Carreras Group Ltd. 1999

Group Balance Sheet

	Notes	1999 \$'000	1998 \$'000
Capital employed			
Share capital Reserves	11 9	60,680	60,680
Capital		2,146,036	1,880,269
Revenue		7,221,392	5,470,701
		9,367,428	7,350,970
Stockholders' funds		9,428,108	7,411,650
Minority interests		12,415	332,373
Deferred taxation		225,064	156,457
		9,665,587	7,900,480
Employment of capital			
Current assets			
Cash and short-term deposits		974 , 450	1,211,650
Short-term investments	12	3,811,030	2,715,351
Accounts receivable		586 , 175	373 , 690
Inventories	13	304,961	254,663
Taxation recoverable		234,750	238,244*
		<u>5,911,366</u>	4,793,598

Current liabilities

Accounts payable	14	338,118	291,054
Current maturities of long-term loan	15	_	4,211
Taxation payable	10	872,039	773,885*
Dividends proposed		631,072	303,400
		1,841,229	1,372,550
Net current assets		4,070,137	3,421,048
Long-term investments	16	3,275,952	2,280,503
Investment properties, at valuation		138,000	138,000
Fixed assets	17	2,181,195	2,060,626
Trademarks, at cost		303	303
		9,665,587	7,900,480

On behalf of the Board

John M. Ruland Director

Marlene Sutherland Director

* Reclassified to conform with current year presentation. The accompanying notes form an integral part of the financial statements.