

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL ON THE AC- COUNT OF



KIRIBATI COPRA COOPERATIVE SOCI- ETY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DE- CEMBER 1997 TO 2001

KIRIBATI NATIONAL AUDIT OFFICE
December 2008

**REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL ON THE ACCOUNTS OF
KIRIBATI COPRA COOPERATIVE SOCIETY FOR THE YEARS ENDED
31 DECEMBER 1997 to 2001**

GENERAL

Kiribati Copra Co-operative Society Ltd was incorporated under the Co-operative Society Ordinance 1977 for the economic interest of member societies and the purchase and export of copra.

Scope

As required by Part VII of the Public Finance (Control and Audit) Ordinance 1976, I was engaged to audit the financial statements of Kiribati Copra Co-operative Society for the years ended 31st December 1997 to 2001.

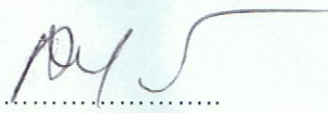
The preparation and presentation of the accounts and the information contained therein, as well as the existence of internal controls, which should be fully effective for the prevention of error or fraud, are the responsibilities of the Company.

Qualification

I am unable to verify the balances disclosed in the financial statements of Kiribati Copra Co-operative Society for the years ended 31 December 1998 to 2001 as most accounting documents necessary for the audit exercise were not made available. The 1997 Financial Statement was never submitted for audit.

Disclaimer Audit Opinion

In my opinion, because of the existence of the limitation on the scope of my audit work as described in the preceding paragraph, I am unable to and do not express an opinion of the KCCS financial statements for the years ended 31st Dec, 1997 to 2001.


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Raimon Taake
Auditor General

16 Dec 2008

Kiribati Copra Cooperative Society Ltd
Draft Balance sheet
as at 31st December 2001

		2001	2000
CURRENT ASSETS:	Notes		\$
Cash	3	1,438	46,896
Receivables	4	699,688	858,116
Investment	5	-	-
Inventories	6	1,141,062	1,076
Total current assets		1,842,188	906,088
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Creditors & Borrowings	7	863,360	110,309
WORKING CAPITAL		978,828	795,779
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Unsecured loans			
Long term assets	8	84,511	83,547
NET WORTH		\$ 1,063,339	\$ 879,326
SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY			
Share capital	9	-	-
Reserves	10	1,063,339	879,326
		\$ 1,063,339	\$ 879,326

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 (Chairman)

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 (Chief Executive Officer)

Kiribati Copra Cooperative Society Ltd
Trading account
for year ended 31 December 2001

	Copra	Sacks	Twine & Scales	2001 Total	2000 Total
Sales	1,340,635	8,306		1,348,941	2,091,496
Opening stock					309,056
Purchases	232,120			232,120	408,192
Closing stock		78,619		78,619	0
	232,120	(78,619)	-	153,501	3,498,752
Freight	867,709	5		867,714	665,347
	1,099,829	(78,614)	-	1,021,215	4,164,099
Agency fees				116,733	234,233
Lighthouse & wharfage				8,125	182,434
Draft survey				2,020	
Copra insurance				7,878	7,878
Copra storage					
Inspectors cost				24,763	23,127
Shrinkage					
Labourers				22,855	12,488
Stevedoring					
Copra demurrage					
Smoke generator					2,138
Rebagging expense					200
Phytosanitary				400	
				182,774	462,498
Total cost of sales				1,203,989	4,626,597
Gross profit/(loss)				144,952	(2,535,101)

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Kiribati Copra Co-operative Society Ltd
Draft Profit & Loss statement
for year ended 31 December 2001

	2001	2000
Gross profit/(loss)	145,423	-2,533,944
Interest received		761
Rent received		315
Sundry Income	471	81
	145,423	-2,533,944
Stabex Fund Grant	376,000	1,949,866
Government Subsidy		0
Total	521,423	-584,078

EXPENDITURE:

