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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K/A

AMENDMENT NO. 1

TO

### CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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October 15, 1999 (August 13, 1999)

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

NetSol International, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

333-28861 95-4627685

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(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

233 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 350, Santa Monica, CA 90401

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(310) 395-4073

(Address of principal executive offices)

Not Applicable

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

NetSol International, Inc., hereby files this Amendment No. 1 to its Current Report on Form 8-K, filed with the Commission on August 17, 1999, to submit the financial information required to be set forth in Item 7(a), which information is attached hereto as Exhibits 99.1, 99.2 and 99.3.

# ITEM 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (a) The financial statements required to be set forth herein are attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, 99.2 and 99.3 and incorporated herein by reference.
  - (c) Exhibits
- 99.1 Audited Financial Statements of Network Solutions Group Limited for the fiscal year ended January 31, 1999.
- 99.2 Audited Financial Statements of Network Solutions (Northern) Limited for the fiscal year ended January 31, 1999.
- 99.3 Audited Financial Statements of Network Solutions Limited for the fiscal year ended January 31, 1999.

# SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: October 14, 1999 NetSol International, Inc.

By:/s/ Najeeb Ghauri

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Najeeb Ghauri Its: President

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

EXHIBIT TO

FORM 8-K/A

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF

THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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NetSol International, Inc.

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October 14, 1999

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# COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER 3294750

# NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# ASHFORD READ Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors 40 Alexandra Road Freemantle Southampton Hampshire SO15 5DG

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Mr S. Sutton

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Cosham Portsmouth Hampshire PO6 3TH

AUDITORS Ashford Read

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London W1A 4ZW

SOLICITORS Gurney-Champion & Co

12 Edinburgh Road

Portsmouth Hampshire PO1 1DJ

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# NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

The directors present their report and the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31st January 1999.

# PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company during the year was that of a holding company.

THE DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS IN SHARES OF THE COMPANY

The directors who served the company during the year together with their beneficial interests in the shares of the company were as follows:

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ORDINARY SHARES OF L1 EACH AT 31 JANUARY 1999 AT 1 FEBRUARY 1998

OR LATER DATE

			OF APPOINTMENT
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Mr A. P. Cowler		78	40
Mr W. Bridgen		_	10
Mr S. Sutton		_	10
Mr J. C. Beckett	(Appointed 2 June 1998)	22	_
Mr I. C. Cocks	(Retired 2 June 1998)	_	40

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- Mr A. P. Cowler's beneficial interest arises from his position as a Trustee of the Surrey Design Partnership Limited Pension Scheme.
- ${\tt Mr}\ {\tt J}.\ {\tt C}.$  Beckett's beneficial interest arises from his position as a Trustee of the {\tt J}\ {\tt Beckett}\ {\tt Funded}\ {\tt Unapproved}\ {\tt Retirement}\ {\tt Benefit}\ {\tt Scheme}.
- Mr J. C. Beckett resigned as a director of Network Solutions Group Limited,

Network Solutions Limited and Network Solutions (Northern) Limited on 9th July 1999

On 9th July 1999 the 22 shares held by the J. Beckett FURBS were transferred to the Surrey Design Partnership Limited Pension Scheme.

# YEAR 2000 ISSUES

The directors have considered the risks and uncertainties associated with the year 2000 problem. During the year the companies within the group have taken steps to ensure that their internal computer systems are millennium compliant.

The directors have also assessed the possibility of year 2000 related failures in significant suppliers, all of whom have indicated that they are already dealing with the problem. Whilst it is impossible to guarantee that no year 2000 problems will remain, the directors are confident that the companies within the group will be able to deal promptly with any failures that may occur.

# DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at the end of the year and of the profit or loss for the year then ended.

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

THE DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES (CONTINUED)

In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to select suitable accounting policies, as described on page 7, and then apply them on a consistent basis, making judgements and estimates that are prudent and reasonable. The directors must also prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. The directors are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

# AUDITORS

A resolution to re-appoint Ashford Read as auditors for the ensuing year will be proposed at the annual general meeting in accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

# SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

Registered office:
12 Acorn Business Centre
Northarbour Road
Cosham
Portsmouth
Hampshire
PO6 3TH

Signed by order of the directors

/s/ A. P. Cowler

MR A. P. COWLER
Company Secretary

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 9 which have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999), under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 7.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTORS AND THE AUDITORS

As described on pages 2 to 3, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

# BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

# OPINION

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's state of affairs as at 31st January 1999 and of its loss for the year then ended, and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

/s/ Ashford Read

40 Alexandra Road Freemantle Southampton Hampshire SO15 5DG

Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors

12 AUG 1999

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

<TABLE>

		L	L
<s> TURNOVER</s>	<c></c>	<c> -</c>	<c> -</c>
Administrative expenses		(697) 	(560) 
OPERATING LOSS	3	(697)	(560)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities			
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		(697)	(560)
Balance brought forward		(560) 	
Balance carried forward		(1,257) 	(560) 

  |  |  |The notes on pages 7 to 9 form part of these financial statements.

