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Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992

ANNUAL RETURN FOR AN EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION

Name of Employers' Association:

Year ended:

List No:

Head or Main Office:

Website address (if available)

Has the address changed during the year to which the return relates? Yes No (Tick as appropriate)

General Secretary:

Contact name for queries regarding the completion of this return:

Telephone Number:

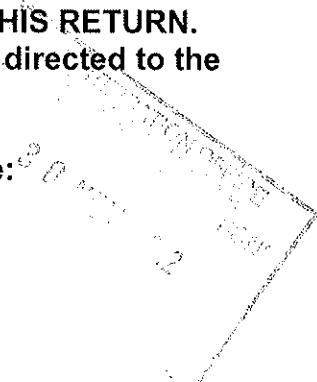
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RETURN OF MEMBERS

(see note 9)

NUMBER OF MEMBERS AT THE END OF THE YEAR				
Great Britain	Northern Ireland	Irish Republic	Elsewhere Abroad (including Channel Islands)	TOTALS
112				112

OFFICERS IN POST

(see note 10)

Please attach as an annexe to this form a complete list of all officers in post at the end of the year to which this form relates, with the title of each persons office.

CHANGE OF OFFICERS

Please complete the following to record any changes of officers during the twelve months covered by this return. See attached accounts

Title of Office	Name of Officer ceasing to hold office	Name of Officer Appointed	Date of Change

REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 11 to 16)

Previous Year	See attached accounts	£	£
	INCOME		
	From Members Subscriptions, levies, etc		
	Investment income Interest and dividends (gross) Bank interest (gross) Other (specify)		
	Other income Rents received Insurance commission Consultancy fees Publications/Seminars Miscellaneous receipts (specify)		
	TOTAL INCOME		
	EXPENDITURE		
	Administrative expenses Remuneration and expenses of staff Occupancy costs Printing, Stationery, Post Telephones Legal and Professional fees Miscellaneous (specify)		
	Other charges Bank charges Depreciation Sums written off Affiliation fees Donations Conference and meeting fees Expenses Miscellaneous (specify)		
	Taxation		
	TOTAL EXPENDITURE		
	Surplus/Deficit for year		
	Amount of fund at beginning of year		
	Amount of fund at end of year		

ACCOUNTS OTHER THAN THE REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 17 to 18)

ACCOUNT 2	Not applicable	Fund Account	
Name of account:		£	£
Income	From members		
	Investment income		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total Income		
Expenditure	Administrative expenses		
	Other expenditure (specify)		
	Total Expenditure		
	Surplus (Deficit) for the year		
	Amount of fund at beginning of year		
	Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)		

ACCOUNT 3	Not applicable	Fund Account	
Name of account:		£	£
Income	From members		
	Investment income		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total Income		
Expenditure	Administrative expenses		
	Other expenditure (specify)		
	Total Expenditure		
	Surplus (Deficit) for the year		
	Amount of fund at beginning of year		
	Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)		

ACCOUNTS OTHER THAN THE REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 17 to 18)

ACCOUNT 4		Not applicable		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£		£	
Income	From members				
	Investment income				
	Other income (specify)				
		Total Income			
Expenditure	Administrative expenses				
	Other expenditure (specify)				
		Total Expenditure			
		Surplus (Deficit) for the year			
		Amount of fund at beginning of year			
		Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)			

ACCOUNT 5		Not applicable		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£		£	
Income	From members				
	Investment income				
	Other income (specify)				
		Total Income			
Expenditure	Administrative expenses				
	Other expenditure (specify)				
		Total Expenditure			
		Surplus (Deficit) for the year			
		Amount of fund at beginning of year			
		Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)			

ACCOUNTS OTHER THAN THE REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 17 to 18)

ACCOUNT 6		Not applicable		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£		£	
Income	From members				
	Investment income				
	Other income (specify)				
	Total Income				
Expenditure	Administrative expenses				
	Other expenditure (specify)				
	Total Expenditure				
	Surplus (Deficit) for the year				
		Amount of fund at beginning of year			
		Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)			

ACCOUNT 7		Not applicable		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£		£	
Income	From members				
	Investment income				
	Other income (specify)				
		Total Income			
Expenditure	Administrative expenses				
	Other expenditure (specify)				
			Total Expenditure		
		Surplus (Deficit) for the year			
		Amount of fund at beginning of year			
		Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)			

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 June 2012

(see notes 19 and 20)

Previous Year See attached accounts	£
<p>Fixed Assets (as at page 11)</p> <p>Investments (as per analysis on page 13)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Quoted (Market value £)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Unquoted</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Total Investments</p> <p>Other Assets</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Sundry debtors</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Cash at bank and in hand</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Stocks of goods</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Others (specify)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Total of other assets</p>	
<p>••••• Fund (Account) ••••• Fund (Account) ••••• Fund (Account) ••••• Revaluation Reserve ••••• Liabilities ••••• Loans ••••• Bank overdraft</p>	<p>•• Fund (Account) ••••• Fund (Account) ••••• Fund (Account) Reserve ••••• Liabilities ••••• overdraft</p> <p>Liabilities</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Loans</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Bank overdraft</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Tax payable</p>

	Sundry creditors	
	Accrued expenses	
	Provisions	
	Other liabilities	

FIXED ASSETS ACCOUNT

(see note 21)

See attached accounts	Land & Buildings	Fixtures & Fittings	Motor Vehicles & Equipment	Total
	£	£	£	£
COST OR VALUATION				
At start of period				
Additions during period				
Less: Disposals during period				
Less: DEPRECIATION:				
Total to end of period				
 BOOK AMOUNT at end of period				
Freehold				
Leasehold (50 or more years unexpired)				
Leasehold (less than 50 years unexpired)				
AS BALANCE SHEET				

ANALYSIS OF INVESTMENTS

(see note 22)

	See attached accounts	Other Funds £
QUOTED	British Government & British Government Guaranteed Securities	
	British Municipal and County Securities	
	Other quoted securities (to be specified)	
	TOTAL QUOTED (as Balance Sheet)	
	*Market Value of Quoted Investments	
UNQUOTED	British Government Securities	
	British Municipal and County Securities	
	Mortgages	
	Other unquoted securities (to be specified)	
	TOTAL QUOTED (as Balance Sheet)	
	*Market Value of Unquoted Investments	

* Market value of investments to be stated where these are different from the figures quoted in the balance sheet

ANALYSIS OF INVESTMENT INCOME (CONTROLLING INTERESTS)

(see notes 23 to 25)

Does the association, or any constituent part of the association, have a controlling interest in any limited company?		YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NO
If YES name the relevant companies:			
COMPANY NAME Ciabata Ltd Reach Ready Ltd Chemicals North West	COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER (if not registered in England & Wales, state where registered) 03892238 05711636 03873806		
INCORPORATED EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATIONS			
Are the shares which are controlled by the association registered in the association's name		YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NO
If NO, please state the names of the persons in whom the shares controlled by the association are registered.			
COMPANY NAME	NAMES OF SHAREHOLDERS		
UNINCORPORATED EMPLOYERS ASSOCIATIONS			
Are the shares which are controlled by the association registered in the names of the association's trustees?		YES	NO
If NO, state the names of the persons in whom the shares controlled by the association are registered.			
COMPANY NAME	NAMES OF SHAREHOLDERS		

