

STATISTICAL TABLES ON COMPANIES REGISTER ACTIVITIES 2006-2007

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Please note: Many of these tables include rounded figures, rounding differences may therefore occur. **Section A - ANALYSIS OF THE COMPANIES REGISTER**

Table A1: Summary of changes in the number of companies on the register 2002-03 to 2006-07

					Thousands
	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Great Britain					_
On register at start of period	1,658.2	1,804.1	2,016.7	2,160.2	2,323.1
New companies Incorporated	325.9	390.2	333.7	372.0	449.7
Dissolved	182.0	179.0	191.5	212.1	225.4
Restored to the register	2.0	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4
On register at end of period	1,804.1	2,016.7	2,160.2	2,323.1	2,546.2
Of which: in liquidation	70.3	69.6	67.7	66.9	66.5
in course of removal	94.1	104.3	112.2	126.0	138.2
Effective numbers on register at end of					
period	1,639.7	1,842.8	1,980.3	2,130.2	2,341.5
England and Wales	4 = 00 4	. =====			0.400.0
On register at start of period	1,569.4	1,706.6	1,908.7	2,044.4	2,198.9
New companies Incorporated	308.8	371.4	317.3	354.4	429.7
Dissolved	173.6	170.6	182.7	202.8	214.5
Restored to the register	1.9	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3
On register at end of period	1,706.6	1,908.7	2,044.4	2,198.9	2,412.9
Change on previous year	8.7%	11.8%	7.1%	7.6%	9.7%
Of which: in liquidation	67.1	66.5	64.7	63.9	63.2
in course of removal	89.1	98.4	105.8	118.0	130.2
Effective numbers on register at end of					
period	1,550.4	1,743.8	1,873.9	2,017.0	2,219.5
Change on previous year	9.9%	12.5%	7.5%	7.6%	10.0%
Scotland			400.0		4040
On register at start of period	88.8	97.5	108.0	115.7	124.2
New companies Incorporated	17.1	18.8	16.4	17.6	20.0
Dissolved	8.4	8.4	8.8	9.3	10.9
Restored to the register	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
On register at end of period	97.5	108.0	115.7	124.2	133.3
Change on previous year	9.8%	10.8%	7.1%	7.3%	7.3%
Of which: in liquidation	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.3
in course of removal	5.0	5.9	6.4	8.0	8.0
Effective numbers on register at end of					
period	89.3	99.0	106.2	113.2	121.9
Change on previous year	10.5%	10.9%	7.3%	6.6%	7.7%

 Table A2 : Public and private companies incorporated and on the GB register 2002-03 to 2006-07

					Thousands
	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Public Companies					
New incorporations	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.0
Conversions from private	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.6
Dissolved	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6
In liquidation / course of removal	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4
Effective number on register at end of period	11.8	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.2
Public companies as percentage of effective register	0.7%	0.6%	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%
Private Companies					
New incorporations	325.2	388.4	332.7	370.8	448.7
Conversions from public	4.6	4.8	5.2	5.5	5.8
Dissolved	181.2	177.8	190.9	211.5	224.8
In liquidation / course of removal	162.7	172.3	178.5	191.6	203.4
Effective number on register at end of					
period	1,627.9	1,831.1	1,968.5	2,118.7	2,330.1
Of which: Unlimited	4.6	4.9	5.3	5.3	5.4
GB total of effective numbers					
of public & private companies	1,639.7	1,842.8	1,980.1	2,130.2	2,341.3

Table A3: Analysis of companies on register at 31 March 2007 by region of registered office and period of incorporation

Thousands of companies

Region of		Period	d of incorpo	oration				Companies
registered	Up to	1970 to	1980 to	1990 to	2000 to	Total	%age of	per 1000
office	1969	1979	1989	1999	Mar-07		GB total	population*
North	2.1	1.7	4.0	9.9	39.5	57.2	2.2	18.6
Yorkshire & Humberside	7.7	5.4	11.9	28.4	125.7	179.2	7.0	35.8
East Midlands	5.1	3.9	8.6	21.7	79.4	118.6	4.7	29.3
East Anglia	3.4	2.7	6.1	15.1	49.1	76.3	3.0	36.6
Greater London	23.6	18.3	47.2	119.4	454.1	662.6	26.0	96.1
Rest of South East	17.6	15.4	38.6	106.4	406.7	584.7	23.0	54.3
South West	6.1	5.7	15.3	36.6	128.1	191.7	7.5	40.3
West Midlands	8.3	6.3	13.9	33.4	144.4	206.3	8.1	92.0
North West	8.6	6.7	15.4	40.0	197.1	267.9	10.5	41.7
Wales	2.1	1.9	4.5	11.4	48.5	68.5	2.7	23.6
Scotland	4.8	3.6	9.4	25.2	90.2	133.3	5.2	26.0
Great Britain	89.5	71.5	174.9	447.5	1762.8	2546.2	100.0	45.1

^{*}Resident population at mid-1992

Table A4: Analysis of companies on the register by period of incorporation

Thousands of companies %ages of incorporations in period

On register at 31 March 2007

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^{*}To March 31

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⁻ Fewer than 50 companies

Table A5: Percentage of companies on the register at 31 March 2007 by age since incorporation

	age of co	ompanies es were	All c	ompanies	In liqu course dissol		Effecti	ve register
inc	orporated	l in the last	0.5	years	1.3	years	0.4	years
20%	II .	II .	1.1	years	1.6	years	1.0	years
30%	II .	II .	1.9	years	2.4	years	1.8	years
40%	II .	II .	2.8	years	3.3	years	2.8	years
50%	"	II .	3.8	years	4.1	years	3.8	years
60%	ıı	n	5.0	years	5.5	years	5.0	years
70%	II .	II .	7.4	years	7.9	years	7.4	years
80%	"	II .	11.3	years	12.6	years	11.2	years
90%	II .	II .	20.7	years	22.1	years	20.6	years
Average	Age		8.1	years	8.7	years	8.1	years
Number	of Comp	anies (000s)	2,546.2		204.7		2,341.4	