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# NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

BALANCE SHEET

31st JANUARY 1999

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	Note		1999	1	998
		$oldsymbol{L}$	$oldsymbol{L}$	L	$oldsymbol{L}$
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
FIXED ASSETS					
Investments	4		10,100		10,100
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due					
within one year	5		(11, 257)		(10,560)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABIT	LITIES		(1,157)		(460)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called-up equity share capital	9		100		100
Profit and loss account			(1,257)		(560)
DEFICIENCY			(1, 157)		(460)

# </TABLE>

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the specialprovisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999).

These financial statements were approved by the directors on the  $12\ \text{AUGUST}$ 1999, and are signed on their behalf by:

/s/ A. P. Cowler

MR A. P. COWLER

# NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999).

### CONSOLIDATION

In the opinion of the directors, the company and its subsidiary undertakings comprise a small group. The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemption provided by Section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts.

# DEFERRED TAXATION

Provision is made, under the liability method, to take account of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for accounts purposes and their treatment for tax purposes. Tax deferred or accelerated is accounted for in respect of all material timing differences to the extent that it is considered that a net liability may arise.

# 2. GOING CONCERN

At the balance sheet date the combined liabilities of the group exceeded its assets by L242,750. The day to day operation of the group is dependent upon support from its directors, associated companies, bankers and trade creditors. The support of the directors and associated companies has been confirmed for the foreseeable future. Subsequent to the year end increased banking facilities have been arranged by the principal trading subsidiary and significant measures have been taken to ensure improved management control and trading performance. These steps, together with the assumed continued support of the trade creditors, provide the directors with the opinion that it is appropriate to prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis.

# 3. OPERATING LOSS

Operating loss is stated after charging:

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	1999	1998
	$oldsymbol{L}$	$oldsymbol{L}$
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Directors' emoluments	_	_
Auditors' fees	650	550

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# 4. INVESTMENTS

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<s> COST</s>	<c></c>
At 1st February 1998 and 31st January 1999	10,100
NET BOOK VALUE At 31st January 1999	10,100

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Under the provision of section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 the company is exempt from preparing consolidated accounts and has not done so, therefore the accounts show information about the company as an individual entity.

The company has investments at par in two subsidiary companies as follows:

NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED (company number 3134838)

100 ordinary shares of L1 each (100%); Nil ordinary "A" shares of L1 each (0%)

Capital and reserves deficiency at balance sheet date: L212,745

Retained loss for the year: L173,415

NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED (company number 3294807)

10,000 ordinary shares of L1 each (100%)

Capital and reserves deficiency at balance sheet date: L28,848

Retained profit for the year: L10,988

### 5. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

# <TABLE> <CAPTION>

	1999	1998
	L	L
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Bank loans and overdrafts	44	2
Amounts owned to group undertakings	<i>563</i>	8
Other creditors including:		
Other creditors	10,000	10,000
Accruals and deferred income	650	550
	11,257	10,560

# </TABLE>

# CONTINGENCIES

A subsidiary, Network Solutions Limited, paid interim dividends of L35,600 (1998 - L42,000) to the holders of the Ordinary "A" shares in excess of distributable reserves. In the event of a winding up these dividends would be repayable to the subsidiary.

Full details of this matter are disclosed within the financial statements of Network Solutions Limited.

### TRANSACTIONS WITH THE DIRECTORS 7.

Two directors had overdrawn loan accounts with Network Solutions Limited at the balance sheet date. The closing balances (and maximum amount

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1999

# 8. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The company was under the control of the directors (Mr. A. P. Cowler, Mr. W. Bridgen, Mr. S. Sutton and Mr. J. C. Beckett) throughout the year. The four directors are also the sole directors of both subsidiary companies, Network Solutions Limited and Network Solutions (Northern) Limited.

At the balance sheet date L563 (1998 - L8) was owed by the company to Network Solutions Limited.

Mr. A. P. Cowler is a director of and has a controlling interest in The Surrey Design Partnership Limited. At the balance sheet date the company owed L10,000 (1998 - L10,000) to The Surrey Design Partnership Limited. This amount is shown under "Creditors: amounts falling due within one year".

Detailed disclosure of all related party transactions are made in the individual financial statements of each subsidiary.