SUMMARY SHEET

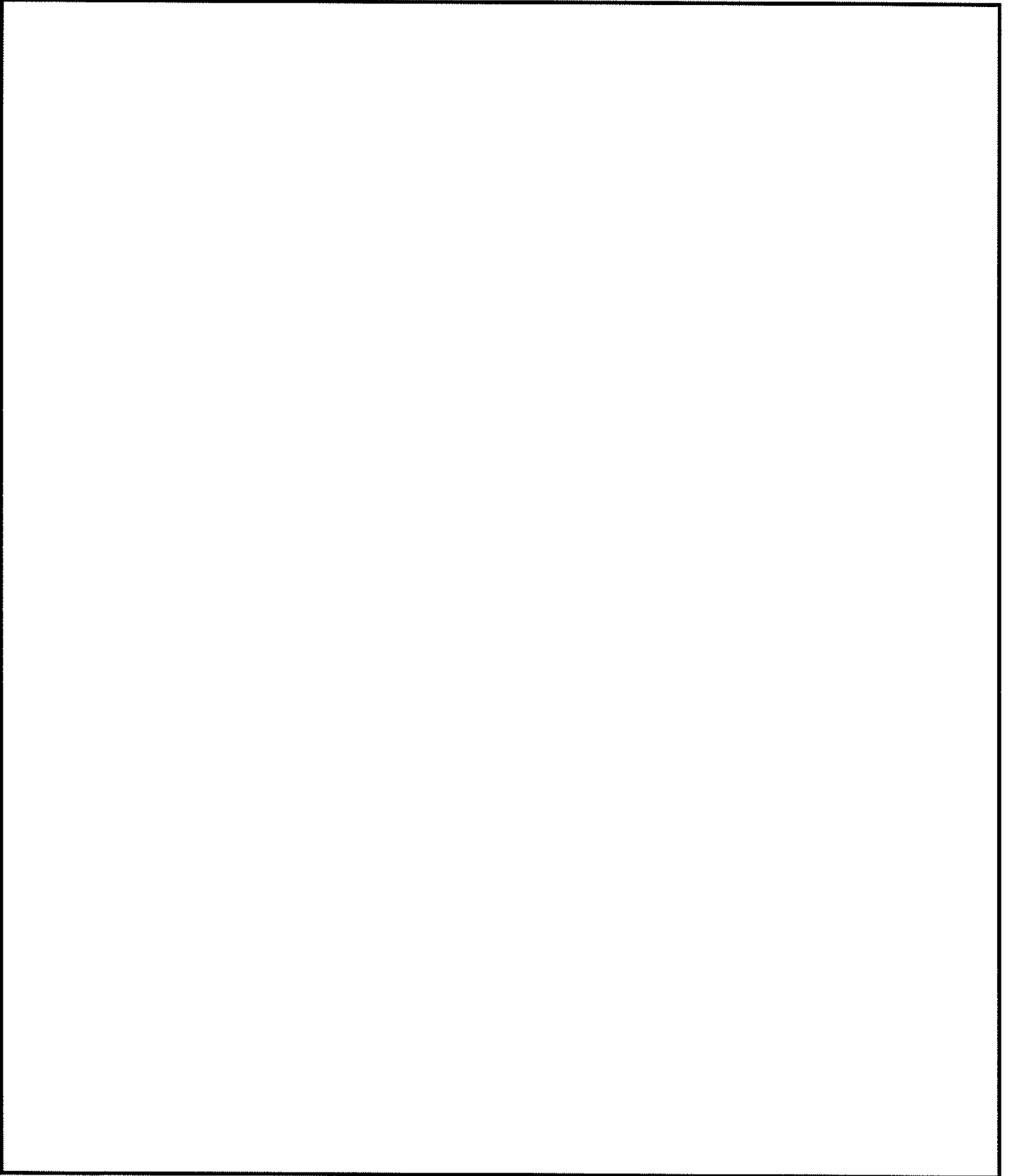
(see notes 26 to 35)

	All funds except Political Funds £	Political Funds £	Total Funds £
INCOME			
From Members	3,657,536		3,657,536
From Investments	8,120		8,120
Other Income (including increases by revaluation of assets)	1,392,140		1,392,140
Total Income	5,057,796		5,057,796
EXPENDITURE (including decreases by revaluation of assets)	4,649,741		4,649,741
Total Expenditure			
Funds at beginning of year (including reserves)	1,448,487		1,448,487
Funds at end of year (including reserves)	1,856,542		1,856,542
ASSETS			
Fixed Assets			97,640
Investment Assets			20,003
Other Assets			2,865,350
		Total Assets	2,982,993
LIABILITIES		Total Liabilities	1,126,451
NET ASSETS (Total Assets less Total Liabilities)			1,856,542

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

(see note 36)

All notes to the accounts must be entered on or attached to this part of the return.

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Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2012

1 Accounting Policies

- (i) The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.
- (ii) Deferred tax is recognised, without being discounted, in respect of all timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes which have arisen but not reversed by the balance sheet date, except as otherwise required by FRS19.
- (iii) Stocks of publications and stationery are treated as having zero net realisable value.
- (iv) Depreciation of fixed assets:
 - (a) Fixed assets costing more than £1,500 are written off over three years
 - (b) Assets costing less than £1,500 are provided in full in the year of purchase.
- (v) Turnover represents the amount (excluding value added tax) derived from subscriptions and the provision of services.
- (vi) The Association operates an employee pension scheme providing benefits based on final pensionable pay. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the Association, being invested with insurance companies. Contributions to the scheme are charged to the income and expenditure account in accordance with a scheme of contributions as agreed with the Scheme Actuary from time to time.
- (vii) Operating lease rentals are charged to the income and expenditure account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.
- (viii) The charge for taxation takes into account taxation deferred because of timing differences.
- (ix) The company has complied fully with Financial Reporting Standard 17 (Retirement Benefits).

2 Turnover from subscriptions

Subscription income is based on Member Company declarations which are accepted by the Association as being valid, without verification, for the purposes of calculating subscription fees due from each Member Company.

3 Members' liability

Each member is, in accordance with the Memorandum & Articles of Association, liable to contribute to the assets of the Association such amount as may be required, not exceeding £100, in the event of the Association being wound up. This liability continues for one year after cessation of membership. On 30 June 2012 there were 112 members of the Association so liable (2011-118).

4 Format of Accounts

The formats for income and expenditure account and balance sheet set out in the Companies Act 2006 have been amended where in the Council's opinion the formats are not applicable to the Association's special

circumstances. In order to express a true and fair view of the balance sheet, the Association's Capital Fund has not been classified under capital and reserves as required by the Companies Act 2006. The Association is a company limited by guarantee, not having a share capital and is principally involved in non-trading activities. In compliance with the Companies Act 2006 the Council presents the financial statements in an amended format.

5 Pensions

The company operates a pension scheme, closed to new members from 1 July 1995 which provides benefits based on final pensionable pay, contributions being charged to the income and expenditure account in accordance with a scheme of contributions agreed with the Scheme Actuary to eliminate the deficit by October 2015 as required by legislation. From 31 May 2002 the defined benefit accrual ceased and was replaced by defined contribution accrual for all active members of the scheme.

The triennial actuarial valuation at July 2009 used a market based approach, which assumed that the investment returns would be 5.69%, that inflation would be 3.20% p.a. and that present and future pensions would increase at the rate of 3.20% p.a. This valuation showed that the market value of the scheme assets was £6,910,000 and that the actuarial value of those assets represented 73% of the benefits that had accrued to members.

The Association agreed a schedule of contributions payable for the period 1 November 2007 to 30 June 2012 of £30,000 per month, subsequently increased to £60,000 from 1 July 2012 to 31 October 2015, in respect of past service. These contributions are intended to restore the funding level to 100% by October 2015: legislation requires that this schedule should be re-assessed at regular periodic intervals and the contributions increased as necessary. In addition the Association has agreed to pay all expenses of administering the scheme together with premiums for the insured death-in service benefits as they arise. There has been no adjustment to the schedule of contributions in the current accounting period.

Contributions to individual personal pension plans were introduced for new employees effective 1 July 1995. This arrangement ceased in September 2002 and all employer contributions have been paid into a group personal pension plan from 1 October 2002 onwards. Contributions for the year under review amounted to £141,511 (2011: £129,252).

The valuation was updated by the actuary on an FRS 17 basis as at 30 June 2012.

