

UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
31 DECEMBER 2006

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Officers and professional advisers

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R Waddington

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Profit and loss account

Year ended 31 December 2006

		2006	2005
	Note	£	£
Turnover		4,000	5,000
Administrative expenses		(9,229)	(10,506)
Operating loss		(5,229)	(5,506)
Interest receivable	3	30	43
Interest payable and similar charges	4	(9,555)	(9,555)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(14,754)	(15,018)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	5	_	_
Loss for the financial year		(14,754)	(15,018)

The accounting policies and notes on pages 4 to 8 form part of these unaudited financial statements.

Balance sheet

31 December 2006

			2006		2005
	Note	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	6		45,000		45,000
Investments	7		1,336,555		2,943,055
			1,381,555		2,988,055
Current assets			_,_ o_,		2,5 00,050
Debtors	8	18,735		12,968	
Cash at bank		2,405		3,872	
		21,140		16,840	
Creditors: Amounts falling due					
within one year	9	(358,278)		(1,955,279)	
Net current liabilities			(337,138)		(1,938,439)
Total assets less current liabilities			1,044,417		1,049,616
Creditors: Amounts falling due after	r				
more than one year	10		(91,000)		(91,000)
			953,417		958,616
Capital and reserves					
Called-up equity share capital	12		6,750		6,750
Revaluation reserve	13		25,000		25,000
Profit and loss account	14		921,667		926,866
Shareholders' funds			953,417		958,616
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These unaudited financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Section 700 of the Companies Act 1985 and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005)

These unaudited financial statements were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on 7 December 2007, and are signed on their behalf by

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R Waddington Director

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Accounting policies

Year ended 31 December 2006

Basis of accounting

The unaudited financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of certain fixed assets, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005)

Turnover

Turnover represents invoiced amounts for rents receivable during the year, excluding value added tax

Fixed assets

All fixed assets are untially recorded at cost

Investment properties

Investment properties are shown at their open market value. The surplus or deficit arising from the annual revaluation is transferred to the investment revaluation reserve unless a deficit, or its reversal, on an individual investment property is expected to be permanent, in which case it is recognised in the profit and loss account for the year

This is in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities which, unlike Schedule 4 to the Companies Act 1985, does not require depreciation of investment properties Investment properties are held for their investment potential and not for use by the company and so their current value is of prime importance. The departure from the provisions of the Act is required in order to give a true and fair view

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, with the following exceptions

Provision is made for tax on gains arising from the revaluation (and similar fair value adjustments) of fixed assets, and gains on disposal of fixed assets that have been rolled over into replacement assets, only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, there is a binding agreement to dispose of the assets concerned. However, no provision is made where, on the basis of all available evidence at the balance sheet date, it is more likely than not that the taxable gain will be rolled over into replacement assets and charged to tax only where the replacement assets are sold

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted.

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Foreign currencies

Assets and habilities 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 unaudited financial statements

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Turnover and profit/(loss) before taxation arise directly from the principal activity and are generated in the United Kingdom in the ordinary course of business

2. Directors' emoluments

The directors' aggregate emoluments in respect of qualifying services were

		2006 £	2005 £
	Aggregate emoluments		1,714
3.	Interest receivable	2006 £	2005 £
	Bank interest receivable	30	43
4.	Interest payable and similar charges	2006 £	2005 £
	Other interest and similar charges	9,555	9,555

5. Taxation on ordinary activities

The company has surplus management expenses to carry forward of approximately £35,000 (2005 - £35,000)

6. Tangible fixed assets

Tangible hacd dosets	Freehold investment property £
Cost or valuation At 1 January 2006 and 31 December 2006	45,000
Net book value At 31 December 2006	45,000
At 31 December 2005	45,000

The directors are of the opinion that the value of the investment property, on the basis of open market value for existing use, is not materially different from the balance sheet amount. The directors therefore do not consider that any revaluation adjustment is required at 31 December 2006.

