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#### ANNUAL REPORT

BLESSING INTERNATIONAL B V., ROYAL LEAMINGTON SPA, UK

including financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2010

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## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGING DIRECTORS

This report is available for inspection at the Company's office in Royal Learnington Spa, UK.

BALANCE SHEET AT DECEMBER 31, 2010 (before appropriation of the net result after taxation)

	2010	2009
	GBP	GBP
Financial fixed assets	763,774	739,705
Current assets		
Current accounts group companies Cash at bank and in hand	36,839,399 _ 404	35,669,483 404_
Net current assets	36,839,803	35,669,887
Total assets less current liabilities	37,603,577	36,409,592
Net assets	37,603,577	36,409,592
Shareholders' equity		
Capital	118,134	118,134
Share premium account	22,166,109	22,166,109
Other reserves	14,125,349	10,016,072
Net result after taxation and dividend	1,193,985	4,109,277
Shareholders' equity	37,603,577	36,409,592

## PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2010

	2010		2009	
•	GBP	GBP	GBP	GBP
Operating expenses		272		1,865
Financial income				
Dividend received	630,145		2,992,171	
Interest income third parties	-		277	
Interest income group companies —	553,259		1,002,092	-
Appreciation in value of financial fixed assets	49,116		-	
-	1,232,520		3,994,540	
Financial expenses				
Foreign currency exchange losses Foreign currency exchange losses	521		1,593	
on financial fixed assets	25,047		94,309	
Diminution in value of financial fixed assets	, -		264,104	
-	25,568		360,006	
-		1,206,952		3,634,534
Net result before taxation Overseas tax		1,206,680 (12,695)		3,632,669
UK corporation tax		(12,093)		476,608
Net result after taxation Dividend paid		1,193,985		4,109,277
Net result after taxation and dividend		1,193,985		4,109,277

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2010

#### General

Pursuant to Section 396 of the Netherlands Civil Code, the exemptions for small businesses are applicable to Blessing International B V 's annual accounts

As at 1 January 2001, the Company's statutory seat was transferred from Breda, the Netherlands to Royal Learnington Spa, United Kingdom

#### Language and reporting currency

In conformity with Section 362 (7) and Section 391 (1) of Book 2 of the Netherlands Civil Code, the annual report of Blessing International B V has been prepared in the English language

In 2002, the Board of Directors decided to prepare the 2001 financial statements in Pounds Sterling, primarily because the Company has become UK resident and the majority of the assets are in Pounds Sterling

#### Consolidation

Under the exemption for intermediate holding companies of Section 408 of Book 2 of the Netherlands Civil Code, Blessing International B.V does not prepare consolidated annual accounts The annual accounts of Cooper Industries plc, including the consolidation of Blessing International B V and her subsidiary undertakings, will be filed at the Trade Register at the SEC in the USA.

## Summary of significant accounting policies

#### Valuation

Assets and liabilities are shown at the amounts at which they were acquired or incurred, unless stated otherwise

#### Financial fixed assets

Investments are stated at acquisition price, adjusted for a permanent loss of value, if any This lower current value is estimated at the net asset value

Changes in the lower net asset value during the year, due to losses/gains of the financial fixed assets, are recorded in the profit and loss account (diminution)/appreciation in value of financial fixed assets).

#### Translation of foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities denominated in Dutch guilders are translated into Pounds Sterling at yearend exchange rates. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the exchange rate ruling at the transaction date. Exchange differences arising from the revaluation of the balances at the yearend exchange rate are included in the profit and loss account for the period.

#### List of participating interests

(in accordance with Section 379 (1) of Book 2 of the Netherlands Civil Code)

		Registered		
	Country	office	% held	
Cooper Pretronica Lda	Portugal	Sıntra	70 0	
Cooper Univel SA	Greece	Katerını	95 0	

Under the exemption for intermediate holding companies of Section 379 (2) of Book 2 of the Netherlands Civil Code, Blessing International B.V. does not mention equity and result of its participating interests

#### NOTES TO THE BALANCE SHEET

(all amounts are expressed in Pounds Sterling)

## Financial fixed assets

	Book value at January 1	Appreciation/ (Diminution) in value	Foreign currency exchange difference	Disposals	Book value at December 31
	GBP	GBP	GBP	GBP	GBP
Cooper Pretronica Lda Cooper Univel SA	657,155 82,550	•	-(22,252) (2,795)	- -	-684,019 79,755
	739,705	49,116	(25,047)	-	763,774

## Shareholders' equity

The authorized capital stock is Eur 453,780

The capital stock has been divided into 10,000 common shares, of which 4,241 have been issued and paid up

Movements in shareholders' equity were as follows

	Capital stock ————————————————————————————————————	Share premium account GBP	Other reserves GBP	Net result after taxation GBP	Total  GBP
Balance at					
December 31, 2009	118,134	22,166,109	10,016,072	4,109,277	36,409,592
Appropriation of net income 2009	-	-	4,109,277	(4,109,277)	-
Net result after taxation And dividend for 2010	-	-	-	1,193,985	1,193,985
Balance at December 31, 2010	118,134	22,166,109	14,125,349	1,193,985	37,603,577

#### NOTES TO THE PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

(All amounts are expressed in Pounds Sterling)

2010	2009
GBP	GBP

## Appreciation/(Diminution) in value of financial fixed assets

Appreciation/(Diminution) in value of participation ın Cooper Pretronica Lda

 49,116	(264,104)
 49,116	(264,104)

## Employee data

The company did not have any employees in the year under review

## Remuneration of Managing Directors

No remuneration was paid

Approved by the board of directors and signed on its behalf by:

KWA Beyen

Director

date: 23 May 2011

SD Whittaker

Director

date 23 May 2011

#### OTHER INFORMATION

#### Net result appropriation

According to Article 24 of the Company's articles of association, it is the prerogative of the General Meeting to appropriate the net profit

The Company can make distributions to its shareholders and other persons entitled to its profits that are capable of being distributed, but only to the extent that its shareholders' equity exceeds the paid-up and called parts of its share capital increased by the reserves that it must maintain by law or under the present statutes

#### Appropriation of the 2009 net result

The shareholders decided to take the 2009 profit of GBP 4,109,277 to other reserves

#### Appropriation of the 2010 net result

It will be proposed to the shareholders to take the net profit after tax of GBP 1,193,985 to other reserves

In accordance with Regulation 32 of the Overseas Companies Regulations 2009

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Corporate name of overseas company <b>o</b>	BLESSING INTERNATIONAL BV	bold black capitals  All fields are mandatory unless	
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