The major assumptions used in this valuation at June 2012 were:

Rate of increase in salaries (no members accruing benefits on a final salary basis)	N/A
Rate of increase in pensions in payment in respect of service before 1 July 1995	5.00%
Rate of increase in pensions in payment in respect of service after 1 July 1995	3.20%
Rate of increase in deferred pensions	1.75%
Discount rate applied to scheme liabilities	4.50%
Inflation assumption	2.50%
Expected return on scheme assets	6.40%

The assumptions used by the actuary are the best estimates chosen from a range of possible actuarial assumptions which, due to the timescale covered, may not necessarily be borne out in practice.

Money purchase contributions to the scheme are not dealt with in this note.

Scheme assets

The fair value of the scheme's assets, which are not intended to be realised in the short term and may be subject to significant changes before they are realised, and the present value of the scheme's liabilities, which are derived from cash flow projections over long periods and thus inherently uncertain, were:

	Long term rate of return	Value at 2012	Long term rate of return	Value at 2011
	2012	2012	2011	2011
		£000		£000
Equities	7.0%	5,980	7.0%	2,486
Diversified	0.0%	-	7.0%	1,218
Property	6.0%	782	6.0%	306
UK Gilts	3.0%	424	4.0%	1,829
Bonds	4.5%	802	5.6%	2,194
Cash	3.0%	<u>60</u>	4.0%	<u>53</u>
		8,048		8,086

Present value of scheme liabilities (14,021) (12,609)

Net liability (5,973) (4,523)

Less deferred tax asset at 20% 1,194 905

Net pension liability (4,779) (3,618)

The amount of this net pension liability would have a consequential effect on the Association's reserves.

Amounts recognised in profit and loss

	2012	2011
	£000	£000
Interest cost	(691)	(673)
Expected return on assets	<u>469</u>	<u>408</u>

Total cost (222) (265)

Actual return on assets 195 500

Changes in fair value of scheme assets

	2012	2011
	£000	£000
Opening fair value of scheme assets	8,086	7,733
Expected return on assets	469	408
Employer contributions	330	390
Benefits paid	(564)	(537)
Actuarial gain (loss)	<u>(274)</u>	<u>92</u>
Closing fair value of scheme assets	<u>8,048</u>	<u>8,086</u>

Chemical Industries Association expects to contribute £720,000 in the year to 30 June 2013.

Changes in fair value of defined benefit obligation

	2012	2011
	£000	£000
Opening defined benefit obligation	12,609	12,726
Interest cost	691	673
Actuarial loss/(gain)	1,285	(253)
Benefits paid	<u>(564)</u>	<u>(537)</u>
Closing defined benefit obligation	<u>14,021</u>	<u>12,609</u>

NOTES

5 Pensions note continued

Amounts for the current and previous four periods are as follows:

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Defined benefit obligation	(14,021)	(12,609)	(12,726)	(9,438)	(8,920)
Plan assets	8,047	8,086	7,733	6,910	7,674
Deficit	(5,974)	(4,523)	(4,993)	(2,528)	(1,246)
Adjustment due to change in assumptions	(1,285)	253	(3,225)	(414)	885
Experience adjustments on plan assets	(274)	92	596	(1,155)	(829)

6 Designated funds

Designated funds represent money subscribed for specific medical, research, educational and other projects held in trust by the Association for those purposes. This includes funds held for the National Sulphuric Acid Association.

7 Council members and employees

Neither the President nor any of the Officers and Council members who served during the year received any emoluments or pension contributions from the Association in respect of the year ended 30 June 2012 (2011: NIL). For the purposes of the Companies Act

	2012	2011
	£	£

8 Turnover from other operations

Property income	183,816	311,172
Fees from affiliates and sector groups	64,621	196,639
Training services & exhibitions	384,861	312,583
Meetings, conferences & events	351,895	344,692
CIABATA	235,789	232,723
REACH	144,635	131,187
Publications	26,523	33,279
	<u>1,392,140</u>	<u>1,562,275</u>

9 Surplus on ordinary activities before taxation

Surplus on ordinary activities before taxation is stated after charging/(crediting)

Auditors remuneration: Audit	9,800	9,800
: Other services	1,300	1,300
Depreciation -amount written off owned assets	85,084	91,220

10 Administration expenses :

Training services & exhibitions	244,209	132,899
Meetings and conferences	192,375	206,990
Publications	130,617	142,928
Staff costs	1,967,904	1,941,542
Consultancy costs	165,446	228,419
Property occupancy	592,849	823,474
Administration costs	166,034	229,280
Depreciation	85,084	91,220
Meetings, travel and other expenses	253,017	230,017
Bank charges	11,066	10,870
Bad debts	2,899	0
	<u>3,811,501</u>	<u>4,037,639</u>

Note 13

	2012	2011
	£	£
11 Other operating expenses		
CEPIC Subscription	265,992	272,528
National Chemical Emergency Centre	20,000	20,000
Federation of British Industry	20,854	20,052
Energy Intensive Users' Group	18,000	17,700
EFCEG	0	2,711
ECCEG	6,545	6,899
SORIS	1,000	1,000
Other subscriptions	27,219	39,195
	<u>359,610</u>	<u>380,085</u>

12 Taxation

(a) Analysis of charge in the period

UK Corporation tax on surplus for the period	145,836	59,401
Adjustments in respect of previous periods	0	0
<i>Total current tax</i>	145,836	59,401
<i>Deferred tax (note 18)</i>		
Origination and reversal of timing differences	2,794	7,206
Tax on surplus on ordinary activities	<u>148,630</u>	<u>66,607</u>

(b) Factors affecting tax charge for the period

Reported surplus	664,686	551,976
Defined Benefit Pension Scheme contribution	-330,000	-360,000
FRS17 pension expenses	222,000	265,000
Taxable (deficit) / surplus in ordinary activities before tax	<u>556,686</u>	<u>456,976</u>
Taxable (deficit) / surplus on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate 23.55% (2011: 20.75%)	131,081	94,822
<i>Effects of</i>		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	0	8,949
Capital allowances in excess of Depreciation	10,153	-10,487
Movements in provision	4,602	8,025
Charges on income unutilised	0	-41,908
Current tax charge for period	<u>145,836</u>	<u>59,401</u>

13 Staff costs

The aggregate payroll costs of employees were as follows:

Wages and salaries : CIA staff, Secondees & Social security costs	1,702,805	1,657,648
Redundancy costs	0	56,978
Pension costs (excluding £330,000 contribution to the Defined Benefit Pension Scheme)	185,715	153,605
Other costs	79,384	73,311
Staff Costs included in administration expenses (Note 10)	<u>1,967,904</u>	<u>1,941,542</u>
Actuarial cost associated with the defined benefit pension scheme	-222,000	-265,000
Total Staff costs	<u>1,745,904</u>	<u>1,676,542</u>

The weekly average number of employees was 28 (2011 : 28)

		2012	2011
		£	£
14 Charitable contributions			
Gift aid contribution to charitable trust		0	0
	<i>F&F & Office Refurb</i>	<i>Computer equipment</i>	<i>Total</i>
15 Tangible Fixed assets			
	£	£	£
COST:			
Balance at 1 July 2011	176,786	170,896	347,682
Additions in year	0	9,373	9,373
Disposals	0	0	0
Balance at 30 June 2012	176,786	180,269	357,056
DEPRECIATION:			
Balance at 1 July 2011	63,540	110,790	174,330
Charge for the year	55,393	29,691	85,084
Disposals	0	0	0
Balance at 30 June 2012	118,934	140,481	259,415
NET BOOK VALUE at 30 June 2012	57,854	39,788	97,641
NET BOOK VALUE at 30 June 2011	113,246	60,106	173,352
		2012	2011
		£	£
16 Fixed assets investments			
Investments in subsidiary undertakings			
Investments		3	3
Reach Link		20,000	20,000
		20,003	20,003
Investments comprise the Association's holdings in CIABATA Ltd and REACHREADY Ltd. The Association owns 100% of each company, all companies are incorporated in England and Wales. Group accounts have not been prepared to consolidate the Association's dormant subsidiaries, CIABATA Ltd and REACHREADY LTD, on the basis that the consolidated accounts would not be materially different from the accounts prepared for the Association as a single entity.			
17 Debtors			
Trade debtors		562,365	255,606
Other debtors		11,112	17,101
Deferred taxation due after more than 1 year		4,636	7,429
Prepayments and accrued income		349,844	577,754
		927,956	857,890