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7.	Investments Investment in subsidiary undertakings		£
	Cost At 1 January 2006 and 31 December 2006		70,758
	Loans At 1 January 2006 Repaid in year		2,872,297 (1,606,500)
	At 31 December 2006		1,265,797
	Net book value At 31 December 2006		1,336,555
	At 31 December 2005		2,943,055
	The company owns 100% of the ordinary shar company incorporated in Great Britain and register	-	estments Limited, a
	The loan due from the subsidiary undertaking is of £1,000,000 due to be paid before 31 December and is not repayable before 31 December 2007		
8.	Debtors		
		2006 £	2005 £
	Trade debtors	4,000	4,000
	The Stanhope Trust	14,735 18,735	$\frac{8,968}{12,968}$
	All debtors are repayable within one year of the b	alance sheet date	
9.	Creditors. Amounts falling due within one year		2005
		2006 £	2005 £
	Other creditors		
	Amounts due to related undertakings	192,800	1,789,801
	Amounts due to subsidiary undertaking	162,540	162,540
	Accruals and deferred income	2,938	2,938
		358,278	1,955,279
10.	Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than	n one veer	
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		£	£
	Shares classed as financial habilities	91,000	91,000

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11. Related party transactions

The Stanhope Trust owns all of the allotted ordinary share capital of the company

Throughout the year and the previous year, Viscount Petersham had a beneficial interest in all of the allotted ordinary share capital through The Stanhope Trust, of which he is sole life tenant

Included in creditors is an amount due to a group undertaking, Stanhope Hotels Limited, of £162,540 (2005 - £162,540)

Included in creditors are the following amounts due to related parties Doublard Investment Company Limited - £37,848 (2005 - £37,848), The Chesterfield Trust - £149,744 (2005 - £1,749,744), and Stanhope Gardens Limited - £5,210 (2005 - £2,210)

Viscount Petersham had a beneficial interest in all the issued share capital of Doublard Investment Company Limited and Stanhope Gardens Limited as sole life tenant of The Chesterfield Trust

All balances are payable or repayable within one year and are interest free

12. Share capital

Authorised share capital:

		2006		2005
		£		£
9,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each 91,000 Net 10 5% non redeemable cumula	tıve	9,000		9,000
preference shares of £1 each		91,000		91,000
		100,000		100,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid:				
	2006	•	2005	
	No	£	No	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each Net 10 5% non redeemable cumulative	6,750	6,750	6,750	6,750
preference shares of £1 each	91,000	91,000	91,000	91,000
	97,750	97,750	97,750	97,750
			2006	2005
Amounts presented in equity:			£	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each			6,750	6,750
Amounts presented in liabilities:				
Net 10 5% non redeemable cumulative pre	eference share	s of £1 each	91,000	91,000

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12. Share capital (continued)

The dividend on the above preference shares is 22 years (2005 - 21) in arrears, amounting to £210,210 (2005 - £200,655)

The respective rights of the different classes of share capital are as follows

Dividends

Dividends shall be applied in the following manner and priority

- 1) Preference shares to receive a 10 5% dividend per annum together with any arrears, and
- 2) Any further dividends shall be paid to ordinary shareholders

Winding up

On a winding up the surplus assets available to shareholders shall be applied in the following manner and priority

- 1) Repayment of capital to preference shareholders, and
- 2) Any balance shall be paid to ordinary shareholders

Voting

Preference shareholders have no voting rights, other than on a winding up or at a meeting called to reduce the share capital of the company, at which they have equal voting rights with ordinary shareholders. Ordinary shareholders have voting rights in all circumstances

13. Revaluation reserve

There was no movement on the revaluation reserve during the financial year

14. Profit and loss account

	2006	2005
	£	£
Balance brought forward	926,866	932,329
Loss for the financial year	(14,754)	(15,018)
Non-equity appropriation	9,555	9,555
Balance carned forward	921,667	926,866

The non-equity appropriation has been credited to the profit and loss account

15. Analysis of shareholders' funds

Equity shareholders' interests at the end of the financial year are £743,207 (2005 - £757,961) Non-equity shareholders' interests at the end of the financial year are £301,210 (2005 - £282,100)