Kentstone Properties Limited
Financial statements
Information for filing with the registrar
For the year ended 31 March 2022

Registered number: 00000086

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Balance sheet As at 31 March 2022

	Note		2022 £		2021 £
Fixed assets	Hote		-		٨
Tangible assets	5		2,063		2,271
Investments	6		845		845
Investment property	7		47,822,697		40,954,998
			47,825,605		40,958,114
Current assets					
Debtors	8	1,021,304		2,488,551	
Cash at bank and in hand	9	915,819		755,779	
	•	1,937,123	-	3,244,330	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(1,664,011)		(1,722,161)	
Net current assets	•		273,112		1,522,169
Total assets less current liabilities			48,098,717		42,480,283
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	11		(15,122,856)		(14,464,000)
Provisions for liabilities					
Deferred tax	12	(2,006,975)		(847,130)	
	•		(2,006,975)		(847,130)
Net assets			30,968,886		27,169,153
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital			2,656,254		2,656,254
Capital redemption reserve			143,746		143,746
Profit and loss account			28,168,886		24,369,153
			30,968,886		27,169,153

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime and in accordance with the provisions of FRS 102 Section 1A - small entities.

The financial statements have been delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

The Company has opted not to file the statement of comprehensive income in accordance with provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 21 July 2022.

J M Wilkins J L Hunter
Director Director

The notes on pages 2 to 9 form part of these financial statements.

1. General information

Kentstone Properties Limited (the 'company') is a private company, limited by shares and incorporated in England and Wales. The address of its registered office and principal place of business is Suite 21, Evegate Park Barn, Smeeth, Ashford, Kent, TN25 6SX.

2. Accounting policies

2.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention unless otherwise specified within these accounting policies and in accordance with Section 1A of Financial Reporting Standard 102, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland and the Companies Act 2006.

The following principal accounting policies have been applied:

2.2 Going concern

The directors have prepared financial projections for a period of 12 months following the date of approval of these financial statements based on a range of different assumptions. These projections are based on assumptions that the directors consider to be reasonable and achievable in light of the company's actual recent experience, actual rents received and from the anticipated revenues from existing and prospective clients.

2.3 Revenue

Rental income under operating leases is recognised on an accrual basis in the period in which it falls due.

Income from the sale of properties is recognised on the date of contract and when all material conditions of the contract have been met.

2.4 Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost or valuation, net of depreciation and any impairment losses.

Depreciation is charged on office furniture and equipment at annual rates calculated to write off the cost, less estimated residual value, of each asset over its expected useful life, of four years.

2.5 Impairment of assets

At each reporting end date, the group reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss.

Where the recoverable amount of an asset is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.6 Investment property

The group classifies land and buildings as investment property when it is held to eam rentals or for capital appreciation or both. Investment properties are initially measured at cost which comprises the purchase price and any directly attributable expenditure.

Investment properties are subsequently re-measured to fair value at each reporting date with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss. Fair value is derived from the current market rents and investment property yields for comparable real estate, adjusted if necessary for any difference in the nature, location or condition of the specific asset. No depreciation is provided.

2.7 Investments

Investments in group undertakings, associated undertakings and other participating interests are stated at cost less provision for impairment.

2.8 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash is represented by cash in hand and deposits with financial institutions repayable without penalty on notice of not more than 24 hours. Cash equivalents are highly liquid investments that mature in no more than three months from the date of acquisition and that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash with insignificant risk of change in value.

2.9 Financial assets

The company applies the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments to the extent that they are classified as loans.

Financial assets are recognised in the company's balance sheet when the company becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets are classified into specified categories. The classification depends on the nature and purpose of the financial assets and is determined at the time of recognition.

Basic financial assets, which include shares in group companies, trade and other receivables and cash and bank balances, are initially measured at transaction price including costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest.

Loans and receivables

Trade debtors, loans and other receivables that have fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market are classified as 'loans and receivables'. Loans and receivables are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment.

Interest is recognised by applying the effective interest rate, except for short-term receivables when the recognition of interest would be immaterial.

Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets are assessed for indicators of impairment at each reporting end date.

Financial assets are impaired where there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the financial asset, the estimated future cash flows have been affected. The impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss.

2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.9 Financial assets (continued)

Derecognition of financial assets

Financial assets are derecognised only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to another entity.

2.10 Financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities are initially measured at transaction price, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest.

Derecognition of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are derecognised when, and only when, the company's obligations are discharged, cancelled, or they expire.

2.11 Equity Instruments

Equity instruments issued by the company are recorded at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs. Dividends payable on equity instruments are recognised as liabilities once they are no longer at the discretion of the company.

2.12 Taxation

Tax expense for the period comprises current and deferred tax. Tax currently payable, relating to UK corporation tax, is calculated on the basis of the tax rates and laws which have been enacted or substantively enacted as at the reporting date.

Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all timing differences including the revaluation of investment properties and deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the timing difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the taxable profit nor the accounting profit.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting end date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered. Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when the group has a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and the deferred tax assets and liabilities relate to taxes levied by the same tax authority. Deferred tax balances are not discounted.

2.13 Leases

Rentals payable under operating leases, including any lease incentives received, are charged to income on a straight line basis over the term of the relevant lease except where another more systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leased asset are consumed.

