

Income Statement

Year ended 31 December 2001

| (R'000) | Notes | % Change | Audited 31 December 2001 | Note 4 Restated Audited 31 December 2000 |
|---|-------|-------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Turnover | | -6% | 515 950 | 551 106 |
| - Education | | 22% | 324 653 | 267 074 |
| - Recruitment | | -33% | 191 297 | 284 032 |
| Operating profit before depreciation and amortisation | | 3% | 57 555 | 55 896 |
| - Education | | 21% | 44 557 | 36 895 |
| - Recruitment | | -32% | 12 998 | 19 001 |
| Depreciation and amortisation | | 1% | 18 550 | 18 378 |
| Operating profit | | 4% | 39 005 | 37 518 |
| Net dividend income | | | - | 3 558 |
| Net interest paid | | 170% | (11 615) | (4 298) |
| Equity accounted earnings | | -15% | 798 | 937 |
| Profit before exceptional items | 1 | -25% | 28 188 | 37 715 |
| Exceptional items | | 57% | 29 227 | 18 575 |
| (Loss)/profit before taxation | | -105% | (1 039) | 19 140 |
| Taxation | | -112% | (1 025) | 7 699 |
| (Loss)/profit after taxation | | -100% | (14) | 11 441 |
| Attributable to outside shareholders | | | (303) | (1 505) |
| Attributable to ordinary shareholders | | | (317) | 9 936 |
| Number of shares in issue ('000) | | | 392 804 | 392 804 |
| Weighted average number of shares in issue ('000) | | | 392 804 | 392 804 |
| Earnings per share (cents) | | | (0.08) | 2.53 |
| Headline earnings per share (cents) | | | 6.16 | 7.26 |
| Fully diluted ordinary shares ('000) | | | 393 664 | 394 204 |
| Fully diluted earnings per share (cents) | | | (0.08) | 2.52 |
| Fully diluted headline earnings per share (cents) | 4 | | 6.15 | 7.23 |

Statement of Changes in Equity

Year ended 31 December 2001

| | Share Capital (R'000) | Share Premium (R'000) | Distributable Reserves (R'000) | Retained Earnings (R'000) | Total (R'000) |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Balance at beginning of the year | 3 928 | 353 166 | 27 938 | 68 146 | 453 178 |
| Prior year adjustment - (per note 4) | | | | (7 523) | (7 523) |
| - taxation | | | | (754) | (754) |
| Retained earnings for the year | | | | (317) | (317) |
| Goodwill written off | | | (9 936) | | (9 936) |
| Movement in translation reserves | | | 2 369 | | 2 369 |
| Balance at end of the year | 3 928 | 353 166 | 20 371 | 59 552 | 437 017 |

Balance Sheet

As at 31 December 2001

| (R'000) | Notes | 2001 | 2000 |
|---------------------------------------|-------|---------|---------|
| EMPLOYMENT OF CAPITAL | | | |
| Fixed assets | 2 | 302 852 | 289 664 |
| Goodwill and trademarks | | 241 749 | 274 449 |
| Development costs | | 2 609 | 2 965 |
| Deferred taxation asset | | 37 638 | 29 321 |
| Investments | | 1 612 | 1 460 |
| Net current assets | | 83 092 | 115 220 |
| Inventories | | 4 250 | 3 605 |
| Prepayments | | 9 071 | 11 333 |
| Taxation | | 2 870 | 7 991 |
| Accounts receivable | | 56 350 | 79 021 |
| Cash resources and liquid instruments | | 10 551 | 13 270 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | | 669 552 | 713 079 |
| CAPITAL EMPLOYED | | | |
| Ordinary share capital | | 3 928 | 3 928 |
| Ordinary share premium | | 353 166 | 353 166 |
| Non distributable reserve | | 20 371 | 27 938 |
| Retained earnings | | 59 552 | 60 625 |
| Ordinary shareholders equity | | 437 017 | 445 657 |
| Outside shareholders interest | | 2 470 | 2 166 |
| Interest bearing debt | 3 | 129 250 | 157 043 |
| Current liabilities | | 100 815 | 108 213 |
| Accounts payable | | 68 998 | 71 494 |
| Taxation | | - | - |
| Vendor claims | | 8 793 | 29 445 |
| Fees in advance | | 23 024 | 7 274 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | | 669 552 | 713 079 |

Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 December 2001

| (R'000) | 2001 | 2000 |
|---|---------|--------|
| 1. Exceptional Items (Pre Tax) | | |
| Restructuring costs | 393 | - |
| Litigation and related costs | 10 175 | - |
| Closure costs - discontinued operations | 9 035 | 4 130 |
| Profit on sale of divisions | (4 210) | - |
| Goodwill amortisation | 13 834 | 14 445 |
| | 29 227 | 18 575 |

2. See note 3.

3. Interest bearing debt comprises a combination of loan agreements all substantially short term in nature. Notwithstanding this classification, the loans have been secured by collateral bonds to facilitate the registration of mortgage bonds over the Group's fixed property.

4. In order to provide a meaningful presentation, certain comparatives have been regrouped.

Furthermore, in order to provide a proper appreciation of the Group's performance for the period under review, adjustments have been made to the 2000 comparatives to take into account unaccounted costs and charges as well as the effects of a change in accounting policy at a subsidiary. This information was only determined during the corrective action initiative. The impact of these prior year adjustments was to reduce 2000 comparative figures as follows:

| | |
|---|--------|
| Unaccounted costs and charges | 7 618 |
| Effect of change in accounting policy | 3 129 |
| Reduction in operating profit | 10 747 |
| Taxation thereon | 3 224 |
| | 7 523 |
| Reduction in headline earning per share (cents) | 1.9 |

Cash Flow Statement

Year ended 31 December 2001

| (R'000) | 2001 | 2000 |
|--|---------------|---------------|
| Cash generated by operations | 34 865 | 49 622 |
| Net interest (paid)/received | (11 615) | (4 053) |
| Taxation paid | (3 414) | (8 371) |
| Dividend paid | (11 729) | - |
| Working capital changes | 59 000 | (273) |
| Cash flows from operating activities | 67 107 | 36 925 |
| Cash flows from investing activities | (40 587) | (247 260) |
| Cash flows from financing activities | (29 351) | 145 109 |
| Net decrease in cash | (2 831) | (65 226) |
| Cash at beginning of year | 13 270 | 68 000 |
| Cash disposed | 112 | 10 496 |
| CASH AT END OF PERIOD | 10 551 | 13 270 |
| SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION | | |
| Capital expenditure - current year | 35 163 | 62 912 |
| Capital commitments - future years | 9 974 | 22 531 |
| Operating lease commitments future years | 101 787 | 96 655 |
| Contingent liabilities | 8 493 | 10 284 |
| DETERMINATION OF HEADLINE EARNINGS: | | |
| Attributable to ordinary shareholders | (317) | 9 936 |
| Adjustment for exceptional items | 24 518 | 18 575 |
| Exceptional items before taxation | 29 227 | 18 575 |
| Taxation | (4 709) | - |
| Headline earnings | 24 201 | 28 511 |