Note 18

	2012	2011
	£	£
18 Deferred tax asset		
Accelerated depreciation	-7,634	-1,259
Other including bad debt	12,000	8,688
	<u>4,366</u>	<u>7,429</u>

19 Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		
Subscriptions received in advance	53,914	69,369
Trade creditors	120,057	87,862
Other creditors	36,085	47,713
Designated Funds	187,599	189,905
Corporation tax	145,836	59,401
Taxation and social security	68,626	59,159
Accruals and deferred income	514,334	344,153
	<u>1,126,450</u>	<u>857,562</u>
	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
	£	£

20 Reconciliation of operating Surplus to net cash inflow from operating activities		
Operating Surplus	878,566	807,702
Depreciation charges	85,084	91,220
Investment impairment	0	42,355
Pensions contribution	-330,000	-360,000
Decrease in debtors	-72,859	-401,025
Decrease in creditors	197,908	-245,874
(Decrease) / increase in payments received in advance	-15,455	66,669
Net cash (outflow) / Inflow from operating activities	<u>743,244</u>	<u>1,047</u>

Cash flow from operating activities includes subscription payments received in advance; the timing of receipts of such subscription payments can cause fluctuations in the cash flow statement.

21 Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in funds		
(Decrease) / increase in cash in period	677,456	-243,548
Cash used to increase / (decrease) liquid-resources	5,134	5,128
Change in net funds	682,590	-238,420
Net funds as at 1 July 2011	1,254,804	1,493,224
Net funds as at 30 June 2012	<u>1,937,394</u>	<u>1,254,804</u>

22 Analysis of changes in net funds	At 1 July	Cash flows	At 30 June
	2011		2012
Cash in hand at bank	232,960	677,456	910,416
Term deposits	1,021,844	5,134	1,026,978
	<u>1,254,804</u>	<u>682,590</u>	<u>1,937,394</u>

23 Annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases

	Land and buildings	Other	Land and buildings	Other
Operating leases which expire:				
Two to Five years	0	22,471	0	22,471
In more than five years	<u>205,902</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>205,902</u>	<u>0</u>
	<u>205,902</u>	<u>22,471</u>	<u>205,902</u>	<u>22,471</u>

24 Contingent liability

The Association facilitated the payment of certain funds from the European Social Fund to a technical training enterprise for four projects in 1999 and two further projects in 2000. In the unlikely event that the technical training enterprise cannot meet the criteria for accessing these funds any prepayment considered due may be sought through the Association.

The Association would suffer loss only to the extent that any such amount could not be recovered from the third party technical training enterprise. Association staff have worked closely with the enterprise and the auditors representing the European Social Fund. Council believes that there will be no net financial loss to the Association. The Association has advised the technical training enterprise that it will not facilitate any further projects of this nature.

Chemical Industries Association Limited

A Company limited by guarantee, not having a share capital

Registered number 860702 England

Registered office

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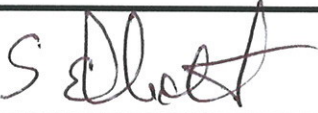
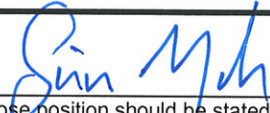
ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(see notes 37 and 38)

SIGNATURES TO THE ANNUAL RETURN

(see notes 39 and 40)

including the accounts and balance sheet contained in the return.

Secretary's Signature: <u></u> Name: <u>STEVE ELLIOTT</u> Date: <u>28/11/12</u>	Chairman's Signature: <u> DIRECTOR</u> (or other official whose position should be stated) Name: <u>SIMON MARSH</u> Date: <u>28/11/12</u>
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CHECK LIST

(see note 41)

(please tick as appropriate)

IS THE RETURN OF OFFICERS ATTACHED? (see Page 3)	YES		NO	
HAS THE RETURN OF CHANGE OF OFFICERS BEEN COMPLETED? (see Page 3)	YES		NO	
HAS THE RETURN BEEN SIGNED? (see Note 38)	YES		NO	
HAS THE AUDITOR'S REPORT BEEN COMPLETED (see Note 39)	YES		NO	
IS A RULE BOOK ENCLOSED? (see Note 40)	YES		NO	
HAS THE SUMMARY SHEET BEEN COMPLETED (see Notes 6 and 25 to 34)	YES		NO	

AUDITOR'S REPORT

(see notes 42 to 47)

made in accordance with section 36 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.

1. In the opinion of the auditors or auditor do the accounts they have audited and which are contained in this return give a true and fair view of the matters to which they relate?
(See section 36(1) and (2) of the 1992 Act and notes 43 and 44)

YES/~~NO~~

If "No" please explain below.

2. Have the auditors or auditor carried out such investigations in the preparation of their audit report as will enable them to form an opinion as to:
- (a) whether the trade union has kept proper accounting records in accordance with section 28 of the 1992 Act;
 - (b) whether it has maintained a satisfactory system of control over its transactions in accordance with the requirements of that section; and
 - (c) whether the accounts to which the report relates agree with the accounting records?
- (See section 36(3) of the 1992 Act, set out in note 43)

YES/~~NO~~

If "No" please explain below.

3. Are the auditors or auditor of the opinion that the union has complied with section 28 of the 1992 Act and has:
- (a) kept proper accounting records with respect to its transactions and its assets and liabilities; and
 - (b) established and maintained a satisfactory system of control of its accounting records, its cash holding and all its receipts and remittances.
- (See section 36(4) of the 1992 Act set out in note 43)

YES/~~NO~~

If "No" please explain below.

4. Please set out a copy of the report made by the auditors or auditor to the union on the accounts to which this AR27 relates. The report is to set out the basis upon which the audit has been conducted and/or such other statement as the auditor considers appropriate. Such a statement may be provided as a separate document.
(See note 45)

Independent Auditors' Report

to the members of the Chemical Industries Association Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Chemical Industries Association Limited for the year ended 30 June 2012 which comprise the income and expenditure account, the Balance Sheet, the Cash Flow Statement, the Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to any party other than the company and company's members as a body, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Statement of Council Members' Responsibilities the Council members are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Report of the Council to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

Opinion on the financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 June 2012 and of its surplus/deficit for the year;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Report of the Council for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Neil Finlayson

Neil Finlayson (Senior Statutory Auditor)
for and on behalf of Kingston Smith LLP,
Statutory Auditor

Devonshire House
60 Goswell Road
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AUDITOR'S REPORT (continued)

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Signature(s) of auditor or auditors:

Name(s):

Profession(s) or Calling(s):

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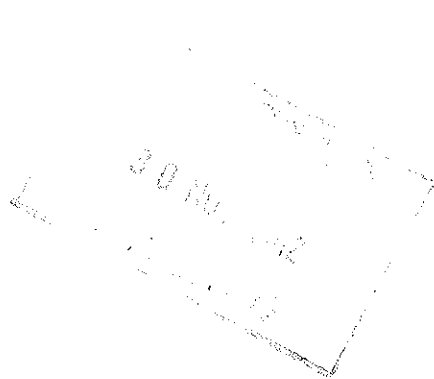
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N.B. When notes to the accounts are referred to in the auditor's report a copy of those notes must accompany this return.

The Accounts



Officers and Council for the year ended 30 June 2012

The Council – effectively the Association's Board of Directors – has a maximum composition of 35 members. Of these 23 are appointed or elected from member companies ensuring representation from the largest to the smallest; the remaining 12 may be drawn from member companies as co-options from the whole membership. The Council manages all the Association's business.