Table A6 : Companies on the register at 31 March 2007: Analysis of Accounting Reference Date (ARD) by period of incorporation

					Thousan	ds of companie	S
			Period of	incorpo	ration	_	
		1970	1980	1990	2000		
Month	Up to	to	to	to	to	Jan 06 to	
of ARD	1969	1979	1989	1999	2005	March 07	Total
January	3.6	2.7	5.1	16.8	56.6	59.8	144.6
February	2.3	2.0	3.7	15.4	54.7	80.4	158.4
March	21.3	16.9	57.4	97.6	249.7	131.2	574.0
April	6.7	5.0	10.8	36.4	93.4	30.7	183.0
May	2.7	2.9	6.2	22.7	72.1	28.0	134.5
June	6.5	5.6	12.8	35.9	91.1	28.9	180.8
July	2.5	2.7	6.0	24.2	81.4	25.9	142.7
August	2.6	2.8	6.3	22.9	79.1	27.2	140.9
September	7.2	6.1	13.2	35.1	98.7	29.5	189.8
October	3.1	3.2	6.6	23.8	83.2	32.6	152.5
November	1.8	1.9	3.9	18.2	75.6	30.5	131.9
December	29.2	19.7	42.9	98.6	174.4	48.2	413.1
Total	89.5	71.5	174.9	447.5	1,209.9	552.9	2,546.2

Table A7: Analysis of companies on the register at 31 March 2007 by issued share capital

-	Eng	land &				
	Wales		Sco	otland	Gre	eat Britain
	No. of	Issued	No. of	Issued	No. of	Issued
	companies	capital	companies	capital	companies	capital
Issued share capital	000s	£m	000s	£m	000s	£m
No issued share capital	83.3	0.0	5.5	0.0	88.8	0.0
Up to £100	1,826.6	59.3	95.1	3.1	1,921.7	62.3
Over £100 & under £1,000	104.1	34.3	4.6	1.5	108.7	35.8
£1,000 & under £5,000	181.9	236.5	9.3	12.9	191.2	249.4
£5,000 & under £10,000	24.7	155.1	2.1	13.0	26.8	168.1
£10,000 & under £20,000	40.5	470.1	3.6	43.1	44.1	513.1
£20,000 & under £50,000	32.2	945.2	3.6	105.4	35.8	1,050.6
£50,000 & under £100,000	30.1	1,853.4	2.6	168.8	32.8	2,022.2
£100,000 & under £200,000	24.6	3,039.6	2.3	291.8	27.0	3,331.4
£200,000 & under £500,000	20.0	6,009.1	1.7	515.5	21.7	6,524.7
£500,000 & under £1m	11.3	7,451.7	0.9	604.0	12.2	8,055.7
£1m & over	33.6	3,725,921.7	1.9	92,061.6	35.5	3,817,983.3
Total	2,412.9	3,746,175.9	133.3	93,820.7	2,546.2	3,839,996.6

Table B1 : New Incorporations of companies with share capital analysed by amount of nominal capital, 2002-03 to 2006-07

Nominal share capital	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
England and Wales					
Up to £100	89.8	135.5	112.8	128.1	143.7
Over £100 & under £1,000	2.2	2.4	3.0	4.9	8.0
£1,000 & under £5,000	166.6	180.8	154.1	174.4	227.7
£5,000 & under £10,000	1.2	1.2	1.7	1.6	1.7
£10,000 & under £20,000	17.1	17.7	14.2	14.2	14.5
£20,000 & under £50,000	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.2
£50,000 & under £100,000	2.8	2.9	2.4	2.5	2.4
£100,000 & under £200,000	13.0	13.2	10.6	10.5	10.7
£200,000 & under £500,000	1.4	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.1
£500,000 & under £1m	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3
£1m & over	5.6	5.8	6.4	6.2	7.1
Companies with share capital	302.6	363.9	309.0	346.0	419.5
Companies without share					
capital	6.2	7.5	8.4	8.4	10.3
Scotland					
Up to £100	5.9	6.6	5.6	5.9	7.3
Over £100 & under £1,000	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
£1,000 & under £5,000	6.4	7.4	6.8	7.8	8.8
£5,000 & under £10,000	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
£10,000 & under £20,000	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.2	1.2
£20,000 & under £50,000	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
£50,000 & under £100,000	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2
£100,000 & under £200,000	1.5	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.1
£200,000 & under £500,000	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
£500,000 & under £1m	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.6
Companies with share capital	16.6	18.4	15.9	17.0	19.5
Companies without share capital	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4

⁻ Fewer than 50 companies Nominal Share Capital includes sterling equivalent of foreign currency

Table B2: Analysis of companies incorporated in 2006-07 by issued share capital at 31 March 2007

	England	& Wales	Scotlar	nd	Great B	ritain
	No. of companies	Issued capital	No. of companies	Issued capital	No. of companies	Issued capital
Issued share capital	000s	£m	000s	£m	000s	£m
No issued share capital	10.3	0.0	0.4	0.0	10.7	0.0
Up to £100	372.9	8.5	17.5	0.4	390.4	9.0
Over £100 & under £1,000	12.1	3.8	0.5	0.2	12.6	4.0
£1,000 & under £5,000	26.8	28.7	1.2	1.3	28.0	30.1
£5,000 & under £10,000	0.7	4.4	0.0	0.3	0.8	4.6
£10,000 & under £20,000	1.8	19.4	0.1	0.7	1.9	20.1
£20,000 & under £50,000	0.8	21.5	0.0	1.2	0.8	22.7
£50,000 & under £100,000	1.0	57.4	-	1.5	1.0	58.9
£100,000 & over	2.3	56,673.3	0.1	838.2	2.4	57,511.5
Total	428.7	56,817.1	19.9	843.8	448.6	57,660.8

