# Joint Stock Company "Grindeks"

Non-audited consolidated financial statements for the periods ended 31 March, 2008 and 31 March, 2007 prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards

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### **ANCILLARY INFORMATION**

Name "GRINDEKS"

Legal status Joint Stock Company since 25 August 1997

Number, place and date of registration 40003034935,

Riga, Republic of Latvia,

11 October 1991

Business activities Production of pharmaceutical, medical and

phyto-chemical medicines

Legal address 53 Krustpils Street

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Latvia

Subsidiaries JSC "Tallinn Pharmaceutical Plant"

Tondi 33 11316, Tallinn,

Estonia

JSC "Kalceks" 53 Krustpils str. Riga, LV - 1057,

Latvia

"Namu apsaimniekosanas projekti" Ltd.

53 Krustpils str. Riga, LV - 1057,

Latvia

"Grindeks Rus" Ltd. 74/3 Warsaw str. 117556, Moscow,

Russia

Reporting period 1 January 2008 – 31 March 2008

Previous reporting period 1 January 2007 – 31 March 2007



#### THE BOARD AND THE SUPERVISORY COUNCIL

### **Board of the Company**

(In compliance with the election/dismissal dates)

From 2 January 2007 to the date of issuing the financial statements:

<u>Name</u> <u>Position</u>

Janis Romanovskis Chairman of the Board

Vitalijs Skrivelis Board member Lipmans Zeligmans Board member

### **Supervisory Council of the Company**

(In compliance with the election/dismissal dates)

From 20 January 2006 to 22 February 2008:

<u>Name</u> <u>Position</u>

Kirovs Lipmans Chairman of the Supervisory Council
Vitalijs Gavrilovs Vice-Chairman of the Supervisory Council
Uldis Osis Member of the Supervisory Council
Janis Naglis Member of the Supervisory Council
Ivars Kalvins Member of the Supervisory Council

From 22 February 2008 to the date of issuing the financial statements:

<u>Name</u> <u>Position</u>

Kirovs Lipmans Chairman of the Supervisory Council
Vitalijs Gavrilovs Vice-Chairman of the Supervisory Council
Uldis Osis Member of the Supervisory Council
Janis Naglis Member of the Supervisory Council
Anna Lipmane Member of the Supervisory Council

8 May 2008



# MAJOR SHAREHOLDERS

Shareholders of the Company as of 31 May 2007 and 1 January 2008 (*Latvian Central Depository* data)

	31.05.2007 Investments in percentage (%)	01.01.2008 Investments in percentage (%)
Kirovs Lipmans	28.73	33.29
Anna Lipmane	16.69	16.69
Hansapank AS Clients Account	-	15.89
Vitalijs Gavrilovs	11.30	11.30
Skandinavska Enskilda Banken	-	9.23
State Social Insurance Agency	2.29	2.29
Other shareholders	40.99	11.31
Total	100.00	100.00



#### MANAGEMENT REPORT

#### Mode of activity

In the reporting period the Group of "Grindeks" consisted of JSC "Grindeks" and its four subsidiaries: JSC "Tallinn Pharmaceutical Plant", JSC "Kalceks", "Namu Apsaimniekošanas projekti" Ltd. and "Grindeks RUS" Ltd. (altogether hereinafter referred to as "the Group"). Main activity of the Group is research, development, production and sales of original products, generics and active pharmaceutical ingredients.

### Group activity during accounting period

In the first quarter of 2008 turnover of the Group amounted to 17 million lats, which is by 5.1 million lats or 43% more than during the first three months of 2007. Net profit, related to the shareholders of the holding company, in the accounting period amounted to 3.5 million lats, twice exceeding the results of the first quarter of 2007. In the first three months of 2008 gross profit margin of the Group was 60%, whereas, net profit margin comprised 21%. Products of the Group, manufactured during the accounting period, were exported to 44 states worldwide for the total amount of 16.4 million lats, which is by 5.2 million lats or 46% more than in the preceding accounting period.

### Sales of ready-made medications

In the first quarter of 2008 sales volume of ready-made medications of "Grindeks" amounted to 15.8 million lats, exceeding the results of the preceding accounting period by 5.1 million lats or 48%.

