

Abbreviated Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 1996

for

Hatfield Lawn Tennis And Bowls Club Ltd



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Company Information
for the Year Ended 31 December 1996

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Hatfield Lawn Tennis And Bowls Club Ltd

Report of the Accountants to the Shareholders
on the Unaudited Financial Statements of
Hatfield Lawn Tennis And Bowls Club Ltd

The following reproduces the text of the report prepared for the purposes of Section 249A(2) of the Companies Act 1985 in respect of the company's annual financial statements, from which the abbreviated financial statements (set out on pages three to six) have been prepared.

We report on the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 1996 set out on pages four to ten.

Respective responsibilities of directors and reporting accountants

As described on page two the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements, and they consider that the company is exempt from an audit. It is our responsibility to carry out procedures designed to enable us to report our opinion.

Basis of opinion

Our work was conducted in accordance with the Statement of Standards for Reporting Accountants, and so our procedures consisted of comparing the financial statements with the accounting records kept by the company, and making such limited enquiries of the officers of the company as we considered necessary for the purposes of this report. These procedures provide only the assurance expressed in our opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion:

- (a) the financial statements are in agreement with the accounting records kept by the company under Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) having regard only to, and on the basis of, the information contained in those accounting records:
 - (i) the financial statements have been drawn up in a manner consistent with the accounting requirements specified in Section 249C(6) of the Act; and
 - (ii) the company satisfied the conditions for exemption from an audit of the financial statements for the year specified in Section 249A(4) of the Act and did not, at any time within that year, fall within any of the categories of companies not entitled to the exemption specified in Section 249B(1).

George Arthur

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Dated: 24/04/1997

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Abbreviated Balance Sheet 31 December 1996

		<u>1996</u>		<u>1995</u>	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS:					
Tangible assets	2		129,006		151,316
CURRENT ASSETS:					
Stocks		2,230		2,965	
Debtors		4,503		9,076	
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>14,257</u>		<u>14,474</u>	
		20,990		26,515	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	3	<u>16,944</u>		<u>20,394</u>	
NET CURRENT ASSETS:			<u>4,046</u>		<u>6,121</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES:			133,052		157,437
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year	3		<u>43,305</u>		<u>52,074</u>
			<u>£89,747</u>		<u>£105,363</u>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES:					
Called up share capital	4		375		362
Share premium			743		702
Profit and loss account			<u>88,629</u>		<u>104,299</u>
Shareholders' funds			<u>£89,747</u>		<u>£105,363</u>

The company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 249A(2) of the Companies Act 1985 for the year ending 31 December 1996.

No notice has been deposited under Section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985 in relation to its financial statements for the financial year.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (a) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 221 of the Companies Act 1985 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of each financial year and of its profit or loss for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Section 226 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 1985 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

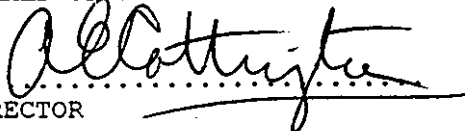
Advantage has been taken of the exemptions conferred by Section A of Part III of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985 on the grounds that, in the opinion of the directors, the company is entitled to the benefit of those exemptions as a small company.

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In preparing the full financial statements, the directors have taken advantage of special exemptions applicable to small companies conferred by Part I of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985. The directors have done so on the grounds that, in their opinion, the company is entitled to the benefit of those exemptions because it meets the qualifying conditions for small companies as stated in Section 247 of the Companies Act 1985.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

.....
- DIRECTOR

Approved by the Board on ...24-04-1997.....

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Notes to the Abbreviated Financial Statements
for the Year Ended 31 December 1996

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Financial Reporting Standard Number 1

Exemption has been taken from preparing a cash flow statement on the grounds that the company qualifies as a small company.

Turnover

Turnover represents Bar Sales stated net of VAT.

Tangible fixed assets

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

Bowls Greens & Building - 10% on cost
Other Buildings - 10% on cost
Fixtures, Fittings & Equip- 10% on cost
Tennis Courts - 20% on cost

Stocks

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

2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	<u>Total</u>
	£
COST:	
At 1 January 1996	249,771
Additions	<u>400</u>
At 31 December 1996	<u>250,171</u>
DEPRECIATION:	
At 1 January 1996	98,455
Charge for year	<u>22,710</u>
At 31 December 1996	<u>121,165</u>
NET BOOK VALUE:	
At 31 December 1996	<u>129,006</u>
At 31 December 1995	<u>151,316</u>

3. CREDITORS

The following secured debts are included within creditors:

	1996	1995
	£	£
Bank loans	<u>57,415</u>	<u>66,017</u>

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4. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Authorised:

Number:	Class:	Nominal value:	1996 £	1995 £
1,000	Class A	£1	1,000	1,000
2,000	Class B	£1	2,000	2,000
500	Class C	£1	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>
			<u>3,500</u>	<u>3,500</u>

Allotted, issued and fully paid:

Number:	Class:	Nominal value:	1996 £	1995 £
147	Class A	£1	147	147
198	Class B	£1	202	198
17	Class C	£1	<u>26</u>	<u>17</u>
			<u>375</u>	<u>362</u>