

L H Stainless Limited

Abbreviated Accounts

For The Year Ended 31 January 2003



L H STAINLESS LIMITED

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO L H STAINLESS LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 4 , together with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 January 2003 prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

Basis of audit opinion

We have carried out the procedures we considered 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. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the financial statements.

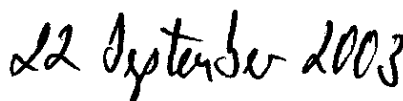
Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts on pages 2 to 4 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.



Johnston Carmichael

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Registered Auditor



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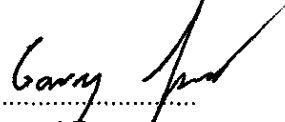
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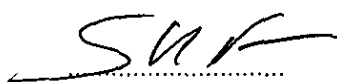
ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 JANUARY 2003

	Notes	2003 £	£	2002 £	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	2		278,020		295,245
Current assets					
Stocks		86,756		63,926	
Debtors		192,930		89,616	
Cash at bank and in hand		432		331	
		<u>280,118</u>		<u>153,873</u>	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	3	<u>(295,379)</u>		<u>(177,631)</u>	
Net current liabilities			<u>(15,261)</u>		<u>(23,758)</u>
Total assets less current liabilities			262,759		271,487
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year			(31,582)		(43,468)
Accruals and deferred income			<u>(17,272)</u>		<u>(21,590)</u>
			<u>213,905</u>		<u>206,429</u>
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	4		46,900		46,900
Share premium account			395,100		395,100
Profit and loss account			<u>(228,095)</u>		<u>(235,571)</u>
Shareholders' funds			<u>213,905</u>		<u>206,429</u>

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

The financial statements were approved by the Board on 12/9/03


Garry J Fraser
Director


Stuart G Fraser
Director

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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2003

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

1.2 Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services net of VAT and trade discounts.

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets other than freehold land are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Land and buildings	- 2% straight line
Plant and machinery	- 20% reducing balance
Fixtures, fittings & equipment	- 15% reducing balance
Motor vehicles	- 25% reducing balance

1.4 Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are capitalised as tangible assets and depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives. Obligations under such agreements are included in creditors net of the finance charge allocated to future periods. The finance element of the rental payment is charged to the profit and loss account so as to produce a constant periodic rate of charge on the net obligation outstanding in each period.

1.5 Stock and work in progress

Stock and work in progress are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

1.6 Deferred taxation

The accounting policy in respect of deferred tax has been changed to reflect the requirements of Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002). Deferred tax is provided in full in respect of taxation deferred by timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes. The deferred tax balance has not been discounted.

The adoption of the standard has not required a prior period adjustment.

1.7 Government grants

Grants are credited to deferred revenue. Grants towards capital expenditure are released to the profit and loss account over the expected useful life of the assets. Grants towards revenue expenditure are released to the profit and loss account as the related expenditure is incurred.

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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2003

2 Fixed assets

	Tangible assets £
Cost	
At 1 February 2002	413,904
Additions	28,243
Disposals	(4,910)
At 31 January 2003	<u>437,237</u>
Depreciation	
At 1 February 2002	118,659
On disposals	(409)
Charge for the year	40,967
At 31 January 2003	<u>159,217</u>
Net book value	
At 31 January 2003	<u>278,020</u>
At 31 January 2002	<u>295,245</u>

3 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

Creditors include secured creditors of £87,744 (2002 - £61,500).

4 Share capital

	2003 £	2002 £
Authorised		
100,000 Ordinary shares of £ 1 each	<u>100,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
46,900 Ordinary shares of £ 1 each	<u>46,900</u>	<u>46,900</u>

5 Transactions with directors

The directors are materially interested as shareholders in Fraser Transport (Rothienorman) Limited. During the accounting period ended 31 January 2001 the company sold to, then subsequently leased back from, Fraser Transport (Rothienorman) Limited, machinery to the value of £65,000. The finance lease liability outstanding at the period end of £29,077 (2002 - £39,046) is included within creditors. This transaction was entered into on a normal trading basis.

Included within creditors are directors' accounts totalling £52,269 (2002 - £38,019).

During the year the directors made a loan to the company of £11,000. This loan is repayable over 3 years and no interest is being charged on the loan. The balance outstanding at 31 January 2003 was £7,837.