Company Registration No. 00357032 (England and Wales)

Kingston Instrument Company Limited

Annual report and unaudited financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2016

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Directors' report

For the year ended 30 September 2016

The directors present their report and financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2016.

Directors

The following directors have held office since 1 October 2015:

Penelope Elliott

Neil Moore

Statement of directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to small companies within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

On behalf of the board

Neil Moore

Director 6/4/17

Chartered Accountants' report to the Board of Directors on the preparation of the unaudited statutory financial statements of Kingston Instrument Company Limited for the year ended 30 September 2016

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the financial statements of Kingston Instrument Company Limited for the year ended 30 September 2016 set out on pages 3 to 11 from the company's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW), we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at http://www.icaew.com/en/members/regulations-standards-and-guidance/.

This report is made solely to the Board of Directors of Kingston Instrument Company Limited, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 14 March 2011. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the financial statements of Kingston Instrument Company Limited and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of Directors of Kingston Instrument Company Limited, as a body, in this report in accordance with ICAEW Technical Release 07/16 AAF. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Kingston Instrument Company Limited and its Board of Directors as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Kingston Instrument Company Limited has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit of Kingston Instrument Company Limited. You consider that Kingston Instrument Company Limited is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the financial statements of Kingston Instrument Company Limited. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory financial statements.

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Chartered Accountants

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Profit and loss account For the year ended 30 September 2016

	Notes	2016 £	2015 £
Turnover	2	22,903	60,000
Administrative expenses		(45,775)	(56,349)
Operating (loss)/profit	3	(22,872)	3,651
Profit on disposal of fixed asset	7	932,196	-
Investment income Other interest receivable and similar	4	34,285	26,851
income	4	3,137	2,986
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5	(141,078)	(2,460)
Profit for the year	12	805,668	31,028

The notes on pages 6 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

Balance sheet As at 30 September 2016

			2016		2015
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	7		51		535,068
Investments	8		713,508		709,227
			713,559		1,244,295
Current assets					
Debtors	9	8,307		8,224	
Cash at bank and in hand		161,390		38,918	
		169,697		47,142	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year	10	(155,338)		(20,447)	
Net current assets			14,359		26,695
Total assets less current liabilities			727,918		1,270,990
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	11		34,400		34,400
Revaluation reserve	12		-		487,825
Capital redemption reserve	12		102,611		102,611
Profit and loss account	12		590,907		646,154
Shareholders' funds	13		727,918		1,270,990
					

Balance sheet (continued) As at 30 September 2016

For the financial year ended 30 September 2016 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

- The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

The notes on pages 6 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

Approved by the Board for issue on 6 April 2017

Penelope Elliott

Director

Neil Moore

Director

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Balance sheet (continued) As at 30 September 2016

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2015).

The property was sold on 5 February 2016. The company will continue to trade as an investment company and will reduce its costs to reflect the reduction in revenue during the year ended 30 September 2016. On this basis the directors have prepared the accounts on a going concern basis.

1.2 Compliance with accounting standards

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), which have been applied consistently (except as otherwise stated).

1.3 Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services net of VAT and trade discounts. Revenue is recognised on an accruals basis.

1.4 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets other than freehold land are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Land and buildings Freehold

Freehold land is not depreciated.

Plant and machinery

Computer equipment 25% reducing balance

Fixtures, fittings & equipment

25% reducing balance

1.5 Investment properties

Investment properties are revalued annually to open market value and no depreciation provided. The aggregate surplus or deficit arising on revaluation is transferred to the revaluation reserve except where a deficit is deemed to represent a permanent diminution in value, in which case it is charged to the profit and loss account.

1.6 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value.

1.7 Interest Income

Interest income is credited in the accounts when it becomes due and is shown gross of income tax deducted.

1.8 Dividends

Dividends are included in the accounts in the period in which the related dividends are actually approved by shareholders.

Balance sheet (continued) As at 30 September 2016

2	T
2	Turnover

Turnover represents rent received on the property. The property was sold on 5 February 2016.

3	Operating (loss)/profit	2016	2015
		£	£
	Operating (loss)/profit is stated after charging:		
	Depreciation of tangible assets	17	23
	Directors' remuneration	21,002	30,000
4	Investment income	2016	2015
		£	£
	Income from fixed asset investments	34,285	26,851
	Bank interest	3,137	2,986
		37,422	29,837

Included in Income from fixed asset investments are any gains or losses on disposal of investments. There were gains of £5,333 in the year (2015: £nil).

5	Taxation	2016	2015
		£	£
	Domestic current year tax	·	
	UK corporation tax	141,990	2,460
	Prior year overprovision	(912)	-
	Total current tax	141,078 ======	2,460
6	Dividends	2016	2015
		£	£
	Ordinary interim paid	860,915	30,272

Balance sheet (continued) As at 30 September 2016

7	Tangible fixed assets			
		Land and buildings	Plant and machinery etc	Total
		£	£	£
	Cost			
	At 1 October 2015	535,000	8,045	543,045
	Disposals	(535,000)	-	(535,000)
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	At 30 September 2016	-	8,045	8,045
				
	Depreciation			
	At 1 October 2015	-	7,977	7,977
	Charge for the year	-	17	17
	4,200		7.004	7.004
	At 30 September 2016	· -	7,994	7,994
	Net book value			
	At 30 September 2016	-	51	51
	At 30 September 2015	535,000	68	535,068

On 5 February 2016, the property was sold for £1,000,000 resulting in a profit on disposal of £932,196 after the payment of legal and professional fees.

Balance sheet (continued) As at 30 September 2016

			Listed investments £
	Cost		
	At 1 October 2015		709,228
	Additions		215,678
	Disposals		(211,398)
	At 30 September 2016		713,508
	Net book value		<u></u>
	At 30 September 2016		713,508
	At 30 September 2015		709,227
			Market value
			£
	At 30 September 2016		1,129,566
	At 30 September 2015		1,004,143
9	Debtors	2016 £	2015 £
	Other debtors	8,307	8,224
10	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2016 £	2015 £
		£	Ľ
	Taxation and social security	145,991	4,517
	Other creditors	9,347	15,930
		155,338	20,447
			

Balance sheet (continued) As at 30 September 2016

11	Share capital	2016	2015
		£	£
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	34,400 Ordinary Shares of 1 each	34,400	34,400
12	Statement of movements on reserves	Coulted D	
		Capital Pi redemption	rofit and loss
		reserve	account
		£	£
	Balance at 1 October 2015	102,611	646,154
	Profit for the year	-	805,668
	Dividends paid	-	(860,915)
	Balance at 30 September 2016	102,611	590,907
13	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds	2016	2015
		£	£
	Profit for the financial year	805,668	31,028
	Dividends	(860,915)	(30,272)
	Net (depletion in)/addition to shareholders' funds	(55,247)	756
	Opening shareholders' funds	1,270,990	1,270,234
	Closing shareholders' funds	727,918	1,270,990

14 Control

The company was under the control of the directors throughout the year.

Balance sheet (continued) As at 30 September 2016

15 Related party relationships and transactions

During the year dividends of £430,458 (2015: £15,136) were paid to Penelope Elliott and £30,032 (2015: £1,056) to Neil Moore, who are both directors of the company. Dividends of £400,426 (2015: £14,080) were also paid to the wife of Neil Moore during the year.