President

Mr J Saul
*Senior Vice President
Primary Supply,
GlaxoSmithKline
(to March 2012)*

Mr K Wiggins
*General Manager UK,
Dow Chemicals
(from March 2012)*

Treasurer

Mr J Saul
*Senior Vice President
Primary Supply,
GlaxoSmithKline
(from March 2012)*

Members

Mr M Ashcroft
*Managing Director
Brunner Mond (UK) Ltd*

Dr W Barton
*Chief Operating Officer,
Oxford Catalysts Ltd*

Dr T W Bastock OBE
*Group Managing Director,
Contract Chemicals Limited*

Mr P Booth
*President,
SABIC UK Petrochemicals*

Dr J Bush
*Chief Executive,
PQ Silicas Limited*

Mr P Daniels
*Site Manager,
Ineos ChlorVinyls
(to June 2012)*

Mr M Dawkins
*Managing Director,
Bayer plc*

Mr D Fournier
*President & CEO,
Infineum
(to March 2012)*

Mr M Goddard

*Director,
Nufarm UK Ltd*

Mr G Grant

*Operations Manager,
Ineos Mfg. Scotland Ltd*

Mr T Jensen

*Managing Director
BASF*

Mr A Laing

*Director,
Pentagon Chemical Holdings*

Mr X LeMintier

*CEO
Infineum
(from March 2012)*

Sir Rob Margetts CBE

*Chairman – Europe,
Huntsman Corporation*

Dr B M Murphy

*Consultant,
Robinson Brothers Limited*

Mr K Nutbrown

*Head of Operations,
Croda International plc*

Mr D Ott

*Managing Director
Dow Corning Ltd*

Mr R Parmenter

*Engineering Manager
GlaxoSmithKline
(to March 2012)*

Mr H C Paul

*Chairman,
ExxonMobil Chemical Limited*

Mr A Ritchie

*Managing Director
Total Petrochemicals*

Mr H Swan

*Managing Director,
Thomas Swan & Co Ltd*

Mr C Tane

*CEO
Ineos ChlorVinyls
(from June 2012)*

Mr D Topliffe

*North Chemicals Production Unit
Manager,
Shell Chemicals*

Mr D Tudor

*Vice President
Primary Pharma Operations
GlaxoSmithKline
(from March 2012)*

Mr R Tyler

*Managing Director,
Rhodia UK*

Mr A Whitfield

*Chief Executive,
Yule Catto & Co plc*

Mr N Whitley

*Divisional Director,
Johnson Matthey*

Secretary (Non member)

Ms L Martin
*Head of Finance
Chemical Industries Association
(to November 2011)*

Mr S Elliott

*Chief Executive
Chemical Industries Association
(from November 2011)*

Report of the Council

for the year ended 30 June 2012

Council presents the Annual Report and audited financial statements of the Association for the year ended 30 June 2012. This document will be presented to the Council meeting on 15 November 2012.

Officers

Mr K Wiggins was elected President following the Council meeting in November 2011.

Council and Boards

All those who served on Council during the year are listed on page 1 of this report. There were 27 members of Council as at 30 June 2012. Council met four times during the year.

There are no contracts, shareholdings or other arrangements benefiting any member of Council which requires disclosure in terms of the Companies Act 2006.

Strategies and Issues

Reporting to Council are four Strategy Groups, each chaired by a member of Council with a CIA executive as manager. They are:

Products & Health which considers how chemicals are managed responsibly once off site and formulated into products.

Responsible Care is responsible for production and management of chemicals on site.

Economic Policy looks at international competitiveness and related productivity of the UK chemical industry.

Employment & Communication deals with employment and communication issues in support of the industry's relationship with its workforce and external stakeholders.

The function of the Strategy Groups is to determine strategy and policy within their broad areas of responsibility, to agree priorities, and where appropriate, sponsor relevant issues and to oversee the work of the dedicated Issue Teams, supported by their appropriate Networks of Expertise. All the Strategy Groups have met two or three times during 2011/12 with much of the work taking place virtually using the ONECIA database.

Issue teams, have a clearly defined and desired outcome with agreed measures of success, as well as timescales in which they need to operate. They form the mainstay of CIA and member work activity. Chaired by a member sponsor, these teams will be multi-disciplinary, and have a limited commitment.

Networks of Expertise (NoEs) are being formed around specific subject areas and will communicate through the ONECIA database with discussions being moderated by CIA staff. NoEs identify future issues, act as sounding boards for ideas on CIA policy and provide a pool of potential support for Issue Teams. Communicating through ONECIA allows active participation with minimum time requirement.

The work of the Association depends crucially on the activities of all the above bodies and on the work done by the many other Association committees and sub-committees. Council wishes to express its gratitude to Member companies and their expert staff, who have supported the Association throughout the period under review.

The Association keeps its members informed about the activities it has undertaken on their behalf through various media including websites, Business Brief, news briefs, minutes and general correspondence.

Sector groups

Sector Groups have a vital role to play within the Association acting as Issue Teams on their sector specific issues and they also form a national Network of Expertise in their specialism.

Statement of the Council members' responsibilities

The Companies Act 2006 requires the Council members to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of its surplus or deficit for that period.

In preparing those financial statements, the Council Members are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The Council members are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Management

For the purposes of the Companies Act 2006, the Council members constitute the Association's directors. The day to day running of the Association is conducted by the Chief Executive supported by a management team of three directors.

Staff

On 30 June 2012 the number of staff employed by the Association, including the Director General was:

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Senior Management	4	3
Executives	15	17
Administration	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>
	<u>27</u>	<u>29</u>

The monthly average number of employees was 28 (2011: 28).

Employees were allocated to the Association and subsidiary activities as follows:

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
CIA	21.5	23
CIABATA	1.5	2
REACHREADY	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
	<u>27</u>	<u>29</u>

The Association continually reviews its available staff skill sets compared with those required to maintain its core activities.

The Association is staffed throughout with talented and committed people. Council wishes to record its appreciation to all members of staff for their contributions to the Association's work throughout the year.

Principal activities

The basic objectives and principal activities of the Association have remained as shown in its Memorandum and Articles of Association and are:

- the promotion of the interests of manufacturers, processors, sellers, providers of services and employers in the chemical and allied industries in the United Kingdom;
- the furthering of co-operation between companies engaged in those industries;
- the encouragement of efficiency in those industries.

The Association's mission is to represent UK chemical and allied industries to relevant stakeholders and to support our members in achieving economic and environmental sustainability.

Details of the Association's work during the year are set out in a separate report headed by the Chief Executive.

Association structure

The Association is a company limited by guarantee. There has been no change to its structure during the year.

The constitution allows for a maximum of 35 council members and, at 30 June 2012, there were 26 (2011: 26).

Membership

On 30 June 2012 there were 112 (2011: 118) subscription-paying companies (listed on pages 17-18).

Financial review of the year

On the basis of the preliminary estimates of expenditure and trading income for the financial year 2010-11 Council decided to increase subscriptions by 4% for 2011-12.

The Association's financial position during 2011-12 has been managed on a sound basis with a view to building reserves.

	<u>2011-2012</u>	<u>2010-11</u>
	£	£
Turnover from subscription	3,657,536	3,663,150
Turnover from other operations	1,392,140	1,562,275
Interest receivable	<u>8,130</u>	<u>9,274</u>
Gross income	5,057,796	5,234,699
Surplus after tax for the company	738,054	750,369
Impact on the surplus due to the adoption of FRS17.	<u>222,000</u>	<u>265,000</u>
Reported Surplus	<u>516,054</u>	<u>485,369</u>

Current year

In the current financial year it is the Association's intention to continue promoting the interests and prosperity of its members within the chemical industry. The level of activities will be consistent with the available resources and the efficient operation of the Association.

