DESNOES & GEDDES LIMITED 1998

Company Balance Sheet

30 June 1998

	Note	30.6.98 \$'000	Restated 31.12.96 \$'000
NET ASSETS EMPLOYED			
Fixed Assets	10	2,702,757	2,608,975
Investments	11	95,503	139,091
Current Assets	12	865,808	862,275
Inventories		502,393	543,137*
Receivables		21,862	19,000
Taxation recoverable		26,271	2,347
Short term deposits		69,320	<u>167,679</u>
Cash		1,485,654	1,594,438
Current Liabilities		607,496	565,660
Payables		107,767	329,160*
Guinness group companies		271,637	<u>831,183</u>
Bank borrowings		986,900	1,726,003
Net Current Assets/(Liabilities)		498,754	(131 , 565)

National Housing Trust Contributions recoverable in	the wears		
2001 to 2004	the years	1,026	1,026
		3,298,040	2,617,527
FINANCED BY			
Share Capital	13	182,532	91,266
Capital Reserves	14	2,052,498	1,385,571
Retained Earnings		623,654	452,702
Stockholders' Equity		2,858,684	1,929,539
Long Term Liabilities	15	156,189	548,080*
Deferred Taxation		283,167	139,908
		3,298,040	2,617,527

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Brian Duffy Director

*Reclassified for comparative purposes.