# 9. SHARE CAPITAL

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AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL:

	1999	1998
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
	L	$oldsymbol{L}$
10,000 Ordinary shares of L1 each	100,000	100,000
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ALLOTTED, CALLED UP AND FULLY PAID:		
	1999	1998
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
	L	L
Ordinary share capital	100	100

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

NETWORK :	SOLUTIONS	GROUP	LIMITED
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DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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	1999	1998
	L	L
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
TURNOVER	-	-
OVERHEADS		
Administrative expenses	697	560
LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES	(697)	(560)

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS GROUP LIMITED

NOTES TO THE DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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	19	999	1	998
	L	L	L	L
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES				
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
GENERAL EXPENSES:				
Sundry expenses	15		-	•
Auditors remuneration	650		550	)
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		665		550
FINANCIAL COSTS:				
Bank charges		32		10
		697	1	560
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# COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER 3294807

# NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

The directors present their report and the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31st January 1999.

# PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company during the year was computer network installations.

THE DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS IN SHARES OF THE COMPANY

The directors who served the company during the year were as follows:

Mr A.P. Cowler Mr W. Bridgen Mr S. Sutton

Mr J.C. Beckett (Appointed 2 Jun 98)
Mr I.C. Cocks (Retired 2 Jun 98)

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary and the interests of group directors are disclosed in the accounts of the parent company.

Mr J. C. Beckett resigned as a director of Network Solutions Group Limited, Network Solutions Limited and Network Solutions (Northern) Limited on 9th July 1999.

# YEAR 2000 ISSUES

The directors have considered the risks and uncertainties associated with the year 2000 problem. During the year the company has taken steps to ensure that its internal computer systems are millennium compliant.

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# DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

THE DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# **AUDITORS**

A resolution to re-appoint Ashford Read as auditors for the ensuing year will be proposed at the annual general meeting in accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

# SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS

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Signed by order of the directors

/s/ A. P. Cowler

MR A. P. COWLER Company Secretary

Approved by the directors on 12 AUG 1999

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 10 which have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999), under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 7.

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# OPINION

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's state of affairs as at 31st January 1999 and of its profit for the year then ended, and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

/s/ Ashford Read

40 Alexandra Road Freemantle Southampton Hampshire SO15 5DG

Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors

12 AUG 1999

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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	Note	1999 L	1998 L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
TURNOVER		681,504	546,049
Cost of sales		(551,023)	(443,831)
GROSS PROFIT		130,481	102,218
Distribution costs		(13,006)	(21, 486)
Administrative expenses		(104, 231)	(130, 453)
Other operating income		344	-
OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)	3	13,588	(49, 721)
Interest payable and similar charges		(2,600)	(115)
PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES		10,998	(49,836)

# BEFORE TAXATION

Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities	_	_
RETAINED PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR	10,988	(49, 836)
Balance brought forward	(49,836)	
Balance carried forward	(38,848)	(49, 836)

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The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements.

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# NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

BALANCE SHEET

31st JANUARY 1999

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CAF 110N>	Note	1:	999	19	99
		L	L	L	L
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	4		3,711		5,725
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		_		2,364	
Debtors	5	100,705		133,666	
Cash at bank and in hand		82			
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due					
within one year	6	(133, 346) 		(181,591) 	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(32,559) 		(45,561) 
			(00.040)		(20, 026)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABIL	ITIES		(28, 848) 		(39, 836) 
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called-up equity share capital	9		10,000		10,000
Profit and loss account			(38,848)		(49, 836)
DEFICIENCY			(28,848)		(39, 836)
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# </TABLE>

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999).

These financial statements were approved by the directors on the 12 AUGUST 1999, and are signed on their behalf by:

/s/ A.P. Cowler

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The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements.

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# NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999).

### TURNOVER

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax.

### DEPRECIATION

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

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Fixtures & Fittings Equipment 15% reducing balance basis33% reducing balance basis

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# STOCKS

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

# OPERATING LEASE AGREEMENTS

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits as incurred.

# DEFERRED TAXATION

Provision is made, under the liability method, to take account of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for accounts purposes and their treatment for tax purposes. Tax deferred or accelerated is accounted for in respect of all material timing differences to the extent that it is considered that a net liability may arise.

# 2. GOING CONCERN

At the balance sheet date the company's liabilities exceeded its assets by L28,848. The day to day operation of the company is dependent upon support from its directors, associated companies, bankers and trade creditors. The support of the directors and associated companies has been confirmed for the foreseeable future. Subsequent to the year end the company has taken significant measures to ensure improved management control and trading performance. These steps, together with the assumed continued support of the company's bankers and trade creditors, provide the directors with the opinion that it is appropriate to prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis.

# YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# 3. OPERATING PROFIT/LOSS

Operating profit/(loss) is stated after charging/(crediting):

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	1999	1998
	$oldsymbol{L}$	L
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Directors' emoluments	_	-
Depreciation	1,380	1,011
Profit on disposal of fixed assets	(344)	-
Auditors' fees	1,200	1,050

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# 4. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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	FIXTURES & FITTINGS	EQUIPMENT	TOTAL
	L	L	L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
COST			
At 1st February 1998	1,025	5,711	6,736
Additions	7 <i>95</i>	3,425	4,220
Disposals	<del>-</del>	(5, 711) 	(5,711)
At 31st January 1999	1,820	3,425	5,245
DEPRECIATION			
At 1st February 1998	154	857	1,011
Charge for the year	250	1,130	1,380
On disposals	-	(857) 	(857)
At 31st January 1999	404	1,130	1,534
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31st January 1999	1,416	2,295 	3,711 
At 31st January 1998	871 	4,854 	5,725 

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# 5. DEBTORS

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Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income	1,375 7,092	1,375 2,380
Prepayments and accrued income	7,092	2,380
	100,705	135,666

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# NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

6. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year <TABLE> <CAPTION>

	1999		1998	
	L	L	L	L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Bank loans and overdrafts		3,506		8,158
Trade creditors		50,135		110,916
Amounts owed to group undertakings		69,364		38,501
Other creditors including:				
PAYE and social security	3,696		10,844	
VAT	3,390		5,688	
		7,086		16,532
Accruals and deferred income		3,255		7,484
	133,346		181,591	

# </TABLE>

# 7. COMMITMENTS UNDER OPERATING LEASES

At 31st January 1999 the company had aggregate annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as set out below.

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	1999	1998
	L	L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Operating leases which expire:		
Within 1 year	12,116	5,500
Within 2 to 5 years	5,083	10,925
	17,199	16,425

# </TABLE>

# 8. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The company was under the control of the directors (Mr. A. P. Cowler, Mr. W. Bridgen, Mr. S. Sutton and Mr. J. C. Beckett) and Network Solutions Group Limited throughout the year. The four directors are also the sole directors of Network Solutions Group Limited as well as Network Solutions Limited.

During the year the company purchased goods and services from Network Solutions Limited amounting to L130,161 (1998 - L1,890). During the year the company also sold goods and services to Network Solutions Limited amounting to L640 (1998 - L291). At the balance sheet date the company owed Network Solutions Limited L69,364 (1998 - L38,509).

- Mr. A. P. Cowler is a director of and has a controlling interest in The Surrey Design Partnership Limited. During the year the company made sales to The Surrey Design Partnership Limited of LNil (1998 L530). There were no trading balances outstanding between the companies at the balance sheet date.
- Mr. I. C. Cocks has a controlling interest in Taylor Cocks (formerly Cocks & Co.). During the year the company acquired services from Taylor Cocks amounting to Lnil (1998 L10,252). During the year the company

also sold goods to Taylor Cocks amounting to Lnil (1998 - L2,423). There were no trading balances outstanding between the companies at the balance sheet date.

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# 9. SHARE CAPITAL

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AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL:

	1999	1998
	L	L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>
100,000 Ordinary shares of L1 each	100,000	100,000
ALLOTTED, CALLED UP AND FULLY PAID:		
	1999	1998
	L	$oldsymbol{L}$
Ordinary share capital brought forward	10,000	-
Issue of ordinary shares	_	10,000
	10,000	10,000

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# 10. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

The ultimate parent company is Network Solutions Group Limited - a company incorporated within the  $\it UK$ .

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	199	99	19.	98
	L	L	L	L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
TURNOVER		681,504		546,049
COST OF SALES				
Opening WIP	2,364		-	
Purchases	486,835		396,512	
Direct wages	61,824		49,683	
	551,023		446,195	
Closing WIP			(2,364)	
		551,023		443,831
GROSS PROFIT		130,481		102,218
OVERHEADS				
Distribution costs	13,006		21,486	
Administrative expenses	104,231		130,453	
		(117, 237)		(151, 939)
		13,244		(49, 721)
OTHER OPERATING INCOME		·		
Profit on disposal of fixed assets		344		-
OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)		13,588		(49, 721)
Interest payable and similar charges		(2,600)		(115)
PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES		10,988		(49,836)

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# NETWORK SOLUTIONS (NORTHERN) LIMITED

NOTES TO THE DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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	19	199	19	98
	L	L	L	L
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
DISTRIBUTION COSTS				
Freight and carriage		307		528
Vehicle hire		12,699		20,958
		13,006		21,486
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES				
PERSONNEL COSTS:				
Administrative staff salaries		42,365		84,422
ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES:				
Rent and services	5,467		6,591	
Rates and water	1,650		2,974	
Insurance	<i>526</i>		<i>393</i>	
Repairs and maintenance	224		369	
		7,867		10,327