In January of 2008 "Grindeks" concluded a collaboration agreement with "Pharmstandard", one of the leading pharmaceutical companies in Russia. According to the agreement, "Pharmstandard" has obtained exclusive rights to distribute and promote "Grindeks" original product Mildronate® in the Russian Federation since 1 February 2008. Considerable increase of sales during first three months of 2008, as compared to the same period of 2007, is mainly explained by the fact that "Pharmstandard" purchased from "Grindeks" a remarkable amount of products to ensure safety stocks and to cope with the initial demand of the Russian pharmaceutical distribution network. Accordingly, it is expected that during the rest of the year sales increase will not preserve the same high pace as during first quarter of the year.

#### Sales of active pharmaceutical ingredients

The main export markets for active pharmaceutical ingredients (API) of "Grindeks" are Europe, Japan, the USA, Australia, Pakistan and India. In the first quarter of 2008 export of API reached 1.2 million lats, similar to the first three months of 2007.

Ftorafur, zopiclone, oxytocin and rilmenidine and the new veterinary product detomidine are the most marketable products among the active pharmaceutical ingredients of "Grindeks" at the moment. Besides, "Grindeks" has gained 35% of the world market by exporting zopiclone and oxytocin, but the sales of veterinary substance detomidine in the EU countries already make 49% of the EU market

In March JSC "Grindeks" has concluded a contract with one of America's most distinguished Research Centers - Wake Forest University School of Medicine - on supply of active pharmaceutical ingredient *oxytocin* for the project of new anaesthetic scientific research. It is a big recognition to "Grindeks" product quality, because the USA is one of the world's most particular countries about quality demands.

### **Investment program**

The Group continues realization of large scope investment program, in which framework the main projects are expansion of the Final Dosage Form Production Unit, construction of Mildronate® Substance Crystallization Unit and of Waste Water Purification Systems in Latvia.

#### Quality and environment protection

In the first three months of 2008 JSC "Grindeks" successfully passed a number of important inspection and audits by Environment protection institutions, ISO, clients; for example, the audit about *ftorafur* production unit's compliance with the requirements of ICH Q7 guidelines by the long-term cooperation partner "Taiho Pharmaceutical".

### Growth of "Grindeks" share price during accounting period (data of Riga Stock Exchange)

"Grindeks" share price fluctuated within limits from Ls 5.05 to Ls 6.78 in *Riga Sock Exchange* during the first quarter of 2008. Total quantity of company's shares, traded in *Riga Sock Exchange*, was 309 thousand shares, reaching the turnover in the amount of 1.8 million lats. At the end of the first quarter market capitalization of "Grindeks" was 52.6 million lats.



The Group's profit from one share (EPS coefficient) was 0.37 lats in the first quarter of 2008 in comparison with 0.18 lats in the same accounting period of 2007.

#### **Further expectations**

In 2008 "Grindeks" will continue to work at the increase of its shareholders' value, at the expansion of its product sales volume in the existing markets and at acquiring attractive new markets by improving company's productivity and effectiveness.

On behalf of the Group Management:

Janis Romanovskis Chairman of the Board

8 May 2008



#### STATEMENT OF BOARD'S RESPONSIBILITIES

The Board of JSC "Grindeks" (hereinafter - the Company) is bearing the responsibility for preparation of the consolidated interim financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (hereinafter the Group). Independent auditors have non-audited interim financial statements of the Group.

The consolidated interim financial statements, enclosed from the page 9 to the page 18, are prepared in accordance with the accounting records and source documents, presenting fairly the financial position of the Group as of 31 March 2008 and the results of its operations and cash flows for the three-month period ended 31 March 2008.

Above mentioned consolidated interim financial statements are prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards, reposing on the principle of business activities continuation. Appropriate accounting policies have been applied on a consistent basis. The management in preparation of the consolidated interim financial statements has made prudent and reasonable judgments and estimates.

The Board of the Company is responsible for providing accounting records, preservation of the Group's assets and the prevention and disclosure of fraud and other irregularities of the Group. The Board is responsible for the compliance with the existing legislation in the countries in which the Group's companies are operating (Latvia, Russia and Estonia).