Advertising	907	2,689
Audit fees	10,291	-
Bad debts	-	-
Committee expenses	12,675	12,934
Bank charges	1,599	1,702
Electricity	6,639	5,233
Entertainment	4,388	3,633
Land lease	400	-
Motor vehicle expenses	-	3,852
Repairs and maintenance - Dwelling houses	8,367	7,125
Repairs and maintenance - Office buildings	1,628	2,645
Repairs & Maintenance - Equipment	3,359	-
Payroll expenses - Salaries	175,275	80,716
Payroll expenses - Temporary	12,761	7,443
Relieving wages	4,599	1,086
Overtime	431	2,885
Leave grant	7,438	6,500
Service charges	3,068	3,068
Subscription	-	1,225
Depreciation	-	9,281
Takeover costs	31,374	1,862
KPF contributions	-	13,078
Stationery postage & O.Exps	9,032	18,497
Publications	-	54
Sundry expenses	-	980
Telephone & Fax	14,013	20,468
Training	-	92
Travelling	100,428	66,121
	408,672	273,169
Operating profit/(loss)	112,751	(857,247)

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KIRIBATI COPRA COOPERATIVE SOCIETY LTD
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2001

1 GENERAL:

Kiribati Copra Cooperative Society Ltd was incorporated under the Co-operative Societies Ordinance 1977 for the accounting interest of member societies and the purchase and export of copra.

2 ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

- 2.1 The Financial statement are prepared under the historical cost convention
- 2.2 The Financial statement are expressed in Australian dollars.
- 2.3 Depreciation is calculated to write down the value of the asset in equal instalments, using the straight line method over their expected useful lives.

Leasehold buildings	3%
Furniture & Office Equipment	10%
Plant & Equipment	10%
- 2.4 Stock of copra in store and at outer islands is valued at the lower cost of net realisable value.
- 2.5 Foreign currency transactions are converted to Australian currency at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of transaction and profit or losses which arise from currency conversion are credited to or charged against revenue.
- 2.6 Stabex Fund Grant received or receivable are shown as income received.

	2001	2000
	\$	\$
3 CASH		
Cash at bank	-	46,896
Cash on hand	1,438	200
	<u>1,438</u>	<u>46,896</u>

4 RECEIVABLES

Current Assets:

Trade debtors	3,499	3,499
Sundry debtors & prepayments	237,382	391,000
Staff loans	7,069	11,879
Advance to societies	451,738	451,738
	<u>\$ 699,688</u>	<u>858,116</u>

Loans to member societies which are unsecured. Interest is charged at 5% p.a on loans made for the purchase of vehicles.

5 INVESTMENT

Grown Agents
Bank of Kiribati

6 INVENTORIES

Copra	1,141,062	-
Sacks		
Twine		1,076
Scale & Metres		
	<u>\$ 1,141,062</u>	<u>1,076</u>

7 CREDITORS & BORROWINGS:

Trade creditors: DevPac	110,667	11,067
Bank overdraft	125,777	
Kiribati Government	627,516	
Sundry creditors		242
	<u>\$ 863,960</u>	<u>11,309</u>

8 LONG TERM ASSETS

Cost	Leasehold land & buildings	Furniture & Equipment	Plant & Equipment	2001 Total	2000
At 1st January	63,510	43,835	172,483	279,828	186,998
Additions		963		963	92,831
At 31 December	\$ 63,510	\$ 44,798	\$ 172,483	\$ 289,791	\$ 279,828
<i>Depreciation</i>					
At 1st January	63,508	26,502	106,270	196,280	186,995
Additions					9,287
At 31 December	63,508	26,502	106,270	196,280	196,282
NBV at 31 December 2001	\$ 2	\$ 18,296	\$ 66,213	84,511	83,547
NBV at 31 December 2000					

9 SHARE CAPITAL

Issued and fully paid

10 RESERVES

General reserve

Opening balance	184,328	1,041,575
Statutory transfer of 25% of current profit		
Closing balance	184,328	1,041,575

Revenue reserve:

Opening balance	766,260	694,998
Profit or (Loss) for the period	112,751	(857,247)
Closing balance	879,011	(162,249)

11 The Society is exempted from income tax pursuant to s.74 of the income tax act 1990

Kiribati Copra Cooperative Society Ltd
Draft Balance sheet
as at 31st December 2000

