



# UNIVERSAL FACADES LIMITED UNAUDITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 2008



# **ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**

# YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 2008

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# ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET

# **31ST OCTOBER 2008**

		2008		2007	
FIXED ASSETS	Note 2	£	£	£	£
Intangible assets	_		_		127,500
Tangible assets			57,776		54,295
			57,776		181,795
CURRENT ASSETS			•		•
Stocks		2,025,240		3,832,761	
Debtors		364,594		412,122	
Cash at bank and in hand		63,022		71,005	
		2,452,856		4,315,888	
<b>CREDITORS:</b> Amounts falling due		,,		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
within one year		3,368,883		3,660,259	
NET CURRENT			(01 ( 027)		(55 (00
(LIABILITIES)/ASSETS			(916,027)		655,629
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES			(858,251)		837,424
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due	after				
more than one year			30,665		23,332
NET (LIABILITIES)/ASSETS			888,916		(814,092)

#### ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET (continued)

#### **31ST OCTOBER 2008**

	2008		2007
	Note	£	£
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called-up equity share capital	3	100	100
Profit and loss account		(889,016)	813,992
(DEFICIT)/SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		(888,916)	814,092

The directors are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption from the provisions of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 (the Order) relating to the audit of the financial statements for the year by virtue of Article 257A(1). The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (i) ensuring that the company keeps proper accounting records which comply with Article 229 of the Order,
- (ii) preparing financial statements 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 Article 234, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Order relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VIII of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986.

These abbreviated accounts were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on 25 per and are signed on their behalf by:

P O'NEILL

#### **NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 2008

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with applicable UK accounting standards.

#### Cash flow statement

The directors have taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No 1 (Revised 1996) from including a cash flow statement in the financial statements on the grounds that the company is small.

#### **Turnover**

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax.

#### Goodwill

Positive purchased goodwill arising on acquisitions is capitalised, classified as an asset on the Balance Sheet and amortised over its estimated useful life up to a maximum of 20 years. This length of time is presumed to be the maximum useful life of purchased goodwill because it is difficult to make projections beyond this period. Goodwill is reviewed for impairment at the end of the first full financial year following each acquisition and subsequently as and when necessary if circumstances emerge that indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable.

#### Amortisation

Amortisation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Goodwill

- 5% straight line

#### **Fixed assets**

All fixed assets are initially recorded at cost.

#### **Depreciation**

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Plant & Machinery

- 25% straight line

Fixtures & Fittings

- 25% straight line

Motor Vehicles

- 25% straight line

#### **Stocks**

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

#### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 2008

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### Work in progress

Work in progress is valued on the basis of direct costs plus attributable overheads based on normal level of activity. Provision is made for any foreseeable losses where appropriate. No element of profit is included in the valuation of work in progress.

#### Hire purchase agreements

Assets held under hire purchase agreements are capitalised and disclosed under tangible fixed assets at their fair value. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability and the interest is charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis.

#### Finance lease agreements

Where the company enters into a lease which entails taking substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of an asset, the lease is treated as a finance lease. The asset is recorded in the balance sheet as a tangible fixed asset and is depreciated in accordance with the above depreciation policies. Future instalments under such leases, net of finance charges, are included within creditors. Rentals payable are apportioned between the finance element, which is charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis, and the capital element which reduces the outstanding obligation for future instalments.

#### Operating lease agreements

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

#### **Pension costs**

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company. The annual contributions payable are charged to the profit and loss account.

#### **Deferred taxation**

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more, tax.

#### Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating profit.

#### **NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 2008

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### Financial instruments

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for, according to the substance of the contractual arrangement, as either financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

#### Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis on the assumption that continued financial support will be available from the company's bankers and the directors to enable the company to continue trading.

#### 2. FIXED ASSETS

Intangible Assets £	Tangible Assets £	Total £
150,000	•	218,562
_	•	27,232
_	(11,584)	(11,584)
(150,000)		(150,000)
_	84,210	84,210
22,500	14,267	36,767
7,500	16,359	23,859
-	(4,192)	(4,192)
(30,000)		(30,000)
_	26,434	26,434
·	57,776	57,776
127,500	54,295	181,795
	Assets £  150,000	Assets £  150,000 68,562  - 27,232 - (11,584)  (150,000) -   - 84,210  22,500 14,267 7,500 16,359 - (4,192)  (30,000) -   - 26,434  - 57,776

#### 3. SHARE CAPITAL

#### Authorised share capital:

	2008	2007
	£	£
1,000,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000,000	1,000,000

# UNIVERSAL FACADES LIMITED NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 2008

3. SHARE CAPITAL (continued)

Allotted, called up and fully paid:

	2008		<b>2008</b> 2007	
	No	£	No	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100	100	100
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