⁻ Fewer than 50 companies

Table B3 : Companies incorporated in 2006-07 with an issued capital of £50 million and over

	£ Million Nominal Capital	£ Million Issued Capital
ABC DIGITAL LIMITED	770	770
ABN AMRO INVESTMENTS (UK) LIMTED	510	510
ADVISORY SERVICES LIMITED	500	200
APAX SUMMER (BIDCO) LIMITED	80	74
APAX SUMMER (HOLDCO) LIMITED	60	51
APAX SUMMER (TOPCO) LIMITED ARENA LEISURE RACING LIMITED	66	51
AXA ADVISORY HOLDINGS LIMITED	50 500	50 414
BABCOCK (UK) HOLDINGS LIMITED	650	50
BAG AND CHOOS LIMITED	102	79
BELGRAVIA GUARANTEE LIMITED	100	100
BL CITY OFFICES HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	1,250	1,126
BL HIGH STREET AND SHOPPING CENTRES HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	150	129
BL INTERMEDIATE HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	15,500	15,231
BL LEISURE AND INDUSTRIAL HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	1,500	1,131
BL OFFICE (NON-CITY) HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED BL OFFICE HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	500	492
BL RESIDUAL HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	2,000 3,000	1,826 2,746
BL RETAIL HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	10,000	9,528
BL RETAIL WAREHOUSING HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	600	525
BL SUPERSTORES HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	600	509
CABLE & WIRELESS INTERNATIONAL HQ LIMITED	446	445
CAIRN UK HOLDINGS LIMITED	252	251
CAPITAL & COUNTIES DEBENTURE PLC	150	100
CATTLES HOLDONGS LIMITED	100	100
CHASE HAMBRO BANK LIMITED CHIVAS ATLANTIC HOLDINGS LIMITED	250 80	250 69
COLLINS STEWART PLC	480	53
COMET REFICO LIMITED	75	66
COMPANY (LAW DIRECT) LIMITED	100	55
CREATIVE BROADCAST SERVICES HOLDINGS (2) LIMITED	200	55
DOCKLANDS AVIATION GROUP LIMITED	211	211
DUNEDIN PROPERTY INDUSTRIAL FUND (HOLDINGS NO 3) LIMITED	56	56
DUNEDIN PROPERTY INDUSTRIAL FUND (HOLDINGS) LIMITED DX FINANCE LIMITED	77	77 460
DX GROUP LIMITED	162 159	162 158
DX GROOF LIMITED	130	130
EAST INVEST PRIVATE EQUITY LIMITED	200	60
ELECTRICINVEST ACQUISITIONS LIMITED	600	499
ELECTRICINVEST HOLDING COMPANY LIMITED	600	510
ENODIS HANOVER LIMITED	200	162
ENODIS REGENT LIMITED	200	162
ENODIS STRAND LIMITED	100	96
FALCON BIDCO LIMITED FIBERWEB US HOLDINGS LIMITED	58 86	58
FIRST INTERNATIONAL SECURITIES (07) LIMITED	100	86 100
FRL CAPITAL LIMITED	88	88
GATEWAY TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLC	70	50
GETINGE EXTENDED CARE UK LIMITED	55	53
HAMMERSON (BISHOPS SQUARE) LIMITED	1,150	600
HAMMERSON SHEFFIELD (NRQ) LIMITED	50	50
HAREWOOD HOLDINGS LIMITED	100	70
HAREWOOD INVESTMENTS NO 6 LIIMITED	501	501
HOCHSCHILD MINING PLC HOME RETAIL GROUP PLC	250 6,600	115 88
HONEYWELL BERMUDA UK HOLDINGS LIMITED	500	329
IAG UK HOLDINGS LIMITED	135	135
INIFINIS CAPITAL LIMITED	121	121

Table B3 (cont'd): Companies incorporated in 2006-07 with an issued capital of £50 million and over

	£ Million Nominal Capital	£ Million Issued Capital
J CHOO GROUP HOLDING LIMITED	77	55
JTI (UK) MANAGEMENT LIMITED	20,000	606
KEMBLE WATER HOLDINGS LIMITED	1,992	1,992
L-3 COMMUNICATIONS GROUP	100	94
LACTALIS NESTLE CHILLED DAIRY COMPANY LIMITED	100	74
LANCASHIRE INSURANCE HOLDINGS (UK) LIMITED	200	60
LAND SECURITIES TRILLIUM (HOTELS) LIMITED	100	90
LEGAL & GENERAL PENSIONS LIMITED	1,000	300
LUMINAR GEMS LIMITED	150	79
LUMINAR LAVA IGNITE LIMITED	150	75
LUMINAR LIQUID LIMITED	150	101
LUMINAR OCEANA LIMITED	150	64
MAGNOLIA FUNDACTION UK LIMITED	100	60
MEP MAYFLOWER (HOLDINGS) LIMITED	64	50
MFI RETAIL LIMITED	150	100
MIDRAND HOLDINGS PLC	320	192
MILLENNIUM & COPTHORNE (JERSEY HOLDINGS) LIMITED	250	206
MINACO SWISS BANK PLC	1,000	300
OFFICE DEPOT EUROPE HOLDINGS LIMITED	500	410
OIAI LIMITED	100	50
OPEAN ENERGY LIMITED OSNABURGH STREET LIMITED	100 60	100 60
PEEL LAND AND PROPERTY (PORTS) LIMITED	300	132
PEEL PORTS INTERMEDIATE HOLDCO LIMITED	500	337
PEEL PORTS INTERMEDIATE FINANCECO LIMITED	500	337
PEEL PORTS UK FINANCECO LIMITED	500	337
PENSION HOLDING COMPANY (UK) 1 LIMITED	200	50
PENSION HOLDING COMPANY (UK) 2 LIMITED	200	50
POCKET VISION LIMITED	100	100
PROJECT GRACE LIMITED	300	268
PROTECTSURF.COM LIMITED	200	182
QUANTUM INVESTMENTS LIMITED	610	610
REED ELSEVIER (HOLDINGS) LIMITED	212	212
S & N F LIMITED	400	306
SHELL TREASURY UK LIMITED	600	600
SOMERSTON HOTELS UK LIMITED	228	114
SUPERLIFT UK LIMITED	500	119
SUPREM LIMITED	1,000	1,000
SUZLON WIND ENERGY LIMITED	300	109
TATA TEA (GB) CAPITAL LIMITED	500	90
TATA TEA (GB) INVESTMENTS LIMITED	500	234
TRAINLINE GROUP INVESTMENTS LIMITED	82	82
TRAINLINE JUNIOR MEZZ LIMITED	82	82
TRAVELSPHERE GROUP LIMITED	60	60
TULLETT PREBON PLC VIRGIN ACTIVE HOLDINGS (SA) LIMITED	925 150	53
VUE ENTERTAINMENT INVESTMENT LIMITED	50	144
WELLCOME TRUST FINANCE PLC	138	50 138
WELLOOME INOST FINANCE FLO	130	138

