

CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

for the year ended 31st March 2009

	Notes	2009 £ million	2008 £ million
Revenue	1,2	7,847.8	7,498.7
Cost of sales		(7,324.3)	(7,006.7)
Gross profit		523.5	492.0
Distribution costs		(101.2)	(89.2)
Administrative expenses		(123.8)	(106.0)
Restructuring charge	3	(9.4)	-
Amortisation of acquired intangibles	4	(9.1)	(3.1)
Operating profit	1,6	280.0	293.7
Finance costs	7	(43.3)	(39.9)
Finance income	8	10.7	9.6
Share of profit / (loss) of associate	19	2.0	(1.1)
Profit before tax		249.4	262.3
Income tax expense	9	(76.7)	(77.2)
Profit for the year from continuing operations		172.7	185.1
Profit for the year from discontinued operations	41	1.2	0.3
Profit for the year		173.9	185.4
Attributable to:			
Equity holders of the parent company		174.1	186.2
Minority interests	35	(0.2)	(0.8)
		173.9	185.4
		pence	pence
Earnings per ordinary share attributable to the equity holders of the parent company			
Continuing operations			
Basic	11	82.0	88.3
Diluted	11	81.5	86.9
Total			
Basic	11	82.6	88.5
Diluted	11	82.1	87.1

The notes on pages 65 to 105 form an integral part of the accounts.