On behalf of the Board:

Janis Romanovskis Chairman of the Board

8 May 2008

# **BALANCE SHEET**

	31.03.2008 LVL	31.03.2007 LVL	31.03.2008 EUR	31.03.2007 EUR
ASSETS Non-current assets				
Intangible assets Software, patents, licenses, trademarks and				
other rights	400,950	32,352	570,500	46,033
Advance payments for intangible assets	25,000	369,102	35,572	525,185
Total intangible assets	425,950	401,454	606,072	571,218
Tangible fixed assets				
Land, buildings and constructions	6,284,609	5,862,111	8,942,193	8,341,032
Equipment and machinery	7,064,021	4,217,427	10,051,196	6,000,858
Other fixed assets	600,092	661,992	853,854	941,930
Advance payments for fixed assets	4,291,449	6,058,056	6,106,182	8,619,837
Construction in progress	5 770 640	265,200	0.000.004	277 (15
Total tangible fixed assets	5,778,640 <b>24,018,811</b>	265,389 <b>17,064,975</b>	8,222,264 <b>34,175,689</b>	377,615 <b>24,281,272</b>
Total tangible fixed assets	24,010,011	17,004,973	34,173,009	24,201,272
Investment property	4,667,600	4,434,653	6,641,396	6,309,943
Long-term financial investments				
Investments in associated companies	22,000	-	31,303	-
Other investments	105,421	134,236	150,002	191,001
Deferred expenses	107.401	70,317	101 205	100,052
Total long-term financial investments	127,421	204,553	181,305	291,053
Total non-current assets	29,239,782	22,105,635	41,604,462	31,453,486
Current assets				
Inventory				
Raw materials	1,717,528	1,472,724	2,443,822	2,095,497
Unfinished goods	1,838,888	2,039,727	2,616,502	2,902,270
Finished goods and goods for resale Advance payments for goods	3,364,152 843	3,570,582	4,786,757 1,200	5,080,480
Total inventory	6,921,411	7,083,033	9,848,281	10,078,247
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Debtors	21.222.71	1 < 51 < 050	20.252.725	22.561.511
Trade receivables	21,339,746	16,516,979	30,363,723	23,501,544
Other debtors	1,576,316 143,343	1,165,414 203,284	2,242,896	1,658,234 289,248
Deferred expenses  Total debtors	23,059,405	17,885,677	203,958 <b>32,810,577</b>	25,449,026
Total debiols	25,057,405	17,000,077	52,610,577	20,149,020
Financial assets at fair value through profit				
and loss	-	2,038,171	-	2,900,056
Cash and cash equivalents	2,160,218	437,743	3,073,713	622,852
Total current assets	32,141,034	27,444,624	45,732,571	39,050,181
TOTAL ASSETS	61,380,816	49,550,259	87,337,033	70,503,667

	31.03.2008 LVL	31.03.2007 LVL	31.03.2008 EUR	31.03.2007 EUR
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	_,_	_,_	2011	2011
EQUITY				
Share capital	9,585,000	9,585,000	13,638,226	13,638,226
Share premium	15,687,750	15,687,750	22,321,657	22,321,657
Other reserves	464,905	464,905	661,500	661,500
(Accumulated loss) / retained profit:	,	,	,	,
a) prior year accumulated profit/loss	12,984,900	5,864,453	18,475,848	8,344,366
b) foreign currency revaluation	(13,249)		(18,850)	-
c) current year profit	3,523,409	1,728,155	5,013,359	2,458,943
Equity attributable to equity holders of the		, i		<u> </u>
parent	42,232,715	33,330,263	60,091,740	47,424,692
Minority interest	52,554	53,932	74,777	76,737
Total equity	42,285,269	33,384,195	60,166,517	47,501,429
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LIABILITIES				
Long-term liabilities				
Loans from credit institutions	3,827,239	2,177,281	5,445,670	3,097,992
Finance lease liabilities	689,147	87,934	980,568	125,119
Deferred tax liability	1,333,986	-	1,898,091	-
Deferred income	1,625,297	1,141,225	2,312,590	1,623,817
Total non-current liabilities	7,475,669	3,406,440	10,636,919	4,846,928
Current liabilities				
Loans from credit institutions	3,728,275	7,019,196	5,304,857	9,987,416
Finance lease liabilities	20,124	15,999	28,634	22,765
Advances from customers	115,181	30,973	163,888	44,071
Trade accounts payable	6,113,752	4,855,304	8,699,085	6,908,474
Taxes and social security liabilities	307,411	296,768	437,406	422,263
Other payables	964,510	414,377	1,372,374	589,606
Accrued liabilities	93,588	-	133,165	-
Deferred income	277,037	127,007	394,188	180,715
Total current liabilities	11,619,878	12,759,624	16,533,597	18,155,310
Total liabilities	19,095,547	16,166,064	27,170,516	23,002,238
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	61,380,816	49,550,259	87,337,033	70,503,667