GENERAL EXPENSES:				
Motor expenses	5,574		5,703	
Travel and subsistence	629		1,189	
Telephone	6,975		10,765	
Printing, postage, stationery and	978		1,830	
advertising				
Management services charge	20,000		-	
Staff recruitment	936		-	
Sundry expenses	<i>75</i>		596	
Entertaining	267		824	
Legal and professional fees	125		1,714	
Accountancy fees	5,959		10,598	
Auditors remuneration	1,200		1,050	
Depreciation	1,380		1,011	
		44,098		35,280
FINANCIAL COSTS:				
Bad debts written off	8,256		_	
Bank charges	1,645		424	
		9,901		424
		104,231		130,453
INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES	•			
Bank interest payable	•	175		75
Interest on overdue tax		2,425		40
Interest on overdue tax				
		2,600		115

# NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

ASHFORD READ

Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors

40 Alexandra Road Freemantle

> Southampton Hampshire SO15 5DG

NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

OFFICERS AND PROFESSIONAL ADVISERS

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THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS Mr A.P. Cowler Mr W. Bridgen

Mr S.P. Sutton

COMPANY SECRETARY Mr A.P. Cowler

REGISTERED OFFICE 104 Mytchett Road

Mytchett Camberley Surrey GU16 6ET

AUDITORS Ashford Read

Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors 40 Alexandra Road Freemantle Southampton Hampshire SO15 5DG

BANKERS Barclays Bank Plc

Soho Square Business Centre

8-9 Hanover Square

London W1A 4ZW

SOLICITORS Gurney-Champion & Co

12 Edinburgh Road

Portsmouth Hampshire PO1 1DJ

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

The directors present their report and the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31st January 1999.

### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company during the year was computer network installations.

THE DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS IN SHARES OF THE COMPANY

The directors who served the company during the year were as follows:

Mr A.P. Cowler Mr W. Bridgen Mr S.P. Sutton

Mr J.C. Beckett (Appointed 2 Jun 98)
Mr I.C. Cocks (Retired 2 Jun 98)

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary and the interests of group directors are disclosed in the accounts of the parent company.

Mr J. C. Beckett resigned as a director of Network Solutions Group Limited, Network Solutions Limited and Network Solutions (Northern) Limited on 9th July 1999.

# YEAR 2000 ISSUES

The directors have considered the risks and uncertainties associated with the year 2000 problem. During the year the company has taken steps to ensure that its internal computer systems are millennium compliant.

The directors have also assessed the possibility of year 2000 related failures in significant suppliers, all of whom have indicated that they are already dealing with the problem. Whilst it is impossible to guarantee that no year 2000 problems will remain, the directors are confident that the company will be able to deal promptly with any failures that may occur.

# DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at the end of the year and of the profit or loss for the year then ended.

In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to select suitable accounting policies, as described on page 7, and then apply them on a

consistent basis, making judgements and estimates that are prudent and reasonable. The directors must also prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

THE DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES (CONTINUED)

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. The directors are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

### **AUDITORS**

A resolution to re-appoint Ashford Read as auditors for the ensuing year will be proposed at the annual general meeting in accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

# SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

Registered Office: 104 Mytchett Road Mytchett Camberley Signed by order of the directors

Mytchett Camberley Surrey GU16 6ET

/s/ A.P. Cowler MR A.P. COWLER Company Secretary

Approved by the directors on 12 AUGUST 1999

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 14 which have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999), under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 7.

# RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTORS AND THE AUDITORS

As described on pages 2 to 3, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

# BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Section 263 of the Companies Act 1989 states that a distribution shall not be made except out of profits available for the purpose. The dividends of L35,600 include dividends that were paid at a time when the company had net realised losses and as a consequence they may have been paid illegally. If so, under s277 of the Companies Act 1989 any member who knew, or had reasonable grounds for believing that the dividend was illegal is liable to repay the amount they received to the company.

Our opinion on the financial statements is not qualified in respect of this matter.

### OPINION

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's state of affairs as at 31st January 1999 and of its loss for the year then ended, and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

40 Alexandra Road Freemantle Southampton Hampshire SO15 5DG /s/ Ashford Read Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors

12 Aug. 1999

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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				Perio	d from
		Υe	ear to	1 Jan	97 to
	Note	31	Jan 99	31 J	Tan 98
		L	L	L	L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
TURNOVER			1,031,326		884,623
Cost of sales			(863, 187)		(685, 432)
GROSS PROFIT			168,139		199,191
Distribution costs			(63, 526)		(38, 640)
Administrative expenses			(213, 724)		(156, 187)
OPERATING (LOSS)/PROFIT	3		(109,111)		4,364
Interest receivable	4		17		-
Interest payable and			(7, 951)		(2, 764)
similar charges					
(LOSS)/PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION			(117, 045)		1,600

Tax on (loss)/profit on ordinary activies	5	(20, 770)	(1,759)
LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES AFTER TAXATION		(137, 815)	(159)
Dividends (including non- equity)	6	(35, 600)	(42,000)
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		(173, 415)	(42, 159)
Balance brought forward		(39, 450)	2,709
Balance carried forward		(212, 865)	(39, 450)

# </TABLE>

The notes on pages 7 to 14 form part of these financial statements.