		2000	1999
	Notes	\$	\$
CURRENT ASSETS:			
Cash	3	46,896	319,582
Receivables	4	358,116	495,928
Investment	5	-	33,000
Inventories	6	1,076	799,468
Total current assets		906,088	1,648,078
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Creditors & Borrowings	7	110,309	295,284
WORKING CAPITAL		795,779	1,352,794
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Unsecured loans			
Long term assets	8	83,547	17,708
NET WORTH		\$ 879,326	\$ 1,370,502
SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY			
Share capital	9	-	132,580
Reserves	10	879,326	1,237,922
		\$ 879,326	\$ 1,370,502

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(Chairman)

(Chief Executive Officer)

Kiribati Copra Cooperative Society Ltd
Draft Trading account
for year ended 31 December 2000

	Copra	Sacks	Twine & Scales	2000 Total	1999 Total
Sales	2,046,696	44,800	-	2,091,496	9,185,799
Opening stock	2,996,200	86,915	7,445	3,090,560	0
Purchases	363,695	44,377	120	408,192	5,999,263
Closing stock					0
	3,359,895	131,292	7,565	3,498,752	5,999,263
Freight	665,347	-	-	665,347	2,663,774
	4,025,242	131,292	7,565	4,164,099	8,663,037
Agency fees				234,233	580,997
Lighterage & wharfage				182,434	197,454
Copra insurance				7,878	7,878
Copra storage				-	18,941
Inspectors cost				23,127	-
Shrinkage					244,811
Labourers				12,488	37,698
Stevedoring				-	28,072
Copra demurrage				-	-
Smoke generator				-	-
Rebagging expense				2,138	-
Phytosanitary				200	400
Total cost of sales				462,498	1,116,251
				4,626,597	9,779,288
Gross profit/(loss)				(2,535,101)	(593,489)

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Kiribati Copra Co-operative Society Ltd
Draft Profit & Loss statement
for year ended 31 December 2000

	2000	1999
Gross profit/(loss)	-2,535,101	-593,489
Interest received	761	1621
Rent received	315	905
Sundry Income	81	348
	-2,533,944	-590,615
Stabex Fund Grant	1,949,866	1036612
Government Subsidy	0	0
Total	-584,078	445,997
EXPENDITURE:		
Advertising	2,689	397
Audit fees	-	7060
Bad debts	-	886
Committee expenses	12,934	5883
Bank charges	1,702	1807
Electricity	5,233	4365
Entertainment	3,633	6241
Motor vehicle expenses	3,852	4931
Repairs and maintenance - buildings	7,125	7072
Repairs and maintenance - General	2,645	
Payroll expenses - Salaries	80,716	89378
Payroll expenses - Temporary	7,443	
Relieving wages	1,086	
Overtime	2,885	15664
Leave grant	6,500	3875
Service charges	3,068	3018
Subscription	1,225	
Depreciation	9,281	
Takeover costs	1,862	
KPF contributions	13,078	5166
Stationery postage & O.Exps	18,497	31903
Publications	54	
Sundry expenses	980	240
Telephone & Fax	20,468	5811
Lease	-	3575
Training	92	385
Travelling	66,121	118527
	273,169	314,184
Operating profit/(loss)	(857,247)	131,813

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KIRIBATI COPRA COOPERATIVE SOCIETY LTD
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2000

1 GENERAL:

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3 CASH

	2000	1999
Cash at bank	46,896	319,482
Cash on hand	200	200
	<u>46,896</u>	<u>319,682</u>

4 RECEIVABLES

Current Assets:

Trade debtors	3,499	
Sundry debtors & prepayments	391,000	25,841
Staff loans	11,879	1,150
Advance to Societies	451,738	468,937
	<u>\$ 858,116</u>	<u>496,928</u>

Loans to member societies which are unsecured. Interest is charged at 5% p.a on loans made for the purchase of vehicles.