Share capital includes sterling equivalent of foreign currency

89,126.5

52,676.8

REMOVALS FROM THE REGISTER AND LIQUIDATIONS

Section C

Table C1: Companies removed from the registers 2002-03 to 2006-07

•			Т	housan	ds of co	mpanie	S		
	2002- 03	2003- 04	2004- 05	2005- 06	2006- 07	Apr- Jun 2006	Jul- Sep 2006	Oct- Dec 2006	Jan- Mar 2007
Great Britain Struck off and dissolved	166.4	161.9	174.8	194.5	206.8	50.7	51.3	49.4	55.4
Wound up voluntarily or subject to the supervision of the Court under the Companies Acts	15.6	16.6	16.8	17.6	18.7	4.4	5.1	4.8	4.5
Total removed from register	182.0	178.5	191.6	212.2	225.5	55.1	56.3	54.1	59.8
Less: Restorations to the Register	2.0	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Net total of removals	180.0	177.1	188.8	210.7	224.2	54.9	56.0	53.8	59.5
England and Wales Struck off and dissolved	158.7	154.3	167.0	186.0	196.7	48.4	48.4	47.3	52.6
Wound up voluntarily or subject to the supervision of the Court under the Companies Acts	14.9	15.7	15.8	16.8	17.9	4.2	4.9	4.6	4.3
Total removed from register	173.6	170.0	182.8	202.9	214.6	52.6	53.2	51.9	56.8
Less: Restorations to the register	1.9	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Net total of removals	171.7	168.8	180.2	201.5	213.3	52.4	52.9	51.6	56.5
Scotland Struck off and dissolved	7.7	7.5	7.8	8.5	10.1	2.3	2.9	2.1	2.8
Wound up voluntarily or subject to the supervision of the Court under the Companies Acts	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Total removed from register	8.4	8.4	8.8	9.3	10.9	2.5	3.1	2.2	3.0
Less: Restorations to the register	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-
Net total of removals	8.3	8.4	8.7	9.2	10.9	2.5	3.1	2.2	3.0

⁻ Fewer than 50 companies

Table C2: Liquidations and receiverships notified, 2002-03 to 2006-07

	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	Apr- Jun 2006	Jul- Sep 2006	Oct-Dec 2006	Jan-Mar 2007
Great Britain	2002-03	2003-04	2004-03	2003-00	2000-01	2000	2000	2000	2001
Compulsory liquidations Creditors' voluntary	6,853	5,102	5,450	6,388	6,377	1,509	1,405	1,747	1,716
liquidations Admin Orders converted	9,646	8,930	7,837	8,272	7,860	1,993	1,900	1,970	1,997
To Cred Total insolvencies	16,499	13 14,032	361 13,648	691 15,351	1,004 15,241	216 3,718	249 3,554	248 3,965	291 4,004
	10,433	14,002	13,040	10,001	10,241	5,710	0,004	0,000	4,004
Members' voluntary liquidations	2,964	2,702	3,311	3,214	3,771	898	812	1,107	954
Total liquidations	19,463	16,734	16,959	18,565	19,012	4,616	4,366	5,072	4,958
Receiverships notified	1,53	1,284	819	716	552	168	98	166	120
Administrator									
appointments *	641	931	1,786	2,568	3,536	660	677	1,484	715
Company voluntary									
arrangements	697	756	602	556	518	150	158	107	103
England and Wales									
Compulsory liquidations Creditors' voluntary	6,319	4,696	4,996	5,981	5,785	1,367	1,238	1,625	1,55
liquidations Admin Orders converted	9,437	8,724	7,661	8,132	7,675	1,945	1,862	1,921	1,947
To Cred		12	357	689	988	216	244	242	286
Total insolvencies	15,756	13,420	13,014	14,802	14,44	3,528	3,344	3,788	3,78
Members' voluntary									
liquidations	2,821	2,554	3,121	3,049	3,507	849	771	1,046	841
Total liquidations	18,577	15,974	16,135	17,851	17,955	4,377	4,115	4,834	4,629
Receiverships notified	1,412	1,171	756	656	519	153	93	162	111
Administrator									
appointments *	631	915	1,759	2,525	3,506	653	675	1,479	699
Company voluntary									
arrangements	695	745	595	549	510	147	157	106	100
Scotland									
Compulsory liquidations Creditors' voluntary	534	406	454	407	592	142	167	122	161
Liquidations Admin Orders converted	209	206	176	140	185	48	38	49	50
To Cred		1	4	2	16	0	5	6	5
Total insolvencies	743	612	634	549	793	190	210	177	216
Members' voluntary									
liquidations	143	148	190	165	264	49	41	61	113
Total liquidations	886	760	824	714	1057	239	251	238	329
Receiverships notified	120	113	63	60	33	15	5	4	9
Administrator appointments *	10	16	27	43	30	7	2	5	16
Company voluntary arrangements	2	11	7	7	8	3			