Risks and uncertainties

The Council is responsible for monitoring the Association's internal controls. Council, supported by the Management Team and a finance sub-committee, review the major risks identified arising from or in connection with the Association's activities and how they might be alleviated. At recent meetings particular attention has been paid to:

- continuing subscription income from member companies
- the impact of the economic downturn both on the Association's activities and those of its member companies
- the deficit on the defined benefit pension scheme (closed to further benefit accrual in May 2002) Preparation for increased payments to address the deficit planned from July 2012
- reviewing and rationalising overhead costs

Political and charitable contributions

The Association made no political contributions.

No contributions to the Chemical Industries Association Charitable Trust were made during the year (2010 - NIL). The Trust has sufficient resources to meet its objectives. The Trust was established by the Association in 1989 to enable member companies to make charitable contributions primarily for educational purposes.

Auditors


A formal resolution for the appointment of Kingston Smith LLP as auditors until the next succeeding Annual General Meeting and for the fixing of their remuneration will be submitted to the following Annual General Meeting.

Disclosure of information to auditors

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware. The directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as directors in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

*By order of the Council Kings Buildings, Smith Square
S Elliott
Chief Executive*

*London SW1P 3JJ
8 October 2012*



Independent Auditors' Report

to the members of the Chemical Industries Association Limited

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Opinion on the financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:

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- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.



Neil Finlayson (Senior Statutory Auditor)
for and on behalf of Kingston Smith LLP,
Statutory Auditor

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INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
for the year ended 30 June 2012

	2012 £	2011 £
<i>Note 2</i> Turnover from Subscriptions	3,657,536	3,663,151
<i>Note 8</i> :Other operations	1,392,140	1,562,275
Total turnover	5,049,676	5,225,426
<i>Note 10</i> Administration expenses	-3,811,501	-4,037,639
<i>Note 11</i> Other operating expenses	-359,610	-380,085
<i>Note 14</i> Charitable contributions	0	0
Operating Surplus	878,566	807,702
Interest receivable	8,120	9,274
<i>Note 5</i> Other finance costs	-222,000	-265,000
<i>Note 9</i> Surplus on ordinary activities before taxation	664,686	551,976
<i>Note 12</i> Taxation	-148,630	-66,607
Surplus on ordinary activities after taxation	516,056	485,369

STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES
for the year ended 30 June 2012

	2012 £	2011 £
Retained surplus on ordinary activities	516,056	485,369
<i>Note 5</i> Movement on Deferred Tax asset relating to Pension Deficit	290,000	-144,400
<i>Note 5</i> Actuarial deficit	-1,559,000	375,000
Total Recognised Gains and Losses for the year	-752,944	715,969
Balance Sheet Total Brought Forward	-2,169,913	-2,885,882
Balance Sheet Total Carried Forward	-2,922,857	-2,169,913

BALANCE SHEET
as at 30 June 2012

	2012		2011	
	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS				
<i>Note 15</i> Tangible fixed assets		97,641		173,352
<i>Note 16</i> Fixed asset investments		<u>20,003</u>		<u>20,003</u>
		117,644		193,355
CURRENT ASSETS				
<i>Note 17</i> Debtors	927,956		857,890	
Short term deposits	1,026,978		1,021,844	
Cash at bank and in hand	<u>910,416</u>		<u>232,960</u>	
	2,865,350		2,112,694	
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
<i>Note 19</i> Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	<u>1,126,450</u>		<u>857,562</u>	
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>1,738,900</u>		<u>1,255,132</u>
NET ASSETS EXCLUDING PENSION PROVISION		1,856,543		1,448,487
<i>Note 5</i> Defined Benefit Pension Scheme deficit		<u>-4,779,400</u>		<u>-3,618,400</u>
NET LIABILITIES AFTER PENSION SCHEME DEFICIT		<u>-2,922,857</u>		<u>-2,169,913</u>
Represented by:				
<i>Note 3</i> DEFICIT ON DEFINED BENEFIT SCHEME		-4,779,400		-3,618,400
CAPITAL FUND		<u>1,856,543</u>		<u>1,448,487</u>
		<u>-2,922,857</u>		<u>-2,169,913</u>

The financial statements on pages 6 to 8 were approved by Council at a meeting held on 15 November 2012

S Elliott, Chief Executive

The notes on pages 9 to 15 form part of these financial statements



Cash flow statement for the year ended 30 June 2012

The notes on pages 9 to 15 form part of these financial statements

	2012	2011
	£	£
Cash flows		
<i>Note 20</i> Net cash inflow from operating activities	743,244	1,047
Returns on investments and servicing of finance		
Interest received	8,120	9,274
Taxation	-59,401	0
Capital expenditure		
Payments to acquire tangible fixed assets	-9,373	-248,741
Proceeds from sale of Fixed Assets		
Cash inflow/(outflow) before management of liquid resources and financing	682,590	-238,421
Management of liquid resources		
Purchase of short term deposits	-5,134	-5,128
Increase/(decrease) in cash	677,456	-243,549

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2012

1 Accounting Policies

- (i) The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.
- (ii) Deferred tax is recognised, without being discounted, in respect of all timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes which have arisen but not reversed by the balance sheet date, except as otherwise required by FRS19.
- (iii) Stocks of publications and stationery are treated as having zero net realisable value.
- (iv) Depreciation of fixed assets:
 - (a) Fixed assets costing more than £1,500 are written off over three years
 - (b) Assets costing less than £1,500 are provided in full in the year of purchase.
- (v) Turnover represents the amount (excluding value added tax) derived from subscriptions and the provision of services.
- (vi) The Association operates an employee pension scheme providing benefits based on final pensionable pay. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the Association, being invested with insurance companies. Contributions to the scheme are charged to the income and expenditure account in accordance with a scheme of contributions as agreed with the Scheme Actuary from time to time.
- (vii) Operating lease rentals are charged to the income and expenditure account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.
- (viii) The charge for taxation takes into account taxation deferred because of timing differences.
- (ix) The company has complied fully with Financial Reporting Standard 17 (Retirement Benefits).

2 Turnover from subscriptions

Subscription income is based on Member Company declarations which are accepted by the Association as being valid, without verification, for the purposes of calculating subscription fees due from each Member Company.

3 Members' liability

Each member is, in accordance with the Memorandum & Articles of Association, liable to contribute to the assets of the Association such amount as may be required, not exceeding £100, in the event of the Association being wound up. This liability continues for one year after cessation of membership. On 30 June 2012 there were 112 members of the Association so liable (2011-118).

4 Format of Accounts

The formats for income and expenditure account and balance sheet set out in the Companies Act 2006 have been amended where in the Council's opinion the formats are not applicable to the Association's special

circumstances. In order to express a true and fair view of the balance sheet, the Association's Capital Fund has not been classified under capital and reserves as required by the Companies Act 2006. The Association is a company limited by guarantee, not having a share capital and is principally involved in non-trading activities. In compliance with the Companies Act 2006 the Council presents the financial statements in an amended format.

5 Pensions

The company operates a pension scheme, closed to new members from 1 July 1995 which provides benefits based on final pensionable pay, contributions being charged to the income and expenditure account in accordance with a scheme of contributions agreed with the Scheme Actuary to eliminate the deficit by October 2015 as required by legislation. From 31 May 2002 the defined benefit accrual ceased and was replaced by defined contribution accrual for all active members of the scheme.

The triennial actuarial valuation at July 2009 used a market based approach, which assumed that the investment returns would be 5.69%, that inflation would be 3.20% p.a. and that present and future pensions would increase at the rate of 3.20% p.a. This valuation showed that the market value of the scheme assets was £6,910,000 and that the actuarial value of those assets represented 73% of the benefits that had accrued to members.