# STATEMENTS OF PROFIT AND LOSS

	2008	2007	2008	2007
	January-	January-	January-	January-
	March	March	March	March
	LVL	LVL	EUR	EUR
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Net sales	16,967,799	11,930,276	24,143,003	16,975,253
Cost of goods sold	(6,767,000)	(5,574,127)	(9,628,574)	(7,931,268)
Gross profit	10,200,799	6,356,149	14,514,429	9,043,985
Selling expenses	(3,697,323)	(2,628,209)	(5,260,817)	(3,739,604)
Administrative expenses	(1,522,510)	(1,535,194)	(2,166,337)	(2,184,384)
Other operating income	114,706	44,404	163,213	63,181
Other operating expenses	(559,070)	(58,558)	(795,485)	(83,321)
Interest income and similar income	102	7,606	145	10,822
Interest expense and similar expense	(74,921)	(128,708)	(106,603)	(183,135)
Real estate tax	(22,891)	(24,736)	(32,571)	(35,196)
Profit before taxation	4,438,892	2,032,754	6,315,974	2,892,348
Corporate income tax	(915,412)	(304,843)	(1,302,514)	(433,753)
NET PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	3,523,480	1,727,911	5,013,460	2,458,595
Attributable to:				
Equity holders of the parent	3,523,409	1,728,155	5,013,359	2,458,943
Minority interest	71	(244)	101	(348)
TOTAL	3,523,480	1,727,911	5,013,460	2,458,595
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Earnings per share attributable equity				
holders of the parent				
(LVL per share)				
- Basic earnings per share	0.37	0.18	0.52	0.26
- Diluted earnings per share	0.37	0.18	0.52	0.26

# STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

	Share capital	Share premium	Other reserves	Accumulated (loss)/ profit	Foreign currency trans- lation	Equity attributabl e to equity holders of	Mino- rity interest	Total
	LVL	LVL	LVL	LVL	reserve LVL	the parent LVL	LVL	LVL
As of 31.12.2007	9,585,000	15,687,750	464,905	12,984,900	(6)	38,722,549	52,483	38,775,032
Profit for the period Foreign	-	-	-	3,523,409	-	3,523,409	71	3,523,480
currency revaluation	-	-	-	-	(13,243)	(13,243)	-	(13,243)
As of 31.03.2008	9,585,000	15,687,750	464,905	16,508,309	(13,249)	42,232,715	52,554	42,285,269
	Share capital	Share premium	<b>Other</b> reserves	Accumulated (loss)/ profit	Foreign currency trans- lation	Equity attribu- table to	Mino- rity interest	Total
					reserve	equity holders of		
	EUR	EUR	EUR	EUR			EUR	EUR
As of 31.12.2007	EUR 13,638,226	EUR 22,321,657	EUR 661,500	EUR 18,475,848	reserve	holders of the parent	EUR 74,676	EUR 55,171,898
		-			reserve EUR	holders of the parent EUR		-
31.12.2007  Profit for the period Foreign	13,638,226	-		18,475,848	reserve EUR	holders of the parent EUR 55,097,222	74,676	55,171,898



# STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	2008 January-March LVL	2007 January-March LVL	2008 January-March EUR	2007 January-March EUR
OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Net profit before taxation	4,438,892	2,032,754	6,315,974	2,892,348
Adjustments to reconcile net profit to net				
cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortisation	508,112	451,444	722,978	642,347
Loss / (gain) on disposal of fixed				
assets and intangible assets	6,365	(2,856)	9,057	(4,064)
Interest expense	(102)	(7,606)	(145)	(10,822)
Interest income	74,921	128,708	106,603	183,135
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:				
Inventory	121,567	(158,883)	172,974	(226,070)
Debtors	(4,995,367)	(2,733,732)	(7,107,767)	(3,889,750)
Creditors	2,009,206	149,504	2,858,842	212,726
Gross cash provided by operating	2,007,200	147,504	2,030,042	212,720
activities	2,163,594	(140,667)	3,078,516	(200,150)
Corporate income tax paid	(304,998)	(135,623)	(433,973)	(192,974)
Net cash provided by (used in)	(304,778)	(133,023)	(433,713)	(1)2,)/4)
operating activities	1,858,596	(276,290)	2,644,543	(393,124)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Purchase of fixed assets and intangible				
assets	(2,407,468)	(2,568,237)	(3,425,518)	(3,654,272)
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets	178	(2,306,237)	253	(3,034,272)
Purchase of long term financial		-	233	_
investments	L	(502,000)		(714,282)
Redemption of short term financial	_ 	(302,000)	-	(714,262)
investments	L	3,192,894	_	4,543,079
Net cash used in investing activities	(2,407,290)	122,657	(3,425,265)	174,525
Net cash used in investing activities	(2,407,290)	122,037	(3,423,203)	174,323
FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Received loans from credit institutions	1,305,777	147,374	1,857,954	209,694
Repaid loans to credit institutions	(326,096)	147,574	(463,993)	200,004
Interest income	102	7,606	145	10,822
Interest paid	(74,921)	(137,750)	(106,603)	(196,001)
Net cash provided by financing		(137,730)	(100,003)	(170,001)
activities	904,862	17,230	1,287,503	24,515
Net (decrease)/ increase in cash and				
cash equivalents	356,168	(136,403)	506,781	(194,084)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	1,804,050	574,146	2,566,932	816,936
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE PERIOD	2,160,218	437,743	3,073,713	622,852



