BERGER PAINTS #//

UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 2002

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Particulars	UNAUDITED				AUDITED
	Ouarter Ended 31.12.2002	Corresponding Quarter Ended 31.12,2001	9 Months Ended 31.12.2002	Corresponding 9 Months Ended 31.12.2001	Year Ended 31.03.2002
1. Sales	17883	16509	51468	46080	60165
2. Net Sales (net of excise)/					
Income from Operations	15813	14430	44975	40262	52912
3. Other Income	53	40	146	145	309
4. Total Expenditure					
a) (Increase)/Decrease in				1 2	17.2
stock-in-trade	1397	(62)	(703)	(1099)	90
b) Consumption of materials	8442	8795	28699	26080	32822
c) Staff cost	869	788	2576	2303	3072
d) Other expenditure	3357	3272	9789	8986	11808
Profit before Depreciation, Interest,		14		90.15.	
Tax & Exceptional Item	1801	1677	4760	4137	5429
6. Interest	136	127	468	586	730
7. Depreciation	335	295	963	839	113
B. Exceptional Item (Expenditure under	13965	3	12		
Voluntary Retirement Scheme)	5	-	5	3	9:
9. Profit before Tax (2+3-4-6-7-8)	1325	1255	3324	2709	346
Provision for Taxation	359	83	902	286	32
1. Profit after Tax	966	1172	2422	2423	313
2.Cash Profit (Profit before			- 150	1	4-
Depreciation & after Interest,		7.97	1 12222		
Exceptional Item & Tax)	1301	1487	3385	3262	427
3.Paid-up Equity Share Capital	2657	2657	2657	2657	265
(Ordinary (Equity) shares of Rs. 10/- each)		1.1			
4 Reserves excluding Revaluation	4				1239
Reserves as per Balance Sheet	1		9.12	9.12	11.8
5. Basic and diluted EPS (Rs.)	3.64#	4.41#	12.74	12.28	16.1
6. Basic and diluted CEPS	4.90#	5.52#	12.74	12.28	10.1
(Cash Earnings per share) (Rs.)					
7.Aggregale of Non-Promoter	100			1	
Shareholding			0107500	10450701	943728
- Number of Shares	9187593	10450701	9187593		35.5
 Percentage of Shareholding 	34.58	39.33	34.58	39.33	35.5

The Company has only one business segment - paints.

The above results were taken on record by the Board of Directors at its Meeting held on 29th January, 2003.



Kolkata

Dated: 29th January, 2003

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By Order of the Board of Directors

SUBIR BOSE Managing Director

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