^{*} From 2003/04 figures for Administrator Appointments include those filed under the Enterprise Act 2002

Section D - Legal Proceedings

Table D1: Disqualification Orders notified to the Secretary of State: 2002-03 to 2006-07

Act an	d Description	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Insolv	ency Act 2000					
s6*	Disqualification of directors by					
	Undertaking	1,275	1,154	967	900	936
Compa	any Directors Disqualification Act 1986	6				
s2-5						
	Disqualification on conviction of indictable offence, for persistent breaches of companies legislation, for fraud in winding-up and on summary conviction	166	141	134	135	153
s6*	Disqualification of unfit directors of insolvent companies	319	213	178	136	145
s8	Disqualification following investigation of companies	17	19	38	26	20
s10	Disqualification for wrongful trading	0	0	0	0	0
Total		1,777	1,527	1,317	1,197	1,254

Notes:

Courts are required to send details of orders made which disqualify a person taking part in the management of a company. Details of each disqualification order are available for inspection by the public at Companies House in London, Cardiff and Edinburgh, and at the Royal Courts of Justice in London.

^{*} Section 6 of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986 was amended to incorporate Disqualification Undertakings following the Insolvency Act 2000. Disqualification Undertakings came into force from 1 April 2001. It allows the Secretary of State to accept disqualification undertakings from an individual without the need for the matter to be dealt with through the courts.

 Table D3 : Prosecutions by the Department under the Companies Act 1985

	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
England & Wales					
Section : 242(1) and 242(2)	Offence :	Failure to	deliver Acc	counts (No. o	of Offences)
Prosecutions	3,141	3,400	4,558	5,251	4,084
Convictions	1,613	1,921	2,675	2,902	2,418
% convictions	51.4%	56.5%	58.7%	55.3%	59.2%
Number adjourned to a later					
hearing date	83.0	147.0	209.0	226.0	149.0
Number of charges where a					
conviction was not obtained	1,354	1,366	1,704	1,890	1,484.0
	Offence :	Failure to	deliver Anr	nual Returns	6 (No. of
Section: 363(3) and 363 (4)	Offences)				,
Prosecutions	1,259	1,820	2,266	2,256	2,499
Convictions	574	955	1,209	1,194	1,516
% convictions	45.6%	52.5%	53.4%	52.9%	60.7%
Number adjourned to a later	00.0	05.0	70.0	04.0	00.0
hearing date	32.0	65.0	73.0	84.0	68.0
Number of charges where a conviction was not obtained	621.0	776.0	959.0	890.0	873.0
conviction was not obtained	02.10	7.7010	000.0	000.0	0,0,0
Number of directors involved in proceedings	2,146	2,548	3,477	3,818	3,446
	,				
Number of directors convicted % directors convicted	1,088 50.7%	1,396 54.8%	1,880 54.1%	2,046 53.6%	1,968 57.1%
% directors convicted	30.7%	34.0%	34.170	55.0%	37.170
Number of companies involved in					
proceedings Number of companies in which	1,676	1,947	2,597	2,929	2,691
directors convicted	873.0	1,131	1,514	1,654	1,613.0
% companies in which directors convicted	52.1%	58.1%	58.3%	56.5%	59.9%

Table D3(cont'd) Prosecutions by the Department under the Companies Act 1985								
	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07			
Scotland								
Section: 242(1) and 242(2)	Offence:	Failure to	deliver Acco	ounts (No. of O	ffences)			
Prosecutions	536	378	465	330	335			
Convictions	84	49	48	36	24			
% convictions	15.7%	13.0%	10.3%	10.9%	7.2%			
Number adjourned to a later hearing date	0	0	0	0	0			
Number of charges where a conviction was not obtained	400	332	380	302	345			
Section : 363(3) and 363 (4)	Offence: Offences)	Failure to	deliver Anr	nual Returns	S (No. of			
Prosecutions	335	269	281	173	308			
Convictions	45*	19	26	17	12			
% convictions	0.0%	7.1%	9.3%	9.8%	3.9%			
Number adjourned to a later hearing date	0	0	0	0	0			
Number of charges where a conviction was not obtained	242	249	313	164	362			
Number of directors involved in	4.440	000	000	040	700			
proceedings	1,142	828	929	610	729			
Number of directors convicted	109	64 7.70/	74	52	33			
% directors convicted	9.5%	7.7%	8.0%	8.5%	4.5%			
Number of companies involved in proceedings Number of companies in which	829	600	693	465	403			
directors convicted % companies in which directors	85	47	59	37	31			
convicted	103%	7.8%	8.5%	8.0%	7.7%			

^{1.} The majority of charges where convictions were not obtained was a result of the annual returns and accounts being filed and the prosecutions not proceeded with.

Notes:

^{2.} A number of prosecutions dealt with in the above were started before April 2006

^{*} includes 20 Companies convicted

Table D4: Applications made to the Department in 2006-07 under miscellaneous provisions of the Companies Act 1985*

						Number o	of applications
		Outstanding at 1 April			Not proceeded		Outstanding at 31 March
Section 28(1)	Nature of application Approval of change	2006	Received	Approved	with	Refused	2007
20(1)	of name	247	66,183	56,069	9,888	264	209
28(2)	Direction to change name which is too like that of an existing company	325	435	300	1	381	78
28(3)	Direction to change name because of misleading information or unfulfilled assurances	0	4	3	0	1	0
32	Direction to abandon misleading name	0	5	3	1	1	0
225(4)	Exemption from restrictions on extending a company's accounting reference period	1	83	54	0	28	2
244(5)	Extension of the time allowed for laying and delivering accounts	0	7,306	3,756	0	3,550	0
367(1)	Direction to call general meeting of a company	0	0	0	0	0	0
387(1)	Direction appointing an auditor of a company	0	0	0	0	0	0
231(3)	Exemption from a holding company disclosing certain details in notes to a company's accounts	0	0	0	0	0	0