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# NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

BALANCE SHEET

31st JANUARY 1999

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	Note	1999	•	1998	3
		L	L	$oldsymbol{L}$	L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	7		29,056		26,003
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks	8	47,609		22,764	
Debtors	9	321,964		159,094	
Cash at bank and in hand		33,409		23,078	
		402,982		204,936	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due					
within one year	10	(643,116)		(258, 602)	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(240, 134)		(53, 666)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			(211,078)		(27, 633)
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due					
after more than one year	11		(1,667)		(11,667)
			(212, 745)		(39, 330)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called-up equity share capital	16		120		120
Profit and loss account	17		(212, 865)		(39, 450)
DEFICIENCY			(212, 745)		(39, 330)
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These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 and

with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999).

These financial statements were approved by the directors on the 12 AUGUST 1999 and are signed on their behalf by:

/s/ A.P. COWLER

MR A.P. COWLER

The notes on pages 7 to 14 form part of these financial statements.

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

# BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective March 1999).

### TURNOVER

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax.

### DEPRECTATION

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

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Fixtures & Fittings - 15% reducing balance basis
Office Equipment - 33% reducing balance basis
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# STOCKS

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

# WORK IN PROGRESS

Work in progress is valued on the basis of direct costs plus attributable overheads based on normal level of activity. Provision is made for any foreseeable losses where appropriate. No element of profit is included in the valuation of work in progress.

# OPERATING LEASE AGREEMENTS

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits as incurred.

# DEFERRED TAXATION

Provision is made, under the liability method, to take account of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for accounts purposes and their treatment for tax purposes. Tax deferred or accelerated is accounted for in respect of all material timing differences to the extent that it is considered that a net liability may arise.

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### 2. GOING CONCERN

At the balance sheet date the company's liabilities exceeded its assets by L212,745. The day to day operation of the company is dependent upon support from its directors, associated companies, bankers and trade creditors. The support of the directors and associated companies has been confirmed for the foreseeable future. Subsequent to the year end the company has arranged increased banking facilities and has taken significant measures to ensure improved management control and trading performance. These steps, together with the assumed continued support of the trade creditors, provide the directors with the opinion that it is appropriate to prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis.

# 3. OPERATING LOSS/PROFIT

Operating (loss)/profit is stated after charging/(crediting):

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	Year to	1 Jan 97 to
	31 Jan 99	31 Jan 98
	L	L
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Directors' emoluments	23,807	28,688
Depreciation	12,769	4,589
(Profit)/Loss on disposal of fixed assets	(753)	298
Auditors' fees	1,500	1,500

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# 4. INTEREST RECEIVABLE

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# 5. TAX ON LOSS/PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

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Period from
Year to 1 Jan 97 to
31 Jan 99 31 Jan 98

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In respect of the year:

Corporation tax based on the results for the year at 21% (1998 - 24/21%) Irrecoverable A.C.T. written off

- 1,759 22,304 -

Period from

22,304 1,759

Adjustment in respect of previous years:

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# 6. DIVIDENDS

The following dividends have been paid in respect of the year:

<TABLE> <CAPTION>

	Year to 31 Jan 99 L	Period from 1 Jan 97 to 31 Jan 98 L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Dividends paid on non-equity shares	35,600 	42,000 

# </TABLE>

Dividends paid are in respect of the Ordinary "A" Shares. These share are non-equity shares.

Interim dividends of L35,600 (1998-L42,000) paid to holders of the Ordinary "A" shares were in excess of distributable reserves contrary to Section 263 of the Companies Act 1989.

Section 263 of the Companies Act 1989 states that a distribution shall not be made except out of profits available for the purpose. The dividends of L35,600 include dividends that were paid at a time when the company had net realised losses and as a consequence they may have been paid illegally. If so, under Section 277 of the Companies Act 1989 any member who knew, or had reasonable grounds for believing that the dividend was illegal is liable to repay the amount they received to the company.

