Consolidated Balance Sheet

November 30,1999

CURRENT ACCENC	Notes	1999 ('000)	1998 ('000)
CURRENT ASSETS		10 616	2 055
Cash	2 01	10,616	3,855
Accounts receivable	3, 21	14,996	16,355
Taxation recoverable		870	825
Inventories	4	79,569	68,766
		106,051	89,801
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Bank loans and overdrafts	5	14,960	56,037
Current maturities of long-term liabilities	10	29,469	16,192
Accounts payable	21	66,876	32,051
Obligations under finance lease	6	153	1,557
		111,458	105,837
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES		(5,407)	(16,036)
INVESTMENTS	7	789	360
FIXED ASSETS	8	269,910	274,117
		\$ <u>265,292</u>	258,441
Financed by:			
SHAREHOLDERS ' EQUITY			
Share capital and reserves	9	195,556	207,518
LONG-TERM LIABILITIES	10	69,736	50,923
		\$ <mark>265,292</mark>	258,441

On behalf of the Board

John Masterton Director

Henry J. Rainford Director

The accompanying notes form an integral part of the financial statements.