

Consolidated income statement

for the year ended 31 December 2008

	Notes	2008			2007		
		Underlying £m	Amortisation and callable swaps £m	Total £m	Underlying £m	Amortisation and callable swaps £m	Total £m
Continuing operations:							
Revenue	3	2,441.4	–	2,441.4	2,073.3	–	2,073.3
Cost of sales		1,757.8	–	1,757.8	1,498.5	–	1,498.5
Gross profit		683.6	–	683.6	574.8	–	574.8
Administrative expenses		362.7	18.6	381.3	303.5	9.7	313.2
Operating profit	6	320.9	(18.6)	302.3	271.3	(9.7)	261.6
Net finance costs	8	(43.5)	(32.0)	(75.5)	(34.1)	–	(34.1)
Investment (loss)/income	4	(0.2)	–	(0.2)	1.2	–	1.2
Profit before tax		277.2	(50.6)	226.6	238.4	(9.7)	228.7
Income tax expense	9	(74.9)	14.1	(60.8)	(66.0)	3.5	(62.5)
Profit for the year		202.3	(36.5)	165.8	172.4	(6.2)	166.2
Attributable to:							
Equity holders of the parent		202.3	(36.5)	165.8	172.4	(6.2)	166.2
Earnings per share							
– basic	10	33.26p	(6.00)p	27.26p	28.10p	(1.01)p	27.09p
– diluted		32.96p	(5.95)p	27.01p	27.63p	(0.99)p	26.64p