Notes

^{*} As amended by the Companies Act 1989

Section E OTHER COMPANIES AND BUSINESSES

Table E1: Registrations in 2006-07 of companies not registered under the Companies

Act 1985. Companies incorporated outside Great Britain which have established a place
of business in Great Britain and register documents under Part XXIII of the Companies

				Registered
	Where incorporated	New Registrations	Registrations closed	at 31 March 2007
Rest of UK	Channel Islands	78	28	526
	Isle of Man	17	7	525
	Northern Ireland	3	2	92
Rest of EC	Netherlands	47	16	517
	Republic of Ireland	26	17	321
	Germany	3	17	290
	France Belgium	11 10	14 7	186 122
	Spain	10	2	94
	Italy	7	8	84
	Sweden	10	2	77
	Luxembourg	9	4	56
	Denmark	5	4	47
	Cyprus	3	1	38
	Austria	2	1	23
	Poland	10	2	23
	Finland	1	2	19
	Greece	0	2	13
	Malta	0	1	10
	Hungary	3	0	8
	Bulgaria	3	0	6
	Romania Czech Republic	2	2	4 3
	Slovenia	0	0	3
	Lithuania	0	0	1
	Slovakia	1	1	1
	Portugal	0	0	0
Commonwealth	Cayman Islands	142	23	429
	India	23	18	238
	Australia	14	8	159
	Canada	16	11	156
	Gibraltar	10	4	123
	Bermuda Bahamas	3 4	2	91 69
	Nigeria	2	1	44
	Singapore	5	1	44
	New Zealand	8	0	44
	South Africa	7	5	38
	Pakistan	2	0	19
	Malaysia	1	1	18
	Ghana	0	0	14
	Zimbabwe	0	1	13
	Bangladesh	0	0	11
	Jamaica	0	0	9
	Turks & Caicos	0	0	7
	Zambia	0	0	4
	Kenya Other	1	U	4
	Commonwealth	8	3	78

Section E OTHER COMPANIES AND BUSINESSES

Table E1(cont'd): Registrations in 2006-07 of companies not registered under the Companies Act 1985. Companies incorporated outside Great Britain which have established a place of business in Great Britain and register documents under Part XXIII of the Companies Act 1985

	Where incorporated	New Registrations	Registered closed	Registered at 31 March 2007
Rest of World	USA	133	135	2,403
rest of world	Virgin Islands	34	32	305
	Japan	16	10	218
	Switzerland	8	6	102
	Hong Kong	7	3	88
	South Korea	10	7	66
	Panama	2	2	60
	China (People's			
	Republic)	3	0	50
	Norway	3	2	39
	Liberia	0	0	31
	Russia	0	1	27
	<u>Iran</u>	1	2	24
	Turkey	2	1	24
	El Salvador	0	1	18
	Netherlands	0	0	17
	Antilles Taiwan	0	0 2	17
	United Arab	4	2	13
	Emirates	0	0	13
	Liechenstein	0	0	12
	Brazil	1	0	12
	Israel	0	Ō	10
	Kuwait	0	0	10
	Saudi Arabia	0	0	9
	Philippines	1	2	5
	Mexico	1	2	3
	Bahrain	0	0	3
	Indonesia	0	0	3
	Lebanon	0	0	3
	Thailand	0	0	3
	Libya	0	0	_1
	Others	10	3	91
Summary	Rest of UK	98	37	1,143
	Rest of EC	163	103	1,946
	Commonwealth	246	82	1,612
Total	Rest of World	236	211	3,665
Total		743	433	8,366

Table E2: Limited partnerships registered under the Limited Partnerships Act 1907

	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Great Britain					
New registrations	894	1,000	1,245	1,175	1,063
Dissolution	63	82	155	126	101
Number on register at end of period	10,369	11,287	12,377	13,426	14,388
England and Wales					
New registrations	553	716	980	915	747
Dissolution	5	3	4	2	0
Number on register at end of period	5,940	6,653	7,629	8,542	9,289
Scotland					
New registrations	341	284	265	260	316
Dissolution	58	79	151	124	101
Number on register at end of period	4,429	4,634	4,748	4,884	5,099

 Table E3 : Other companies and types of business administered by Companies House

	New registrations 2006-07	Registrations closed in 2006-07	Number registered at 31 March 2007
Great Britain			
Assurance companies	0	1	929
Companies incorporated other that	an under the Compa	nies Acts:	
Industrial & Provident Societies	6	157	9,538
Incorporated by Royal Charter	0	0	804
Special Acts of Parliament	0	1	49
Newspaper and Libel Act 1881 (1)	38	54	446
European Economic Interest Grou	upings: (2)		
Principal establishment in GB Principal establishment outside	5	2	187
UK	0	0	4
European Public Limited Liability Companies (3) (Societas Europeas)	2	0	3

⁽¹⁾ This figure includes 339 inactive registrations

⁽²⁾ Registered under the European Economic Interest Grouping Regulations 1989 (SI 1989 No 638) which came into effect 08/10/04

Table E4: Limited Liability Partnerships registered under Section 2 of the Limited Liability Partnership Act 2000

	New Registrations in 2006-07	Registrations closed in 2006-07	Number registered at 31 March 2007
Great Britain			
	8,818	1,739	24,555
England and Wales			
	8,407	1,687	23,396
Scotland	444	50	4.450
	411	52	1,159

Table E5 : Compliance rates for annual returns and accounts for Limited Liability Partnerships