5 INVESTMENT

Grown Agents		
Bank of Kiribati		33,000
		<u>33,000</u>

6 INVENTORIES

Copra		799,468
Sacks		
Twine	1,076	
Scale & Metres		
	<u>\$ 1,076</u>	<u>799,468</u>

7 CREDITORS & BORROWINGS:

Trade creditors	110,057	158,131
Sundry creditors	242	137,153
	<u>\$ 110,309</u>	<u>295,284</u>

8 LONG TERM ASSETS

Cost	Leasehold, land & buildings	Furniture & Equipment	Plant & Equipment	2000 Total	1999
At 1st January	63,510	24,574	98,912	186,996	187,204
Additions	1	1,928	7,358	9,287	1,755
At 31 December	\$ 63,511	\$ 43,835	\$ 172,483	\$ 279,829	\$ 206,667

Depreciation

At 1st January	63,509	24,574	98,912	186,995	187,204
Additions	1	1,928	7,358	9,287	1,755
At 31 December	63,510	26,502	106,270	196,282	188,959

NBV at 31 December 2000	\$ 1	\$ 17,333	\$ 66,213	83,547	
NBV at 31 December 1999					17,708

9 SHARE CAPITAL

Issued and fully paid					132,580
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10 RESERVES

General reserve

Opening balance				1,041,575	1,106,111
Statutory transfer of 25% of current profit					
Closing balance				1,041,575	1,106,111

Revenue reserve:

Opening balance				694,996	
Profit or (Loss) for the period				-857,247	131,811
Closing balance				-162,249	131,811

11 The Society is exempted from income tax pursuant to s 74 of the income tax act 1990

Kiribati Copra Co-operative Society Ltd
Draft Balance sheet
as at 31st December 1999

		1999	1998
		\$	\$
CURRENT ASSETS:	Note		
Cash	3	319,682	259,364
Receivables	4	495,928	60,554
Investment	5	33,000	0
Inventories	6	799,468	914,872
Total current assets		1,648,078	1,234,790
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Creditors & Borrowings	7	295,284	123,422
WORKING CAPITAL		1,352,794	1,111,868
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Unsecured loans			
Long term assets	8	17,708	1,916
NET WORTH		1,370,502	1,113,784
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Share capital	9	132,580	132,580
Reserves	10	1,237,922	981,204
		1,370,502	1,113,784

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 (Chairman)

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 (Chief Executive Officer)

Kiribati Copra Cooperative Society Ltd
Draft Trading account
for year ended 31 December 1999

	Copra	Sacks	Twine & Scales	1999 Total	1998 Total
Sales	8,987,423	198,376		9,185,799	4,916,248
Opening stock				-	68,460
Purchases	5,705,402	284,317	9,544	5,999,263	4,736,121
Closing stock				7	915,372
	5,705,402	284,317	9,544	5,999,263	3,889,209
Freight	2,650,176	13,598		2,663,774	1,772,741
	8,355,578	297,915	9,544	8,663,037	5,661,950
Agency fees				580,997	463,795
Lighterage & wharfage				197,454	169,961
Copra insurance				7,878	7,878
Copra storage				18,941	-
Phytosanitary				400	200
Shrinkage				244,811	-
Inspectors cost				-	-
Labourers				37,698	18,679
Rebagging				-	1,089
Demurrage				-	3,520
Smoke generator				-	2,690
Stevedoring				28,072	94,879
				1,116,251	782,691
Total cost of sales				9,779,288	6,424,641
Gross profit/(loss)				(693,489)	(1,508,393)

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Kiribati Copra Co-operative Society Ltd

Draft Profit & Loss statement
for year ended 31 December 1999

	1999	1998
Gross profit/(loss)	(593,489)	(1,508,393)
Interest received	1,821	3,316
Rent received	905	1,080
Sundry Income	348	194
	(590,615)	(1,503,803)
Stabex Fund Grant	1,036,612	993,119
Government Subsidy	-	-
Total	445,997	(510,684)

EXPENDITURE:

Advertising	397	220
Audit fees	7,060	-
Bad debt	886	-
AGM expenses	-	-
Committee expenses	5,883	546
Bank charges	1,807	22,204
Electricity	4,365	4,033
Entertainment	6,241	100
Insurance	-	-
Losses on scales	-	-
Motor vehicle expenses	4,931	4,236
Repairs and maintenance	7,072	2,342
Salaries & wages	89,378	101,697
Overtime	15,664	-
Service charges	3,018	2,718
Subscription	-	1,029
KPF contributions	5,156	5,242
Leave grant	3,875	-
Stationery postage & O.Exps	31,903	1,228
Sundry expenses	240	129
Telephone & Fax	5,811	28,241
Lease	3,575	-
Radio rental	-	-
Travelling	118,527	5,850
Delivery & collection	-	5,519
Training	385	-
	314,184	186,334
Operating profit/(loss)	131,813	(696,018)

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KIRIBATI COPRA COOPERATIVE SOCIETY LTD
NOTES TO THE DRAFT FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1999

GENERAL:
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3 CASH

Cash at bank
 Cash on hand

1999	1998
319,482	259,164
200	200
<u>319,682</u>	<u>259,364</u>

4 RECEIVABLES

Current Assets:

Trade debtors
 Sundry debtors & prepayments
 Staff loans & advance
 Advance to societies

	(4,019,093)
25,841	3,689,838
1,150	
<u>468,937</u>	<u>439,809</u>
495,928	60,554

Non Current Assets:

Loans to member societies which are unsecured. Interest is charged at 5% p.a on loans made for the purchase of vehicles.

5 INVESTMENT

Grown Agents
 Bank of Kiribati

6 INVENTORIES

Copra
 Sacks
 Twine
 Scale & Metres

33,000	
<u>799,468</u>	<u>886,622</u>
	23,700
	2,280
	<u>2,270</u>
799,468	914,872

7 CREDITORS & BORROWINGS:

Trade creditors
 Sundry creditors

158,131	120,182
137,153	3,240
<u>295,284</u>	<u>123,422</u>

8 LONG TERM ASSETS

	Leasehold land & buildings	Furniture & Equipment	Plant & Equipment	Total
Cost				
At 1st January	63,510	24,575	98,913	186,998
Additions	0	2,125		2,125
At 31 December	\$ 63,510	\$ 26,700	\$ 98,913	\$ 189,123
Depreciation				
At 1st January	63,509	24,574	98,912	186,995
Additions		213		213
At 31 December	63,509	24,787	98,912	187,208
NBV at 31 December 1998	\$ 1	\$ 1,914	\$ 1	1,916
NBV at 31 December 1997				

9 SHARE CAPITAL issued and fully paid

132,580

10 RESERVES

General reserve

Opening balance

Statutory transfer of 25% of current profit

Closing balance

1,071,784

1,071,784

Revenue reserve:

Opening balance

Profit or (Loss) for the period

Closing balance

605,437

-696,017

90,580

11 The Society is exempted from income tax pursuant to s.74 of the income tax act 1990

Kiribati Copra Cooperative Society Ltd
Draft Balance sheet
as at 31st December 1998

		1998	1997
	Notes	\$	\$
CURRENT ASSETS:			
Cash	3	259,364	
Receivables	4	60,554	
Investment	5	-	
Inventories	6	915,372	
Total current assets		<u>1,235,290</u>	
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Creditors & Borrowings	7	123,422	
WORKING CAPITAL		1,111,868	
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Unsecured loans			
Long term assets	8	- 1,916	
NET WORTH		\$ 1,113,784	
SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY			
Share capital	9	132,580	
Reserves	10	981,204	
		\$ 1,113,784	

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 (Chairman)

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 (Chief Executive Officer)

Kiribati Copra Cooperative Society Ltd
Trading account
for year ended 31 December 1998

	1998			1997
	Copra	Sacks	Twine & Scales	Total
Sales	4,762,985	148,340	4,923	4,916,248
Opening stock		43,800	24,660	68,460
Purchases	4,453,100	282,621	400	4,736,121
Closing stock	886,622	23,700	5,030	915,372
	3,566,478	302,721	20,010	3,889,209
Freight	1,763,728	9,013	-	1,772,741
	5,330,206	311,734	20,010	5,661,950
Agency fees				463,795
Lighterage & wharfage				169,961
Copra insurance				7,878
Inspectors cost				-
Labourers				18,679
Stevedoring				94,879
Copra demurrage				3,520
Smoke generator				2,690
Rebagging expense				1,089
Phytosanitary				200
				762,691
Total cost of sales				6,424,641
Gross profit/(loss)				(1,508,393)