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

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YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# 7. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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Fixtures &		
Fittings	Equipment	Total
$oldsymbol{L}$	$oldsymbol{L}$	$oldsymbol{L}$
<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
<i>5,366</i>	26,238	31,604
1,180	18,909	20,089
-	(5,020)	(5,020)
6,546	40,127	46,673
	Fittings L <c> 5,366 1,180 6,546</c>	Fittings Equipment L L <c></c>

**DEPRECIATION** 

At 1st February 1998	805	4,796	5,601
Charge for the year	861	11,908	12,769
On disposals	-	(753)	(753)
At 31st January 1999	1,666	15, 951	17,617
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31st January 1999	4,880	24,176	29,056
ne sise sandary issue			
At 31st January 1998	4,561	21,442	26,003
<u>-</u>			

8. STOCKS						
CAF 110N/	1999		1998			
	L		L			
Raw materials	25,810		22,764			
Work in progress	21,799		· -			
	47,609		22,764			
O DEDMORG						
9. DEBTORS						
	1999		1998			
	L		L			
Trade debtors	232,547		101,234			
Amounts owed by group	69,928		38,509			
undertakings						
Other debtors	2,698		-			
Directors current accounts	10,792		5,368			
ACT recoverable against future	-		8,749			
taxation	5 000		F 004			
Prepayments and accrued income	5,999		5,234			
	221 064		150.004			
	321,964		159,094			
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ACT recoverable is in debit to the extent of Lnil (1998-L8,749). This will not be recoverable until a mainstream liablility arises in the future.

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

10. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

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Other creditors including: Advance Corporation Tax	25,002		13,404	
Corporation tax	3,097		5,198	
PAYE and social security	25,915		10,285	
VAT	433		20,151	
Other Creditors	237,098		42,097	
		291,545		91,135
Accruals and deferred incom	e	32,641		18,762
		643,116		258,602

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The following liabilities disclosed under creditors falling due within one year are secured by the company:

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> 1999 1998 L <C> <C> <S> 10,000 10,000 Bank loans and overdrafts

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CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year

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1999 1998 L L <C> <S> Bank loans and overdrafts 1,667 11,667

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The following liabilities disclosed under creditors falling due after more than one year are secured by the company:

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> 1999 1998 <C> <S> Bank loans and overdrafts 1,667 11,667

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

# 12. COMMITMENTS UNDER OPERATING LEASES

At 31st January 1999 the company had aggregate annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as set out below.

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<pre><s> Operating leases which expire:</s></pre>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Within 1 year	15,530	_
Within 2 to 5 years	15, 983	27,091
	31,513	27,091

</TABLE>

### 13. CONTINGENCIES

The company paid interim dividends of L35,600 (1998 - L42,000) to the holders of the Ordinary "A" shares in excess of distributable reserves. In the event of a winding up these dividends would be repayable to the company.

### 14. TRANSACTIONS WITH THE DIRECTORS

Two directors had overdrawn loan accounts at the balance sheet date. The closing balances (and maximum amount outstanding during the year) were as follows: Mr. W. Bridgen L7,326 (L7,326); Mr. S. Sutton L3,383 (L3,383). These amounts are shown under "Debtors".

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NETWORK SOLUTIONS LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

### 15. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The company was under the control of the directors (Mr. A. P. Cowler, Mr. W. Bridgen, Mr. S. Sutton and Mr. J. C. Beckett) and Network Solutions Group Limited throughout the year. The four directors are also the sole directors of Network Solutions Group Limited as well as Network Solutions (Northern) Limited.

During the year the company sold goods and services to Network Solutions (Northern) Limited amounting to L130,161 (1998 - L1,890). During the year the company also purchased goods and services from Network Solutions (Northern) Limited amounting to L640 (1998 - L291). At the balance sheet date L69,364 (1998 - L38,509) was owed to the company by Network Solutions (Northern) Limited. The company was also owed L563 (1998 - L8) by Network Solutions Group Limited at the balance sheet date.

Mr. A. P. Cowler is a director of and has a controlling interest in The Surrey Design Partnership Limited. During the year the company purchased goods and services from The Surrey Design Partnership Limited amounting to L1,840 (1998 - L7,299). During the year the company also made sales to The Surrey Design Partnership Limited of LNil (1998 - L2,631). There were no trading balances outstanding between the companies at the balance sheet date.

The company also operates a loan account with The Surrey Design Partnership Limited. At the balance sheet date L237,098 is owing to The Surrey Design Partnership Limited. This amount is shown within "Creditors: amounts falling due within one year".

- Mr. J. C. Beckett is a director of and has a controlling interest in Total Data Communications Limited. During the year the company purchased goods and services from Total Data Communications Limited amounting to L71,891 (1998 L85,778). At the balance sheet date L26,080 was owing to Total Data Communications Limited.
- Mr. A. P. Cowler and Mr. I. C. Cocks are directors of Bastin Stone Enterprises Limited and have a controlling interest in the company. During the year the company purchased goods and services from Bastin Stone Enterprises Limited amounting to L8,009 (1998 L50). At the balance sheet date L8,664 was owing to Bastin Stone Enterprises Limited.