The Association agreed a schedule of contributions payable for the period 1 November 2007 to 30 June 2012 of £30,000 per month, subsequently increased to £60,000 from 1 July 2012 to 31 October 2015, in respect of past service. These contributions are intended to restore the funding level to 100% by October 2015: legislation requires that this schedule should be re-assessed at regular periodic intervals and the contributions increased as necessary. In addition the Association has agreed to pay all expenses of administering the scheme together with premiums for the insured death-in service benefits as they arise. There has been no adjustment to the schedule of contributions in the current accounting period.

Contributions to individual personal pension plans were introduced for new employees effective 1 July 1995. This arrangement ceased in September 2002 and all employer contributions have been paid into a group personal pension plan from 1 October 2002 onwards. Contributions for the year under review amounted to £141,511 (2011: £129,252).

The valuation was updated by the actuary on an FRS 17 basis as at 30 June 2012.

The major assumptions used in this valuation at June 2012 were:

Rate of increase in salaries (no members accruing benefits on a final salary basis)	N/A
Rate of increase in pensions in payment in respect of service before 1 July 1995	5.00%
Rate of increase in pensions in payment in respect of service after 1 July 1995	3.20%
Rate of increase in deferred pensions	1.75%
Discount rate applied to scheme liabilities	4.50%
Inflation assumption	2.50%
Expected return on scheme assets	6.40%

The assumptions used by the actuary are the best estimates chosen from a range of possible actuarial assumptions which, due to the timescale covered, may not necessarily be borne out in practice.

Money purchase contributions to the scheme are not dealt with in this note.

Scheme assets

The fair value of the scheme's assets, which are not intended to be realised in the short term and may be subject to significant changes before they are realised, and the present value of the scheme's liabilities, which are derived from cash flow projections over long periods and thus inherently uncertain, were:

	Long term rate of return 2012	Value at 2012 £000	Long term rate of return 2011	Value at 2011 £000
Equities	7.0%	5,980	7.0%	2,486
Diversified	0.0%	-	7.0%	1,218
Property	6.0%	782	6.0%	306
UK Gilts	3.0%	424	4.0%	1,829
Bonds	4.5%	802	5.6%	2,194
Cash	3.0%	<u>60</u>	4.0%	<u>53</u>
		8,048		8,086
Present value of scheme liabilities		<u>(14,021)</u>		<u>(12,609)</u>
Net liability		(5,973)		(4,523)
Less deferred tax asset at 20%		<u>1,194</u>		<u>905</u>
Net pension liability		<u>(4,779)</u>		<u>(3,618)</u>

The amount of this net pension liability would have a consequential effect on the Association's reserves.

Amounts recognised in profit and loss

	2012 £000	2011 £000
Interest cost	(691)	(673)
Expected return on assets	<u>469</u>	<u>408</u>

Total cost	(222)	(265)
Actual return on assets	195	500

Changes in fair value of scheme assets

	2012 £000	2011 £000
Opening fair value of scheme assets	8,086	7,733
Expected return on assets	469	408
Employer contributions	330	390
Benefits paid	(564)	(537)
Actuarial gain (loss)	<u>(274)</u>	<u>92</u>
Closing fair value of scheme assets	<u>8,048</u>	<u>8,086</u>

Chemical Industries Association expects to contribute £720,000 in the year to 30 June 2013.

Changes in fair value of defined benefit obligation

	2012 £000	2011 £000
Opening defined benefit obligation	12,609	12,726
Interest cost	691	673
Actuarial loss/(gain)	1,285	(253)
Benefits paid	<u>(564)</u>	<u>(537)</u>
Closing defined benefit obligation	<u>14,021</u>	<u>12,609</u>

NOTES

5 Pensions note continued

Amounts for the current and previous four periods are as follows:

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Defined benefit obligation	(14,021)	(12,609)	(12,726)	(9,438)	(8,920)
Plan assets	8,047	8,086	7,733	6,910	7,674
Deficit	(5,974)	(4,523)	(4,993)	(2,528)	(1,246)
Adjustment due to change in assumptions	(1,285)	253	(3,225)	(414)	885
Experience adjustments on plan assets	(274)	92	596	(1,155)	(829)

6 Designated funds

Designated funds represent money subscribed for specific medical, research, educational and other projects held in trust by the Association for those purposes. This includes funds held for the National Sulphuric Acid Association.

7 Council members and employees

Neither the President nor any of the Officers and Council members who served during the year received any emoluments or pension contributions from the Association in respect of the year ended 30 June 2012 (2011: NIL). For the purposes of the Companies Act

	2012	2011
	£	£
Property income	183,816	311,172
Fees from affiliates and sector groups	64,621	196,639
Training services & exhibitions	384,861	312,583
Meetings, conferences & events	351,895	344,692
CIABATA	235,789	232,723
REACH	144,635	131,187
Publications	26,523	33,279
	<u>1,392,140</u>	<u>1,562,275</u>

9 Surplus on ordinary activities before taxation

Surplus on ordinary activities before taxation is stated after charging/(crediting)

Auditors remuneration: Audit	9,800	9,800
: Other services	1,300	1,300
Depreciation - amount written off owned assets	85,084	91,220
	<u>96,184</u>	<u>102,320</u>

10 Administration expenses :

Training services & exhibitions	244,209	132,899
Meetings and conferences	192,375	206,990
Publications	130,617	142,928
Note 13 Staff costs	1,967,904	1,941,542
Consultancy costs	165,446	228,419
Property occupancy	592,849	823,474
Administration costs	166,034	229,280
Depreciation	85,084	91,220
Meetings, travel and other expenses	253,017	230,017
Bank charges	11,066	10,870
Bad debts	2,899	0
	<u>3,811,501</u>	<u>4,037,639</u>

	2012 £	2011 £
11 Other operating expenses		
CEFIC :Subscription	265,992	272,528
National Chemical Emergency Centre	20,000	20,000
Confederation of British Industry	20,854	20,052
Energy Intensive Users' Group	18,000	17,700
EFCG	0	2,711
ECEG	6,545	6,899
SORIS	1,000	1,000
Other subscriptions	27,219	39,195
	<u>359,610</u>	<u>380,085</u>

12 Taxation

(a) Analysis of charge in the period

UK Corporation tax on surplus for the period	145,836	59,401
Adjustments in respect of previous periods	0	0
<i>Total current tax</i>	<u>145,836</u>	<u>59,401</u>
<i>Deferred tax (note 18)</i>		
Origination and reversal of timing differences	2,794	7,206
Tax on surplus on ordinary activities	<u>148,630</u>	<u>66,607</u>

(b) Factors affecting tax charge for the period

Reported surplus	664,686	551,976
Defined Benefit Pension Scheme contribution	-330,000	-360,000
FRS17 pension expenses	222,000	265,000
Taxable (deficit) / surplus in ordinary activities before tax	<u>556,686</u>	<u>456,976</u>
Taxable (deficit) / surplus on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate 23.55% (2011: 20.75%)	131,081	94,822
<i>Effects of:</i>		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	0	8,949
Capital allowances in excess of Depreciation	10,153	-10,487
Movements in provision	4,602	8,025
Charges on income unutilised	0	-41,908
Current tax charge for period	<u>145,836</u>	<u>59,401</u>

13 Staff costs

The aggregate payroll costs of employees were as follows:

Wages and salaries : CIA staff, Seconded & Social security costs	1,702,805	1,657,648
Redundancy costs	0	56,978
Pension costs (excluding £330,000 contribution to the Defined Benefit Pension Scheme)	185,715	153,605
Other costs	79,384	73,311
Staff Costs included in administration expenses (Note 10)	<u>1,967,904</u>	<u>1,941,542</u>
Actuarial cost associated with the defined benefit pension scheme	-222,000	-265,000
Total Staff costs	<u>1,745,904</u>	<u>1,676,542</u>

The weekly average number of employees was 28 (2011 : 28)

	2012	2011
	£	£

14 Charitable contributions

Gift aid contribution to charitable trust	0	0
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	<i>F&F & Office Refurb</i>	<i>Computer equipment</i>	<i>Total</i>
	£	£	£
15 Tangible Fixed assets			
COST:			
Balance at 1 July 2011	176,786	170,896	347,682
Additions in year	0	9,373	9,373
Disposals	0	0	0
Balance at 30 June 2012	176,786	180,269	357,056
DEPRECIATION:			
Balance at 1 July 2011	63,540	110,790	174,330
Charge for the year	55,393	29,691	85,084
Disposals	0	0	0
Balance at 30 June 2012	118,934	140,481	259,415
NET BOOK VALUE at 30 June 2012	57,854	39,788	97,641
NET BOOK VALUE at 30 June 2011	113,246	60,106	173,352

	2012	2011
	£	£

16 Fixed assets investments

Investments in subsidiary undertakings

Investments	3	3
Reach Link	20,000	20,000
	<u>20,003</u>	<u>20,003</u>

Investments comprise the Association's holdings in CIABATA Ltd and REACHREADY Ltd.