	Number of companies %age of effective register							
	Average June 02- March 03	Average April 03- March 04	Average April 04- March 05	Average April 05- March 06	Average April 06- March 07			
Great Britain								
Effective register	3,360	5,542	8,952	13,980	19,913			
Companies up-to-date in	filing:							
Annual returns	3,171 94.4%	4,884 88.1%	7,426 83.0%	11,057 79.1%	14,504 72.8%			
Accounts	3,340 99.4%	5,153 93.0%	7,839 87.6%	11,823 84.6%	15,886 79.8%			
England & Wales								
Effective register	3,205	5,279	8,535	13,324	18,984			
Companies up-to-date- in	n filing:							
Annual returns	3,021 94.3%	4,643 88.0%	7,061 82.7%	10,505 78.8%	13,767 72.5%			
Accounts	3,186 99.4%	4,902 92.9%	7,460 87.4%	11,245 84.4%	15,097 79.5%			
Scotland								
Effective register	155	263	417	656	929			
Companies up-to-date- in	n filing:							
Annual returns	150 96.8%	241 91.6%	365 87.5%	552 84.1%	736 79.2%			
Accounts	154 99.4%	251 95.4%	379 90.9%	578 88.1%	790 85.0%			

Section F
Table F1: Number of documents filed at Companies House 2002-03 to 2006-07

									usands
	2002- 03	2003- 04	2004- 05	2005- 06	2006- 07	Apr- Jun 2006	Jul- Sep 2006	Oct- Dec 2006	Jan- Mar 2007
Great Britain									
New registrations	322	394	334	370	449	102	92	91	163
Changes of name	60	62	57	57	56	14	13	13	16
Annual returns	1,299	1,477	1,612	1,748	1,866	469	444	447	506
Annual accounts	1,188	1,299	1,427	1,580	1,664	359	384	443	479
Mortgage									
documents	192	212	228	223	246	57	56	55	78
Liquidation	400	404	400	400	404	04	00	20	04
documents	133	131	130	123	121	31	29	30	31
Other statutory documents*	3,367	3,309	2,874	3,061	3,208	792	770	766	879
documents	3,307	3,309	2,074	3,001	3,200	192	770	700	019
England & Wales New									
registrations Changes of	305	375	317	352	429	98	88	86	157
name	56	59	53	53	52	13	12	12	15
Annual returns	1,228	1,396	1,524	1,653	1,765	443	421	423	479
Annual									
accounts	1,124	1,227	1,349	1,494	1,573	340	363	419	452
Mortgage	470	407	040	000	000	50	50	50	70
documents	178	197	213	206	229	53	52	50	73
Liquidation documents	129	128	127	120	118	30	29	29	30
Other statutory	129	120	121	120	110	30	29	29	30
documents*	3,197	3,139	2,716	2,895	3,033	747	729	725	832
Scotland	0,101	0,100	2,710	2,000	0,000		720	720	002
New									
registrations	17	19	17	17	20	5	5	5	6
Changes of									
name	4	4	4	4	4	1	1	1	1
Annual returns	72	82	88	95	101	26	23	24	28
Annual									
accounts	65	72	79	86	91	19	21	24	27
Mortgage									
documents	14	15	15	17	18	4	4	5	5
Liquidation									
documents	4	3	3	3	3	1	1	1	1
Other statutory	470	470	4	400	477	45		4.4	4-
documents*	170	170	157	166	174	45	41	41	47

^{*} Other statutory documents consist largely of changes of director and of registered office address, capital documents and resolutions

 Table F2: Annual Accounts registered at Companies House by type: 2002-03 to 2006-07

					Thousands						
	2002-03			2003-04		2004-05		2005-06		2006-07	
	000s	%age	000s	%age	000s	%age	000s	%age	000s	%age	
Great Britain											
Full	168.3	14.2	163.9	12.9	153.6	10.8	143.9	9.1	137.9	8.4	
Abreviated:											
Small	98.5	8.3	99.7	7.8	85.1	6.0	64.1	4.1	56.8	3.4	
Medium	9.5	8.0	11.0	0.9	9.8	0.7	7.6	0.5	7.4	0.4	
Group	16.4	1.4	16.6	1.3	16.7	1.2	16.2	1.0	15.3	0.9	
Dormant	219.1	18.4	256.0	20.1	277.5	19.5	299.2	19.0	309.2	18.7	
Interim/initial	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	
Audit Exempt	676.3	56.9	723.7	56.9	882.5	61.9	1,042.6	66.2	1,124.1	68.1	
Total	1,188.4	100.0	1,271.3	100.0	1,425.4	100.0	1,573.9	100.0	1,651.0	100.0	
England & Wales											
Full	159.3	14.2	155.0	12.9	145.1	10.8	135.6	9.1	129.5	8.3	
Abreviated:											
Small	92.0	8.2	93.1	7.8	79.2	5.9	59.4	4.0	52.5	3.4	
Medium	8.8	0.8	10.2	8.0	9.1	0.7	7.0	0.5	6.8	0.4	
Group	15.5	1.4	15.7	1.3	15.7	1.2	15.3	1.0	14.4	0.9	
Dormant	207.1	18.4	243.0	20.2	263.5	19.5	283.8	19.1	293.6	18.8	
Interim/initial	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	
Audit Exempt	640.5	57.0	683.6	56.9	835.1	62.0	985.9	66.3	1,063.2	68.1	
Total	1,123.5	100.0	1,200.9	100.0	1,347.9	100.0	1,487.3	100.0	1,560.3	100.0	
Scotland											
Full	9.0	13.9	8.9	12.6	8.5	11.0	8.4	9.7	8.3	9.2	
Abreviated:											
Small	6.5	10.0	6.6	9.4	5.9	7.6	4.6	5.3	4.2	4.6	
Medium	0.7	1.1	8.0	1.1	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	
Group	0.9	1.4	0.9	1.3	1.0	1.3	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.0	
Dormant	12.0	18.5	13.0	18.5	14.0	18.1	15.5	17.9	15.6	17.2	
Interim/initial	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Audit Exempt	35.8	55.2	40.1	57.0	47.4	61.2	56.7	65.4	60.9	67.3	
Total	64.9	100.0	70.4	100.0	77.5	100.0	86.7	100.0	90.5	100.0	