Mr. I. C. Cocks has a controlling interest in Taylor Cocks (formerly Cocks & Co.). During the year the company acquired services from Taylor Cocks amounting to L27,911 (1998 - L26,084). During the year the company also sold goods to Taylor Cocks amounting to L1,682 (1998 - L300). At the balance sheet date L22,419 was owing to Taylor Cocks.

# 16. SHARE CAPITAL

AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL:

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	1999	1998
	L	L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>
10,000 Ordinary shares of L1 each	10,000	10,000
100 Ordinary 'A' shares of L1 each	100	100
	10,100	10,100

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# 16. SHARE CAPITAL (CONTINUED)

ALLOTTED, CALLED UP AND FULLY PAID:

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	1	999	1	998
	No.	L	No.	$oldsymbol{L}$
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Ordinary shares	100	100	100	100
Ordinary 'A' shares	20	20	20	20
	120	120	120	120

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The Ordinary 'A' Shares do not receive voting rights and do not have a right to participate in a surplus in a winding up of the company as calculated by reference to the company's assets or profits.

# 17. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

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		Period from
	YEAR TO	1 Jan 97 to
	31 JAN 99	31 Jan 98
	L	L
<s></s>	<c></c>	<c></c>
Balance brought forward	(39, 450)	2,709
Retained loss for the financial year	(173, 415)	(42,159)
Balance carried forward	(212, 865)	(39, 450)

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# 18. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

The ultimate parent company is Network Solutions Group Limited – a company incorporated within the  ${\it UK}$ .

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MANAGEMENT INFORMATION

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DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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			Period	
		r to	1 Jan 9	
		an 99	31 Jan	
<\$>	L <c></c>	L <c></c>	L <c></c>	L <c></c>
TURNOVER	(0)	1,031,326	(0)	884,623
COST OF SALES	00 764		1 240	
Opening stock and WIP Purchases	22,764 545 146		1,348	
Direct wages (inc. sales commissions)	545,146 266,079		445,574 219,174	
Subcontract	41,300		42,100	
Research and development	35,507		42,100	
nescaren and development				
	910,796		708,196	
Closing stock and WIP	(47, 609)		(22, 764)	
		863,187		685,432
GROSS PROFIT		168,139		199,191
OVERHEADS				
Distribution costs	63,526		38,640	
Administrative expenses	213,724		156, 187	
		(277, 250)		(194, 827)
				(154,027)
OPERATING (LOSS)/PROFIT		(109, 111)		4,364
Bank interest receivable		17		-
		(109,094)		4,364
Interest payable and similar charges		(7, 951)		(2,764)
(LOCC) /PROFITE ON OPPINARY ACCULATION		(117, 045)		1 600
(LOSS) /PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES		(117,043)		1,600 

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# NOTES TO THE DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

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		Tan 99	31 Jan	
<\$>	L <c></c>	L <c></c>	L <c></c>	L <c></c>
DISTRIBUTION COSTS	\C>	\C>	102	\C>
Freight and carriage		5,627		1,383
Vehicle hire		33,007		35,304
Exhibition costs and advertising		24,892		1,953
		63,526		38,640
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES				
PERSONNEL COSTS:				
Directors salaries	23,807		28,688	
Directors NIC	1,680		4,208	
		25,487		32,896
ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES:				
Rent	10,421		10,009	
Rates and water	3,913		3,865	
Light and heat	1,475		1,315	
Insurance	13,302		7,543	
Repairs and maintenance	1,423		1,422	
		30,534		24,154
GENERAL EXPENSES:				
Motor expenses	25,224		22,280	
Travel and subsistence	14,291		6,888	
Telephone	30,186		19,746	
Internet and computer services	3,063		-	
Printing, stationery and postage	7,402		2,893	
Sundry expenses	2,191		2,940	
Laundry and cleaning	1,804		997	
Entertaining	3,822		4,083	
Legal and professional fees	6,862		2,957	
Accountancy fees	36,716		28,473	
Auditors remuneration	1,500		1,050	
Depreciation	12,769		4,589	
(Profit)/Loss on disposal of fixed assets	(753) 		298	
		145,077		97,194
FINANCIAL COSTS:		143,077		37,134
Bad debts written off	10,336		_	
Bank charges	2,290		1,943	
Bank Charges				
		12,626		1,943
		213,724		156,187
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NOTES TO THE DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY 1999

	Year to	Period from 1 Jan 97 to
	31 Jan 99	31 Jan 98
	L	L
<\$>	<c></c>	<c></c>
INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES		
Bank interest payable	540	157
Interest on other loans	2,872	2,495
Interest on overdue tax	4,593	112
	7, 951	2,764
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