The Association owns 100% of each company, all companies are incorporated in England and Wales.

Group accounts have not been prepared to consolidate the Association's dormant subsidiaries, CIABATA Ltd and REACHREADY LTD, on the basis that the consolidated accounts would not be materially different from the accounts prepared for the Association as a single entity.

17 Debtors

Trade debtors	562,365	255,606
Other debtors	11,112	17,101
Deferred taxation due after more than 1 year	4,636	7,429
Prepayments and accrued income	349,844	577,754
	<u>927,956</u>	<u>857,890</u>

Note 18

	2012	2011
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
18 Deferred tax asset		
Accelerated depreciation	-7,634	-1,259
Other including bad debt	<u>12,000</u>	<u>8,688</u>
	<u>4,366</u>	<u>7,429</u>

19 Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

Subscriptions received in advance	53,914	69,369
Trade creditors	120,057	87,862
Other creditors	36,085	47,713
Designated Funds	187,599	189,905
Corporation tax	145,836	59,401
Taxation and social security	68,626	59,159
Accruals and deferred income	<u>514,334</u>	<u>344,153</u>
	<u>1,126,450</u>	<u>857,562</u>
	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>

20 Reconciliation of operating Surplus to net cash inflow from operating activities

Operating Surplus	878,566	807,702
Depreciation charges	85,084	91,220
Investment impairment	0	42,355
Pensions contribution	-330,000	-360,000
Decrease in debtors	-72,859	-401,025
Decrease in creditors	197,908	-245,874
(Decrease) / Increase in payments received in advance	<u>-15,455</u>	<u>66,669</u>
Net cash (outflow) / Inflow from operating activities	<u>243,244</u>	<u>1,047</u>

Cash flow from operating activities includes subscription payments received in advance; the timing of receipts of such subscription payments can cause fluctuations in the cash flow statement.

21 Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in funds

(Decrease) / increase in cash in period	677,456	-243,548
Cash used to increase / (decrease) liquid-resources	<u>5,134</u>	<u>5,128</u>
Change in net funds	682,590	-238,420
Net funds as at 1 July 2011	<u>1,254,804</u>	<u>1,493,224</u>
Net funds as at 30 June 2012	<u>1,937,394</u>	<u>1,254,804</u>

22 Analysis of changes in net funds

	At 1 July 2011	Cash flows	At 30 June 2012
Cash in hand at bank	232,960	677,456	910,416
Term deposits	1,021,844	5,134	1,026,978
	<u>1,254,804</u>	<u>682,590</u>	<u>1,937,394</u>

23 Annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases

	Land and buildings	Other	Land and buildings	Other
Operating leases which expire:				
Two to Five years	0	22,471	0	22,471
In more than five years	<u>205,902</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>205,902</u>	<u>0</u>
	<u>205,902</u>	<u>22,471</u>	<u>205,902</u>	<u>22,471</u>

24 Contingent liability

The Association facilitated the payment of certain funds from the European Social Fund to a technical training enterprise for four projects in 1999 and two further projects in 2000. In the unlikely event that the technical training enterprise cannot meet the criteria for accessing these funds any prepayment considered due may be sought through the Association.

The Association would suffer loss only to the extent that any such amount could not be recovered from the third party technical training enterprise.

Association staff have worked closely with the enterprise and the auditors representing the European Social Fund. Council believes that there will be no net financial loss to the Association. The Association has advised the technical training enterprise that it will not facilitate any further projects of this nature.

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Companies in Membership

Full membership of the CIA is open to organisations engaged directly in the manufacture, distribution and/or marketing of chemical products in the UK. All member companies give signatory commitment to the Responsible Care Guiding Principles.

A

Aesica Pharmaceuticals Ltd

Akeros Chemicals Ltd

Albemarle Chemicals UK

AMOG

Archimica Ltd

Arizona Chemicals

Arkema Ltd

AstraZeneca Group plc

B

Baker Hughes

Bakhu Pharma

Basell Polyolefins UK Ltd

BASF plc

Baxenden Chemicals Ltd

Bayer plc

Bitrez Limited

Bluestar Silicones (UK) Ltd

Brenntag UK Ltd

Briar Chemicals

Brotherton Esseco

C

Calachem

Celanese Acetate Products Limited

Chemson Limited

Chemtura Europe

Chemviron Carbon Limited

Clariant Services UK Ltd

Contract Chemicals Limited

Covidien

Croda International Ltd

Custom Powders Limited

D

Dow Chemical Company Limited

Dow Corning Limited

Dynea UK Ltd

E

Eastman Chemical Workington

Eli Lilly & Company Ltd

EPC UK Additives

Evonik Goldschmidt UK

ExxonMobil Chemical Limited

F

Fine Organics Ltd

FMC Chemicals Limited

Frutarom

Fujifilm Imaging Colorants

G

GEO Speciality Chemicals

GlaxoSmithKline

Growhow UK Limited

H

Huntsman Corporation Limited

I

Indorama Polymers Workington

Ineos ChlorVinyls Limited

Ineos Europe Limited

Ineos Nitriles

Infineum International Ltd

Innospec Ltd

Innovia Films Ltd

ISP (GB) Co Ltd

J

James M Brown Ltd

Johnson Matthey PLC

K

Kemira Chemicals (UK) Limited

Koppers UK Limited

L

Lanxess Limited

Lotte Chemicals UK Ltd

Lubrizol Ltd

Lucite International

Lundbeck Pharmaceuticals Limited

M

Macfarlan Smith Limited

MEL Chemicals

Merisol UK Ltd

Mexichem UK Ltd

Millennium Inorganic Chemicals Inc. A Crystal Company

Momentive Speciality Chemicals

N

Nalco Limited

Nanoco

Norit (UK) Limited

Novartis Grimsby Limited

Nufarm Limited

Nynas

O

Oxford Catalysts Group Plc

P

Pentagon Chemicals Holdings Ltd

Perstorp UK Ltd

Petrochem Carless Ltd

Polimeri Europa UK

PQ Silicas

R

Red Industries

Rhodia Ltd

Rio Tinto Minerals

Robinson Brothers Limited

Rockwood Specialities Ltd

S

SABIC UK Petrochemicals

SAFC HITECH

Shasun Chemicals & Drugs

Shell Chemical UK

SI Group-UK Ltd

Sigma-Aldrich Company Ltd

Silberline

Solutia UK Limited

Solvay Chemicals Limited

Stepan UK Ltd

Syngenta

Synthite Limited

T

Tata Chemicals Europe

Tennants Fine Chemicals Ltd

Thermphos UK Ltd

Thomas Swan & Co Ltd

Total Petrochemicals

Tradebe Solvent Recycling Ltd

U

Ubichem plc

UOP Limited

Urenco Chemplants Ltd

V

Veolia Environmental Services (UK) PLC

Vertellus Specialities UK Ltd

W

Warwick International Group Ltd

Witton Chemical Co Ltd

Y

Yule Catto plc

Z

Zeon Chemicals Europe Limited