 Table F3 : Compliance rates for annual returns and accounts, 2002-03 to 2006-07

March 03 1,545 in filing:	March 04	March 05	March 06	March 07
	4 740			
11 1 11111110	1,742	1,899	2,038	2,203
1,465 94.8%	1,656 95.0%	1,807 95.1%	1,922 94.3%	2,074 94.1%
1,476 95.5%	1,670 95.8%	1,821 95.9%	1,950 95.7%	2,103 95.4%
1,462 in filing:	1,648	1,797	1,929	2,087
1,384 94.7%	1,565 94.9%	1,709 95.1%	1,818 94.2%	1,963 94.1%
1,396 95.5%	1,579 95.8%	1,723 95.9%	1,846 95.7%	1,991 95.4%
84	94	102	109	117
81	91 96.3%	98 96.2%	104 95.3%	111 95.2%
80 96.0%	91 96.4%	98 96.3%	105 95.9%	111 95.5%
	95.5% 1,462 in filing: 1,384 94.7% 1,396 95.5% 84 in filing: 81 96.1% 80	95.5% 95.8% 1,462 1,648 in filing: 1,384 1,565 94.7% 94.9% 1,396 1,579 95.5% 95.8% 84 94 in filing: 81 91 96.1% 96.3% 80 91	95.5% 95.8% 95.9% 1,462 1,648 1,797 in filling: 1,384 1,565 1,709 94.7% 94.9% 95.1% 1,396 1,579 1,723 95.5% 95.8% 95.9% 84 94 102 in filling: 81 91 98 96.1% 96.3% 96.2% 80 91 98	95.5% 95.8% 95.9% 95.7% 1,462 1,648 1,797 1,929 in filling: 1,384 1,565 1,709 1,818 94.7% 94.9% 95.1% 94.2% 1,396 1,579 1,723 1,846 95.5% 95.8% 95.9% 95.7% 84 94 102 109 in filling: 81 91 98 104 96.1% 96.3% 96.2% 95.3% 80 91 98 105

Table F4: Civil Penalties for the late filing of accounts by limited companies 2006-07*

Late Filing Penalties - Number and Value of Penalties Issued **Private Companies Public Companies Penalty Value Penalty** Value Band £ Number Band £ Number **Period Overdue** (£m) (£m) **England and Wales** 0-3 months 130,703 13.07 500 1051 0.53 100 3-6 months 250 40,131 10.03 1,000 235 0.24 6-12 months 500 28,417 14.21 2,000 0.25 127 Over 12 months 1,000 7,498 7.50 5,000 52 0.26 Total 206,749 44.81 1,465 1.28 Scotland 0-3 months 500 100 7,935 0.79 26 0.01 3-6 months 250 2,774 0.69 9 0.01 1,000 6-12 months 5 500 1,459 0.73 2,000 0.01 Over 12 months 1 1,000 381 0.38 5,000 0.01 12,549 2.59 0.04

^{*} In accordance with section 242A of the Companies Act 1985 as amended by the Companies Act 1989, which came into force on 1 July 1992.

⁻ less than £5,000

Table F 5 : Searches of company records at Companies House, 2002-03 to 2006-07

									Thous	ands
	2001- 02	2002- 03	2003- 04	2004- 05	2005- 06	2006- 07	Apr- Jun 2006	Jul- Sep 2006	Oct- Dec 2006	Jan- Mar 2007
Public Searches: London Cardiff Edinburgh	75 199 30	25 79 13	4 31	2 21	1 17	1 13	0.2 3.3	0.2 3.1	0.2 3.2	0.2 3.5
Postal Searches: Cardiff Edinburgh	58 8	23 5	7	1	0	-	-	-	-	-
Image Searches:	1,475	1,952	2,280	2,608	3,393	3,655	846	887	905	1018
Total	1,845	2,097	2,322	2,631	3,410	3,669	849	890	908	1,021
Searches per live company	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.7	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5

Note: Search volumes are for microfiche based products and exclude computer and rollfilm products. Searches for Edinburgh are now dealt with by Companies House Cardiff.

⁻ Fewer than 50

Section G - FINANCE

Table G1 : Companies House: analysis of fee income, 2002-03 to 2006-07

					£million
	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
England and Wales					
Annual Returns	18.52	20.60	24.47	38.66	38.37
Mortgage Registrations	1.44	1.70	1.78	2.27	2.60
Incorporations	6.73	7.90	6.50	5.89	7.11
Changes of name	0.97	1.00	0.94	0.86	0.88
Searches	13.50	13.10	13.01	10.56	11.62
Copies and certificates	0.79	0.90	0.89	0.85	1.08
Other income	0.48	1.40	0.49	1.98	2.21
Dissolution	0.94	1.00	1.09	1.16	1.25
Limited Liability Partnership	0.28	0.30	0.49	0.34	0.49
Total income	43.65	48.00	49.66	62.57	65.61
Scotland					
Annual Returns	1.08	1.20	1.30	2.04	2.20
Mortgage Registrations	0.17	0.20	0.16	0.19	0.21
Incorporations	0.37	0.40	0.40	0.29	0.33
Changes of name	0.07	0.10	0.10	0.06	0.06
Searches	0.11	0.10	0.13	0.09	0.00
Copies and certificates	0.01	0.10	0.11	0.10	0.00
Other income	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dissolution Limited Liability	0.03	0.00	0.04	0.08	0.03
Partnership	0.01	0.10	0.11	0.08	0.04
Total income	1.85	2.20	2.35	2.93	2.87

Table G2: Late Filing Penalties 2006-07

Costs incurred by Companies House in administering the system of Late Filing Penalties (£m)

Salaries / Staff			Total	Reimburse-	Net	
 Costs	Accomodation	Costs	Costs*	ments**	Expenditure	
1.0	-	2.7	3.7	3.7	-	

Notes:

Income from collecting the penalties was £39.0 million (all of which has been remitted to HM Treasury).

^{*} The costs include administration and collection of penalties in accordance with Section 242A of the Companies Act 1985 as amended by Companies Act 1989, which came into force on 1 July 1992.

^{**} Funds received from DTI to cover the costs incurred by Companies House in operating the system.