds and amounted to £15,391 (2009 - £ 165,481)

NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2010

21 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Throughout the year the company was under the control of the directors of the company, who have owned in excess of 51% of the issued share capital of the company throughout the year

During the year the company paid loan interest of £9,600 (2009 £15,800) to the Heart of England Grain Company Limited Executive Pension Scheme, Messrs H Raby and J P Stafford are Trustees and Beneficiaries of this Scheme

The directors are of the opinion that these amounts represent open market values

At the balance sheet date the company owed the Heart of England Grain Company Limited Executive Pension Scheme £200,000 (2009 £200,000) by way of loans

On 1 August 2004 the company acquired the assets and trade of H E Pringle Limited which ceased to trade with effect from that date At the balance sheet date the company owed H E Pringle Limited £1,255 (2009 - £1,255) by way of loan

At the balance sheet date Total Break Ltd owed the company £36,000 (2009 - £36,000) Messrs Raby, Hooper and Stafford are directors of this company

22 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

	2010	2009
	£	£
Profit for the financial year	199,790	219,684
Dividends	(54,768)	(54,768)
Net addition to shareholders' funds	145,022	164,916
Opening shareholders' funds	853,451	688,535
Closing shareholders' funds	998,473	853,451