2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.14 Employee benefits

Payments to defined contribution retirement benefit schemes are charged as an expense as they fall due.

The pension scheme cost charged in the year represents contributions payable by the group into individual stakeholder pension schemes.

3. Critical accounting estimates and judgements

In the application of the company's accounting policies, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimated revised, if the revision only affects that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The estimates and assumptions which have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities are outlined below.

Critical judgements

The critical judgement that the directors have made in the process of applying the company's policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the statutory financial statements are discussed below.

Valuation of investment properties

Judgement is applied by the directors when determining the fair value for investment properties. External valuations are performed on a periodic basis with directors' valuations performed in the intervening years. Professional judgement is applied in determining such things as an appropriate yield for a given property and estimated rental values.

Assessing indicators of impairment

In assessing whether there have been any indicators of impairment of assets, the directors have considered both external and internal sources of information such as market conditions, counterparty credit partings and experience of recoverability.

Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The key estimation concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below

Estimating value in use

Where an indication of impairment exists the directors will carry out an impairment review to determine the recoverable amount, which is the value in use. The value in use calculation required the directors to estimate the future cashflows expected to arise from the asset or the cash generating unit and a suitable discount rate in order to calculate present value.

4. Employees

The average monthly number of employees, including directors, during the year was 4 (2021 - 4).

5. Tangible fixed assets

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	Office furniture and equipment £
Cost or valuation	
At 1 April 2021	9,009
Additions	872
Disposals	(1,200)
At 31 March 2022	8,681
Depreciation	
At 1 April 2021	6,738
Charge for the year on owned assets	795
Disposals	(915)
At 31 March 2022	6,618
Net book value	
At 31 March 2022	2,063
At 31 March 2021	2,271
Fixed asset investments	
	Investments in
	subsidiary
	companies
	£
Cost or valuation	
At 1 April 2021	845
At 31 March 2022	845

The investment in group undertakings comprise the following wholly owned subsidiaries:-

Kentstone Residential Limited a company incorporated in England and Wales, which did not trade during the year or the previous year.

Charles Lake Limited a company incorporated in England and Wales, which did not trade during the year or the previous year.

7. Investment property

	Freehold investment
	property £
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Valuation	
At 1 April 2021	40,954,998
Additions	3,644,225
Disposals	(936,250)
Surplus on revaluation	4,159,724
At 31 March 2022	47,822,697

The director J. Wilkins holds a professional qualification as a Registered Valuer with the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors and values the properties in the intermediate years between external valuations. J Wilkins valued the commercial portfolio on a fair value basis as at 31 March 2022. The valuation of the residential portfolio was based on the values reported by BNP in March 2021 and adjusted in line with the Nationwide Building Society Annual Housing Index. The Investment properties were externally valued at fair value by BNP Partners Real Estate on 31 March 2021.

The investment method involves the capitalisation of existing and future projected rental income, at an appropriate capitalisation rate calculated with reference to investment transactions within the market place. Allowance has been made for suitable marketing and incentive void periods and capital expenditure and purchaser's costs have been taken at the prevailing rate.

Where a property has a development angle they have been valued on a residual basis.

If the Investment properties had been accounted for under the historic cost accounting rules, the properties would have been measured as follows:

		2022 £	2021 £
	Historic cost	34,872,590	31,542,368
		34,872,590	31,542,368
8.	Debtors		
		2022 £	2021 £
	Due after more than one year	2	L
	Prepayments and accrued income	75,780	151,930
		75,780	151,930
	Due within one year		
	Trade debtors	279,211	212,212
	Prepayments and accrued income	666,313	2,124,409
		1,021,304	2,488,551

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9. Cash and cash equivalents

		2022 £	2021 £
	Cash at bank and in hand	915,819	755,779
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10.	Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		
		2022	2021
		£	£
	Bank loans	360,143	336,000
	Trade creditors	87,841	71,894
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	845	845
	Corporation tax	161,379	410,955
	Other taxation and social security	124,025	90,550
	Other creditors	5,908	5,225
	Accruals and deferred income	923,870	806,692
		1,664,011	1,722,161
11 .	Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one year		
		2022 £	2021 £
	Bank loans	15,122,856	14,464,000
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As at 31 March 2022 the group had four bank loans which are all secured by fixed charges over certain of the group's investment properties. Three of the loans are repayable between 5th and 24th March 2026. The fourth loan was taken out on 24 March 2022 and is repayable by instalments with £41,143 due within one year with the final repayment by 25th March 2025. The loan of £8.6m is repayable by instalments of which £336,000 is repayable within one year. Each loan has a different interest arrangement from 1.25% plus Handelsbanken base rate, 2.25% and 2.68% above base rate and a fixed rate of 2.88%.

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12. Deferred taxation

		2022 £
At beginning of year Charged to profit or loss		847,130 1,159,845
At end of year	-	2,006,975
The provision for deferred taxation is made up as follows:		
	2022 £	2021 £
Revaluations	2,006,975	847,130
- -	2,006,975	847,130

13. Auditors' information

The auditors' report on the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2022 was unqualified.

The audit report was signed on 21 July 2022 by Robert Sellers FCCA (Senior statutory auditor) on behalf of Kreston Reeves LLP.

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