

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### Group income statement

for the third quarter to 31 December 2008

	Notes	Before specific items £m	Specific items (note 4) £m	Total £m
<b>Revenue</b>	2	5,437	-	<b>5,437</b>
Other operating income		71	-	<b>71</b>
Operating costs	3	(5,264)	-	<b>(5,264)</b>
<b>Operating profit</b>		<b>244</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>244</b>
Finance expense		(843)	-	<b>(843)</b>
Finance income		663	-	<b>663</b>
<b>Net finance expense</b>	5	<b>(180)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(180)</b>
Share of post tax profits of associates and joint ventures		16	36	<b>52</b>
<b>Profit before taxation</b>		<b>80</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>116</b>
<b>Taxation</b>		<b>(19)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(19)</b>
<b>Profit for the period attributable to equity shareholders</b>		<b>61</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>97</b>
<b>Earnings per share</b>	6			
- basic		0.8p		<b>1.3p</b>
- diluted		0.8p		<b>1.3p</b>

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	Notes	Before specific items £m	Specific items (note 4) £m	Total £m
<b>Revenue</b>	2	5,154	-	<b>5,154</b>
Other operating income		83	(9)	<b>74</b>
Operating costs	3	(4,520)	(126)	<b>(4,646)</b>
<b>Operating profit</b>		<b>717</b>	<b>(135)</b>	<b>582</b>
Finance expense		(768)	-	<b>(768)</b>
Finance income		634	-	<b>634</b>
<b>Net finance expense</b>	5	<b>(134)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(134)</b>
Share of post tax losses of associates and joint ventures		(2)	-	<b>(2)</b>
Profit on disposal of associate		-	1	<b>1</b>
<b>Profit before taxation</b>		<b>581</b>	<b>(134)</b>	<b>447</b>
<b>Taxation</b>		<b>(120)</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>(82)</b>
<b>Profit for the period attributable to equity shareholders</b>		<b>461</b>	<b>(96)</b>	<b>365</b>
<b>Earnings per share</b>	6			
- basic		5.7p		<b>4.5p</b>
- diluted		5.6p		<b>4.4p</b>

**Group income statement**  
for the nine months to 31 December 2008

	Notes	Before specific items £m	Specific items (note 4) £m	Total £m
<b>Revenue</b>	2	15,917	-	<b>15,917</b>
Other operating income		268	-	<b>268</b>
Operating costs	3	(14,564)	(65)	<b>(14,629)</b>
<b>Operating profit</b>		1,621	(65)	<b>1,556</b>
Finance expense		(2,460)	-	<b>(2,460)</b>
Finance income		1,991	-	<b>1,991</b>
<b>Net finance expense</b>	5	(469)	-	<b>(469)</b>
Share of post tax profits of associates and joint ventures		22	36	<b>58</b>
<b>Profit before taxation</b>		1,174	(29)	<b>1,145</b>
<b>Taxation</b>		(268)	18	<b>(250)</b>
<b>Profit for the period</b>		906	(11)	<b>895</b>
Attributable to:				
Equity shareholders		905	(11)	<b>894</b>
Minority interests		1	-	<b>1</b>
<b>Earnings per share</b>	6			
- basic		11.7p		<b>11.6p</b>
- diluted		11.7p		<b>11.5p</b>

**Group income statement**  
for the nine months to 31 December 2007

	Notes	Before specific items £m	Specific items (note 4) £m	Total £m
<b>Revenue</b>	2	15,282	-	<b>15,282</b>
Other operating income		223	(10)	<b>213</b>
Operating costs	3	(13,368)	(366)	<b>(13,734)</b>
<b>Operating profit</b>		2,137	(376)	<b>1,761</b>
Finance expense		(2,167)	-	<b>(2,167)</b>
Finance income		1,886	-	<b>1,886</b>
<b>Net finance expense</b>	5	(281)	-	<b>(281)</b>
Share of post tax losses of associates and joint ventures		(8)	-	<b>(8)</b>
Profit on disposal of associate		-	10	<b>10</b>
<b>Profit before taxation</b>		1,848	(366)	<b>1,482</b>
<b>Taxation</b>		(434)	264	<b>(170)</b>
<b>Profit for the period</b>		1,414	(102)	<b>1,312</b>
Attributable to:				
Equity shareholders		1,413	(102)	<b>1,311</b>
Minority interests		1	-	<b>1</b>
<b>Earnings per share</b>	6			
- basic		17.4p		<b>16.1p</b>
- diluted		17.0p		<b>15.7p</b>