# **NOTES**

## FINISHED GOODS AND GOOD FOR RESALE

			31.03.2008 LVL	31.03.2007 LVL	31.03.2008 EUR	31.03.2007 EUR
Goods for sale Self-manufactured	and	co-manufactured	2,324,285	2,215,533	3,307,160	3,152,419
production			1,039,867	1,355,049	1,479,597	1,928,061
Total			3,364,152	3,570,582	4.786.757	5,080,480

### OTHER DEBTORS

	31.03.2008 LVL	31.03.2007 LVL	31.03.2008 EUR	31.03.2007 EUR
Tax receivables	476,569	237,795	678,097	338,352
Other	1,099,747	927,619	1,564,799	1,319,882
Total	1,576,316	1.165.414	2,242,896	1,658,234

## CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	31.03.2008 LVL	31.03.2007 LVL	31.03.2008 EUR	31.03.2007 EUR
Cash in bank	2,157,555	429,662	3,069,924	611,354
Cash on hand	2,663	8,081	3,789	11,498
Total	2,160,218	437,743	3,073,713	622,852

## LOANS FROM CREDIT INSTITUTIONS

	31.03.2008 LVL	31.03.2007 LVL	31.03.2008 EUR	31.03.2007 EUR
Credit line from JSC "Hansabanka", Latvia	1,996,248	2,992,643	2,840,405	4,258,147
Credit line from JSC"UniCredit Bank", Latvia	1,115,409	1,511,886	1,587,084	2,151,220
JSC " Hansabanka", Latvia	265,660	1,618,071	378,000	2,302,308
JSC "UnicreditBank Latvia"	143,372	143,373	204,000	204,001
JSC " Hansabanka", Latvia	151,834	-	216,040	-
JSC " Hansabanka", Latvia	55,752	125,392	79,328	178,417
JSC "Parekss banka", Latvia	-	133,062	-	189,330
Ministry of Finance (World Bank credit)	-	494,769	-	703,993
Current loans from credit institutions	3,728,275	7,019,196	5,304,857	9,987,416
JSC " Hansabanka", Latvia	1,277,790	1,644,929	1,818,131	2,340,523
JSC "Hansabanka", Latvia	1,614,358	-	2,297,024	-
JSC " SEB Unibanka", Latvia	839,510	-	1,194,515	-
JSC "UnicreditBank Latvia"	95,581	286,744	136,000	408,000
JSC "Parekss banka", Latvia	-	148,059	-	210,669
JSC " Hansabanka", Latvia	-	97,549	-	138,800
Non-current loans from credit institutions	3,827,239	2,177,281	5,445,670	3,097,992
Total	7,555,514	9,196,477	10,750,527	13,085,408

### TAX LIABILITIES

	31.03.2008 LVL	31.03.2007 LVL	31.03.2008 EUR	31.03.2007 EUR
Corporate income tax	143,303	122,325	203,902	174,053
Personal income tax	121,891	40,176	173,435	57,165
Social security payments	21,193	134,267	30,155	191,045
Other	21,024	-	29,914	-
Total	307,411	296,768	437,406	422,263