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Kiribati Copra Co-operative Society Ltd
Draft Profit & Loss statement
for year ended 31 December 1998

	1998	1997
Gross profit/(loss)	-1,508,393	
Interest received	3,316	
Rent received	1,080	
Sundry Income	194	
	-1,503,803	
Stabex Fund Grant	993,119	
Government Subsidy	0	
Total	-510,684	

EXPENDITURE:

Advertising	220
Audit fees	-
AGM expenses	-
Committee expenses	546
Bank charges	22,204
Depreciation	-
Electricity	4,033
Entertainment	100
Insurance	-
Losses on scales	-
Motor vehicle expenses	4,236
Repairs and maintenance	2,342
Salaries & wages	101,697
Service charges	2,718
Subscription	1,029
KPF contributions	5,242
Stationery postage & O.Exps	1,228
Sundry expenses	129
Telephone & Fax	28,241
Lease	-
Radio rental	-
Travelling	5,850
Delivery & collections	5,519
	185,334
Operating profit/(loss)	-696,018

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KIRIBATI COPRA COOPERATIVE SOCIETY LTD
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1998

1. GENERAL:

Kiribati Copra Cooperative Society Ltd was incorporated under the Co-operative Societies Ordinance 1977 for the economic interest of member societies and the purchase and export of copra.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

- 2.1 The Financial statement are prepared under the historical cost convention
- 2.2 The Financial statement are expressed in Australian dollars.
- 2.3 Depreciation is calculated to write down the value of the asset in equal instalments, using the straight line method over their expected useful lives.
 - Leasehold buildings 3%
 - Furniture & Office Equipment 10%
 - Plant & Equipment 10%
- 2.4 Stock of copra in store and at outer islands is valued at the lower cost of net realisable value.
- 2.5 Foreign currency transactions are converted to Australian currency at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of transaction and profit or losses which arise from currency conversion are credited to or charged against revenue.
- 2.6 Stabex Fund Grant received or receivable are shown as income received.

3. CASH

Cash at bank
Cash on hand

1998 1997

259,164
200
259,364

4. RECEIVABLES

Current Assets:

Trade debtors
Sundry debtors & prepayments
Staff loans
Advance to societies

4,019,093
3,539,838
439,809
\$ 60,554

Loans to member societies which are unsecured. Interest is charged at 5% p.a on loans made for the purchase of vehicles.

5. INVESTMENT

Grown Agents
Bank of Kiribati

6. INVENTORIES

Copra
Sacks
Twine
Scale & Metres

886,622
23,700
2,280
2,770
\$ 915,372

7. CREDITORS & BORROWINGS:

Trade creditors
Sundry creditors

120,182
3,240
\$ 123,422

8 LONG TERM ASSETS

	Leasehold buildings	Furniture & Equipment	Plant & Equipment	1999 Total	1998 Total
Cost					
At 1st January	69,510	26,700	98,913	189,123	186,998
Additions	-	2,125	15,419	17,544	2,125
At 31 December	69,510	28,825	114,332	206,667	189,123
Depreciation					
At 1st January	69,509	24,783	98,912	187,204	186,995
Additions	-	213	1,542	1,755	213
At 31 December	69,509	24,996	100,454	188,959	187,208
NBV at 31 December 1999	1	3,829	13,878	17,708	1,916
NBV at 31 December 1998	1	1914	1		

9 SHARE CAPITAL

Issued and fully paid

132,580 132,580

10 RESERVES

General reserve

Opening balance

1,106,111 1,071,784

Statutory transfer of 25% of current profit

Closing balance

1,106,111 1,071,784

Revenue reserve:

Opening balance

805,437

Profit or Loss for the period

131,811 (666,017)

Closing balance

131,811 (90,580)

11 The Society is exempted from income tax pursuant to s.74 of the income tax act 1990