### **NET SALES**

	2008 January- March LVL	2007 January- March LVL	2008 January- March EUR	2007 January -March EUR
Russia				8,196,53
	11,315,239	5,760,558	16,100,135	6
Other CIS countries				5,763,73
	4,977,513	4,050,778	7,082,363	8
Other countries				2,092,42
	1,210,725	1,470,564	1,722,706	3
Latvia				1,052,36
	557,628	739,606	793,433	5
Lithuania	499,688	398,496	710,992	567,009
Estonia	271,039	282,314	385,654	401,697
Other income	70,816	7,885	100,762	11,218
Gross sales				18,084,9
	18,902,648	12,710,201	26,896,045	86
Less discounts				
Russia				(463,923
	(1,434,319)	(326,047)	(2,040,852)	)
Other CIS countries				(514,207
	(412,624)	(361,387)	(587,111)	)
Other countries	(7,343)	(19,094)	(10,448)	(27,168)
Latvia	(43,073)	(45,735)	(61,287)	(65,075)
Lithuania	(21,045)	(11,370)	(29,944)	(16,178)
Estonia	(16,445)	(16,292)	(23,400)	(23,182)
Discounts total	(1,934,849)	(779,925)	(2,753,042)	(1,109,7
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Total, net	16,967,799	11,930,276	24,143,003	16,975, 253

## COST OF GOODS SOLD

	2008 January- March LVL	2007 January- March LVL	2008 January- March EUR	2007 January- March EUR
Goods purchased for resale	2,471,355	1,278,808	3,516,421	1,819,580
Raw materials and packing	2,285,427	2,321,236	3,251,870	3,302,821
Direct labour and social security payments	1,427,514	1,193,268	2,031,169	1,697,867
Research costs	621,843	624,692	884,803	888,857
Depreciation of fixed assets and amortization of				
intangible assets	353,613	269,733	503,146	383,795
Electricity resource expenses	215,664	194,191	306,862	276,309
Machinery, buildings and equipment repairs	149,287	37,074	212,416	52,752
Household expenses	53,317	39,582	75,863	56,320
Transport	27,816	27,768	39,579	39,510
Rent of work clothing	21,309	20,569	30,320	29,267
Waste disposal	13,580	25,117	19,323	35,738
Other	292,241	260,739	415,822	370,999
Internal turnover of self-manufactured raw				
materials	(1,165,966)	(718,650)	(1,659,020)	(1,022,547)
Total	6,767,000	5,574,127	9,628,574	7,931,268

## SELLING AND DISTRIBUTION COSTS

	2008	2007 January- March LVL	2008 January- March EUR	2007 January- March EUR
	January-			
	March			
	$\mathbf{LVL}$			
Advertising	1,518,674	1,344,443	2,160,878	1,912,970
Expenses of representative offices	641,432	488,768	912,676	695,454
Salaries and social security payments	260,432	204,942	370,561	291,606
Patents	184,935	115,028	263,139	163,670
Distribution expenses for goods	138,874	112,164	197,600	159,595
Commissions	132,959	67,372	189,184	95,862
Registration costs for medicine	48,820	92,828	69,465	132,082
Depreciation of fixed assets and amortisation	of			
intangible assets	47,960	41,906	68,241	59,627
Freight insurance	14,434	10,825	20,538	15,403
Other	708,803	149,933	1,008,535	213,335
Total	3,697,323	2,628,209	5,260,817	3,739,604

### ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

	2008	2007	2008	2007
	January-	January-	January-	January-
	March	March	March	March
	LVL	LVL	EUR	EUR
Salaries and social security payments	629,791	552,112	896,112	785,585
Depreciation of fixed assets and amortisation of				
intangible assets	106,539	102,766	151,591	146,223
Security costs	67,442	50,556	95,961	71,935
Transport	48,338	48,797	68,779	69,432
Personnel training and hiring expenses	30,172	47,551	42,931	67,659
Employee insurance	43,020	27,443	61,212	39,048
Electricity	49,382	17,739	70,264	25,240
Computers maintenance	33,340	13,296	47,439	18,919
Professional services	20,129	27,072	28,641	38,520
Bank charges	16,809	15,448	23,917	21,981
Business trips	15,696	8,900	22,333	12,664
Property and liability insurance	11,373	5,006	16,182	7,123
Communication expense	8,249	24,818	11,737	35,313
Other	442,230	593,690	629,238	844,742
Total	1,522,510	1,535,194	2,166,337	2,184,384

Currency exchange for the EUR - 0.702804

JSC "Grindeks" hereby informs that there were no changes made in its accounting policy in 2008. In non-audited financial accounts for the period January - March 2008 the Group has employed the same Accounting and Consolidation Principles as in the audited consolidated financial accounts for the year 2007, released on 11 April 2008.

Chairman of the Board

Janis Romanovskis